Health and Human Services

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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Little Heartbeats LLC

Provider Name: Little Heartbeats LLC

Provider No.: 40620

Address: 2708 Barbina St, Perry , IA, 50220

E-Mail:

County: Dallas

Phone Number: 5154416336

[X] Pre-Inspection Date: 7/30/2026

[X] Approval Date: 7/30/2026

[ ] Annual Visit Date:

Program Type:

[X] Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)

[ ] 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

Sarah Salazar is experienced working with children. She has been a para-educator and a substitute teacher. She reported working for Childserve for six years. She reported many years of babysitting as a pre-teen and teenager. The childcare area is on the main level of the home. The provider reported she is still in the process of getting stations together for the children to play. She described her general plans for a day in her child care and how she plans to keep the children busy and engaged. The backyard is all fenced in and this will be the primary outdoor play space. The provider is excited to get started with families. She waited to start families until she is registered. She will be using Brightwheel as part of her program. She also plans to work with the food program.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

The provider has many years experience working with children who may have special needs. The provider has a well thought out informational packet for families.

The provider discussed how she will set up an area if she has infants who are crawling so they have their own space to move around that will keep them safe.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

The provider had all items ready for the pre-inspection walkthrough and is in full compliance with regulation standards.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 targeted compliance measure: Emergency Preparedness Plan. The provider has a completed EP plan that identifies planned actions for evacuation, shelter in place, lockdown, communication and reunification. The plan also addresses continuity of care in the event of a disaster at the location of the childcare.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Stacy Burris Date: 8/3/2026

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 Kelly Phelps 515-802-7292