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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Brenda Schrage

Provider Name: Brenda Schrage

Provider No.: 21831

Address: 550 Columbia AVE, Sumner, IA, 50674

E-Mail:

County: Bremer

Phone Number: 5635785048

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 7/21/2025

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 check with Registered Child Development Home Registered Category B provider Brenda Schrage on 7/21/2025. Brenda continues using the main floor only of her ranch style home. She had 7 children in care during my visit, and reported she stays at 8 or less kids. Brenda has no State approved substitutes or assistants. Brenda's home was clean, organized, and clutter free. She is not due for renewal of her registration until 10/31/2026.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Brenda reports having 30 years of experience in providing child care. Her curriculum is subject to change depending on the age of the children she has in care. She lives across the street from a public park, and described how the kids like when they take walks along the trails and have some of their outside play at the park. Brenda was up to date with her trainings, postings, and files. She maintains good control of her environment with 8 or less kids, no transporting, no pets, and an organized home environment.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

N/A

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I encourage Brenda to work with Katie Cruise from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Katie can be reached at: (319) 530-5265

I reviewed safe infant sleep policy with Brenda during our visit. She had one infant under 12 months in care and awake during our visit.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow Date: 7/23/2025

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