Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Kellie Bachtle

Provider Name: Kellie Bachtle

Provider No.: 44790

Address: 1208 4th ST S, Northwood, IA, 50459

E-Mail:

County: Worth

Phone Number: 6412200007

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 3/9/2026

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

I conducted a compliance visit with Registered Child Development Home Category B provider Kellie Bachtle on 3/9/2026. Kellie has been involved in child care for 11 years. She continues using both the main and lower level of her ranch style home. The basement level is where most of the time is spent. She has an egress window and step system to serve as a second exit for that level. Kellie has a large, fenced in back yard for her outside play area. Kellie lives on the edge of town, a fairly rural setting. She has a current well statement showing her water source is safe. Kellie has one dog who has a current vet statement on file. Kellie had 3 countable children present during our visit and watches a total of 8. Kellie has no HHS-approved assistants or substitutes. She is due for her registration renewal effective 1/31/2027.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Kellie describes her strengths as being organized. She has good multi-tasking skills and an ability to focus on the needs of the children. Her curriculum offers a lot of free play mixed with some arts and music. She has a young group of children at this time and the activities reflect their abilities. The children have regular outside time as weather allows. Kellie has good open space in her lower level designated for child care space. She participates in the Food Program to enhance the nutrition of her snacks and meals.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Kellie was in compliance at this time.

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/recommendations

The 2026 targeted compliance for the Emergency Preparedness Plan was conducted. Kellie was in compliance, having a plan consistent with her current operation.

I encourage Kellie to work with Kathy Lloyd from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Kathy can be reached at: (319) 231-9405

Kellie had one infant under 12 months of age in care present during our visit who was awake. We reviewed safe infant sleeping policies.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow Date: 3/16/2026

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