Iowa Department of Human Services

CHILD CARE CENTER COMPLAINT

Name of Center: Up With Kids - United Presbyterian Home **Enrollment:** 54 **License ID:** 24850

Street: 1203 E Washington St **City:** Washington **IA** **Zip Code:** 52353 **County:** Washington

Mailing Address: United Presbyterian Home1203 E Washington St

Mailing City: Washington **IA** **Zip Code:** 52353

Director's Name: Jill Klinzman **Center Phone Number:** 319-653-7522

On-Site Supervisors: Shelly Sojka and Kaitlin Kuenster **E-Mail Address:** jklinzman@uphome.org

Date of Complaint: 03-22-2023 **Date of Visit:** 03-22-2023

[ ] Scheduled **[ ]** Unannounced **[X]** NA

[X] Non-Compliance with Regulations Found **[ ]** Compliance with Regulations Found

RECOMMENDATION FOR LICENSE

[X] NO CHANGES to licensing status recommended

[ ] PROVISIONAL license from **to**

[ ] SUSPENSION of License

[ ] REVOCATION of License

Complaint Details:

Did this complaint result in a serious injury? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Did this complaint result in a death to a child? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Summary of Complaint:

An infant was found asleep in a bassinet type carrier.

Licensing Rules Relevant to the Complaint:

109.12(5)e The provider shall follow safe sleep practices recommended by AAP for infants under one year of age:Infants shall always be placed on their back for sleep.Infants shall be placed on a firm mattress with a tight fitted sheet that meets Consumer Product Safety Commission federal standards.Infants shall not be allowed to sleep on a bed, sofa, air mattress or other soft surface. No child will be allowed to sleep in any items not designed for sleeping but not limited to, an infant seat, car seat, swing, bouncy seat.No toys, soft objects, stuffed animals, pillows, bumper pads, blankets, or loose bedding shall be allowed in the sleeping area with the infant.No co-sleeping shall be allowed.Sleeping infants shall be actively observed by sight and sound.If an alternate sleeping position is needed, a signed physician or physician assistant authorization with statement of medical reason is required.

Inspection Findings:

The Child Care Resource and Referral Consultant for the program visited the center and observed an infant asleep in a `bassinet type carrier.

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On 3/22/23 Director Klinzman stated in an email, "In response to the baby that fell asleep in the bouncy seat. I removed all the bouncy seats and swings from the room. This will avoid any opportunities for a child to be placed in one and falling asleep before being placed in their crib. This is a big fear of mine, so it will bring me peace of mind as well. "

Special Notes and Action Required:

CCR&R provided a checklist, spoke to the director, and will be dropping off safe sleep books. She stated on 3/23/23 in an email to the Director, " I am going to drop some material off on safe sleep this Friday sometime between 11-1230 if that will work. If it's ok I'll speak with you infant staff and see if they have questions at that time about it.

I am going to connect you with the area nurse consultant, Toni Krana, to have her come in and cover safe sleep with any staff who work in the infant room. She can be reached at 563-639-8633 and emailed at toni.krana@unitypoint.org. We discussed that she also has a cute handwashing lesson for all ages to add some fun learning to the schedule that you could set up at a different time.

Thank you for letting me support your program. As always if you have questions please let me know."

I phoned CCNC Toni Krana and asked her to provide Safe Sleep information to the program on 3/23/23. In response to this incident the Director removed swings and seats from the infant room. If staff are not following Safe Sleep requirements administration is responsible for addressing this issue and if it continues policies should be followed regarding staff discipline. The center can access HHS, CCR&R or IDPH throughout the year on a multitude of issues specifically child health and safety.

I phoned the Director on 3/24/23 and she stated she set up a training with CCNC Krana on Safe Sleep with infant room staff on 3/30/23.

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Consultant's Signature:

Jill Seibert

Date:

03-24-2023