

Statement of Deficiencies

5306-B: Daily Schedule

Not Met

5306.B. A schedule of the day's plan of activities, allowing for flexibility and change, shall be posted. The program of activities shall be age-appropriate and shall be adhered to with reasonable closeness, but shall accommodate and have due regard for individual needs and differences among the children. The program shall provide time and materials for both vigorous and quiet activities for children to share or to be alone, indoor and outdoor play, and rest. Regular time shall be allowed for routines such as washing, lunch, rest, snacks and putting away toys. Active and quiet periods shall be alternated so as to guard against over-stimulation of the child.

Finding:

5306.B. The program of activities was not adhered to with reasonable closeness. CENTER'S SIGN OUTSIDE STATED CHILDREN NAP FROM 12:45PM TO 2:45PM. CENTER'S DAILY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE STATED CHILDREN NAP 12:30PM-2:30PM. SPECIALIST OBSERVED CHILDREN NAPPING UPON ARRIVAL AT 11:30AM. CENTER WILL NEED TO CHANGE THEIR DAILY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE TO REFLECT THE ACTUAL TIME FRAME CHILDREN ARE NAPPING.

5306-F: Discipline

Not Met

5306.F. The provider shall establish a policy in regard to methods of discipline. Any form of punishment that violates the spirit of this standard of discipline, even though it may not be specifically mentioned as forbidden, is prohibited. This written posted policy shall clearly state ALL types of positive discipline that are used and that the following methods of discipline are prohibited:

- No child shall be subject to physical punishment, corporal punishment, verbal abuse or threats.
- Cruel, severe, unusual, or unnecessary punishment shall not be inflicted upon children.
- Derogatory remarks shall not be made in the presence of children about family members of children in care or about the children themselves
- No child or group of children shall be allowed to discipline another child.
- When a child is removed from the group for disciplinary reasons, he shall never be out of sight of a staff member.
- No child shall be deprived of meals or snacks or any part thereof for disciplinary reasons.

Finding:

5306.F. The provider's discipline policy was not prominently posted.