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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Amber Johnson

Provider Name: Amber Johnson

Provider No.: 31730

Address: 221 Hudson ST, Storm Lake , IA, 50588

E-Mail:

County: Buena Vista

Phone Number: 7122515379

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 6/9/2026

Program Type:

- [X] Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)
- [ ] 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

An unannounced compliance visit was completed on 6/9/26 at the level A registered child care home of Amber Johnson. Amber has been providing care as a registered provider for 6 months. She is open 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. M-F. She accepts all ages of children along with state child care assistance. Amber uses the Brightwheel app to communicate with parents and for billing.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Amber offers a learn through play program. She reports they enjoy arts and crafts and playing outside. She encourages child creativity and play.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Each smoke detector is tested monthly, and a record is kept for inspection purposes.
Fire and tornado drills are practiced monthly and documentation kept on file for the current year and previous year.
- Drill and documentation needs to start in July. This will be checked at next years compliance visit.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 targeted compliance of emergency preparedness plan was aligned with current operations.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Dave Jaehrling Date: 6/29/2026

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