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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Nicole Drees

Provider Name: Nicole Drees

Provider No.: 39821

Address: 1143 Vine ST, Carroll, IA, 51401

E-Mail:

County: Carroll

Phone Number: 7127900070

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 8/11/2026

Program Type:

- [ ] Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)
- [X] Registered Child Development Home B
- [ ] Registered Child Development Home C
- [ ] Registered Child Development Home C1
- [ ] Non Registered Child Care Homes accepting CCA

Program Population Served:

- [ ] Infant(0<24 mos)
- [ ] Toddler
- [ ] PreSchool
- [ ] School Age
- [X] All Ages

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1. Basic Overview

Nicole is a category B provider who has been providing childcare for 16 years. Her hours are mainly 7:15AM to 5:15Pm, Monday thru Friday, but is flexible in order to accommodate the parent's work schedule. She will also do an occasional weekend if needed. She takes children of all ages. Nicole participates in the food program and accepts state childcare assistance payments.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Nicole has extensive experience and reports loving what she does. Nicole has a calm and nurturing environment for the children in her care. Nicole is very organized as evident by her files that she was able to quickly locate and were in order. Her program is play based, but she does work in some preschool learning activities for the older children. They play outside a lot and enjoy going to the park and taking a picnic lunch. Nicole enjoys engaging the children in various food-based activities including, gardening, canning and meal prep.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Nicole met all HHS requirements for this compliance check.

4. Any corrective action plans, provisional license, and safety plans-steps to get into compliance

NA

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 Target Compliance of Emergency Preparedness Plan was in line with current operations.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Dave Jaehrling Date: 9/15/2026

Non-compliance with any of the mandated regulatory 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.

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 (712) 786-3489