Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Leisa Hilden-Keleher

Provider Name: Leisa Hilden-Keleher

Provider No.: 48011

Address: 2120 W Palmer AVE, Sioux City, IA, 51103

E-Mail:

County: Woodbury

Phone Number: 7125605838

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 6/11/2026

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

An unannounced child care compliance visit was completed on 6/11/26 at the level B child care home of Leia Hilden-Keleher. As a level B provider, she is allowed 8 full time children and 4 school aged children for 2 hrs. or less without an assistant present. Leisa currently does not have any approved assistants. Leisa has 20 years of experience providing care to children with 11 of those as a registered provider. She providers care from 4:30 a.m.- to 8:00 p.m. M-F. She accepts children of all ages and state child care assistance.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Leisa has a plethora of experience giving her a good understanding of children's development and behaviors. Leisa limits screen time and prefers active, outdoor play when weather permits. During the school year, Leisa provides some pre-school activities such as basic letters and numbers. They work on socializing, playing as a group and getting along with others. She provides a multi-cultural program.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

110.8 (1) g : Has not less than one 2A 10BC rated fire extinguisher in a visible and readily accessible place on each child-occupied floor.
Each smoke detector is tested monthly, and a record is kept for inspection purposes.
- Testing and record keeping needs to happen starting 7/1/26.
110.8 (1) r : Certificate of registration is displayed in a conspicuous place.
- This needs to be displayed and will be checked at next years compliance visit.
110.8 (3) a : All medicines and poisonous, toxic, or otherwise unsafe materials are secured from access by a child.
- These need to be moved or in a locked area immediately.
Fire and tornado drills are practiced monthly and documentation kept on file for the current year and previous year.
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110.9 (4) c : A signed medical consent from the parent authorizing emergency treatment.
110.9 (4) d : For infants and preschoolers: An admission physical examination, on the first day of attendance, including past health history, status of present health, allergies and restrictive conditions, and recommendations for continued care when necessary. The date of the exam is not more than 12 months before the child’s first day of attendance.
For school-aged children: On the first day of attendance, a statement of health status signed by the parent or legal guardian or admission physical examination that is not more than 12 months from the child’s first day.
110.9 (4) e : For infants and preschoolers: A statement of health signed by a physician submitted annually.
For school aged children: An annual statement of health condition signed by the parent or legal guardian, annually from date of statement of health or admission physical.
110.9 (4) f : For each school-age child, record of a physical exam completed at the time of school enrollment or since.
- Please go through all child files and get forms updated by 8/1/26. These 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 is compliant with current operations.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Dave Jaehrling Date: 6/23/2026

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