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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Ariel Reed

Provider Name: Ariel Reed

Provider No.: 52288

Address: 6936 HWY 34, Albia, IA, 52531

E-Mail:

County: Monroe

Phone Number: 6417771082

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 2/3/2026

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

Ariel has been a registered childcare provider since October 2023. Ariel's childcare hours are 7:00am to 5:00pm. Ariel accepts children of all ages. Ariel has one assistant and one assistant/substitute. Ariel's childcare is located on the lower level of her home, which has a direct exit to outside.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Ariel has recently completed a playground area, with climbing structures and fall surfacing. Ariel has also installed a fence with a gate, so the children are secured from the highway.

Ariel says that she has good communication skills with the children and their families, she also sends out a monthly newsletter. Ariel says that the children do a lot of crafts, hands-on activities and physical movement (music and dance). Ariel has wall-mounted toys, at a low level, for infants and toddlers. Ariel has a lot of educational toys and states that they do "circle time" daily.

During the compliance visit some children were completing a Valentine's Day craft and other children were playing in a playhouse area.

The door to the childcare has a coded lock and Ariel has security cameras.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Ariel was found to be in full compliance.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

Targeted Compliance: Emergency Preparedness Plan

Ariel's EPP was reviewed and found to be up to date.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Holly Bailey Date: 2/10/2026

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 Karen Laur can be reached at: 641-820-1922.