07/02/2024

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Dear Child Care Provider:

This letter is in regards to the compliance visit at your Registered Child Development Home B conducted on 07/02/2024. Iowa Code Chapter 237A and 441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, describes specific requirements that must be met by a Registered Child Development Home. You are not a participant in the voluntary Quality Rating and Improvement System. The following areas were out of compliance at the time of the visit:

441 IAC 110.8(1)	**Facility Requirements**
441 IAC 110.8(1)"b"	Electrical wiring shall be maintained, and all accessible electrical outlets shall be tamper-resistant outlets or shall be safely capped. Electrical cords shall be properly used. Improper use includes running cords under rugs, over hooks, through door openings, or other use that has been known to be hazardous
441 IAC 110.8(1)"f"	A safety barrier shall surround any heating stove or heating element, in order to prevent burns.

Findings:

This was a combined change of address/pre inspection and annual compliance visit.

441 IAC 110.8(1)b. Electrical wiring shall be maintained. All accessible electrical outlets are safely capped or are tamper-resistant electrical outlets. All electrical cords are properly used. This means not found under rugs, over hooks, through door openings, etc...
441 IAC 110.8(1)f. Safety barrier surrounds any heating stove or heating element, in order to prevent burns.

Suggestions/Recommendations:

I encourage you to work with Child Care Resource and Referral for ongoing child care needs.

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Corrective Action Required:

Juanice needs to cap the electrical outlets in the bathroom. Juanice sent a picture of capped outlets shortly after our visit. Nothing further needed.
Juanice needs to secure the cords for both TVs that are mounted on the walls. Juanice sent a picture of this shortly after our visit. Nothing further needed.
Juanice needs a barrier to the heating element in the living room as it is in the wall and accessible for children to potential get burned. Since this is summer and the furnace is currently not being utilized, this is not required in order to process the change of address. Juanice needs to provide verification of this to Kathy by 8/20/2024. This can be emailed to kathy.huinker@hhs.iowa.gov or texted to 563-949-6971.

Change of address will be approved at this time.

Non-compliance with any of the mandated requirements listed above may lead to the cancellation or revocation of your Child Development Home Registration. Please take whatever steps are necessary to completely address each of the violations noted above. It is essential you correct all above-mentioned violations.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at DHS at 563-949-6971 or kathy.huinker@hhs.iowa.gov if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Kathy Huinker

Social Worker II

Sheila Aunspach

Social Work Supervisor

Always Remember:

Child Care Resource and Referral is an excellent resource for providers to access training options and support in your area. You can reach Child Care Resource and Referral at 877-216-8481

As you plan your future trainings to meet your 24 hours of training requirement, please remember that you can access the approved training by going to http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Consumers/Child_Care/Professional_Development.html

You may also access training at: https://ccmis.dhs.state.ia.us/trainingregistry/

All providers need to maintain compliance with rules set out in Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, which includes: 441 IAC 110.5(1): Check with the appropriate authorities to determine how the following local, state, or federal laws apply to you: • Zoning code • Building code • Fire code • Business license • State and federal income tax • Unemployment insurance • Worker's Compensation • Minimum wage and hour requirements • OSHA • Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).