Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Honey's Daycare LLC

Provider Name: Honey's Daycare LLC

Provider No.: 44381

Address: 2124 University AVE , Des Moines, IA, 50311

E-Mail:

County: Polk

Phone Number: 5159913377

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 9/30/2025

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

Donna Gaddy has been a registered Child Development Home Provider since August of 2021. She has 2 substitute/assistants in her program. Donna renewed her license in August of 2025. Donna is allowed to have 8 preschool children and 4 additional school agers for 2 hours. If the school aged children are present longer an assistant needs to be present. There are 2 pet dogs and 3 pet cats in the home. Donna identified her hours of availability as 24 hours 7 days a week.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Donna is able to accommodate families with non-traditional schedules. She currently has morning, afternoon, and evening children. Donna renewed her registration in August of 2025, registration reviewed her required trainings as well as her substitutes and assistants. Donna participates with the Food Program, children in her care receive regular meals and snacks as appropriate. Donna and her sub/associates have completed Safe Sleep training and Safe Sleep is practiced in the Child Development Home. The main behavioral interventions in the Child Development Home are redirection and Time Out. Corporal punishment is not implemented in the CDH.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

All dogs and cats have annual examinations. Records of the exams are on file and must verify that routine immunizations are current and animal is free of endo and ecto parasites.
Form 470-5153, Pet Health Examination Veterinary Health Certificate, is on file.
110.9 (1) a : Within six months of becoming registered, a physical exam report documented on form 470-5152, Child Care Provider Physical Examination Report, for all household members over the age of 18. Physical exams should be repeated every three years.

1. Each year a DHHS Vet Pet Form needs to be completed by a qualified Vet and in the provider file. I left blank forms for you to take to the Vet.

2. DHHS Medical Physical Forms need to be completed every three years. I left 4 forms to be completed by a qualified medical professional.

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I encourage you to work with your Child Care Resource and Referral Worker (Heather Sheesley 515-360-7308) with any training or compliance efforts.

The above corrections need to be completed by 12/1/2025 and will be reviewed on your next annual compliance check.

If you have any questions regarding this compliance letter, please contact me at 515-601-9469 or jake.aringdale@hhs.iowa.gov.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Jake Aringdale Date: 9/30/2025

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