

## ***Statement of Deficiencies***

### **1711-M: Special Needs Children - Minimum Child to Staff Ratio**

**Not Met**

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#### **Finding:**

Based on interviews and record reviews: Provider failed to have added staff for a 4 year old special needs child who warrants added care, in which the child received the previous school year. as a result, the special needs child bit another child. After incident, which occurred on 10/21/15 at 2:30pm an additional staff member was added to this class room. Based on record reviews, eighteen children, ages 3 to 4 years old, including the special needs child, were being supervised by 2 staff on 10/21/15. The child's special needs were not met since an additional staff member was needed.