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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Applegarth Day care

Provider Name: Applegarth Day care

Provider No.: 49751

Address: PO Box 483, Solon, IA, 52333

E-Mail:

County: Johnson

Phone Number: 3198003493

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 6/23/2026

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

Colette has been a registered childcare provider since May 2018. Colette is a category B provider and she has no assistants or substitutes. Colette's childcare hours are 6:00am to 6:00pm, Monday through Friday. Colette accepts children of all ages.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Colette's lower level is under construction so the children were playing on the main level. Colette was caring for 8 children at the time of the compliance visit. Colette was preparing lunch and the children were watching a t.v. show and having "free play'. Colette was preparing a gluten-free pizza for one of her children who has dietary restrictions.

Colette says that the only schedule she has is mealtime and nap time. The children enjoy circle time, reading, singing songs, playing games, doing puzzles and crafts.They recently made Mother's Day and Father's Day crafts. Colette has a large, fenced yard with a lot of toys and climbing structures for the kids. Colette says that she does walk with the children to the community center to play in the gym or to the park and library.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

110.8 (4) b : Procedures are in place for: Evacuation to safely leave the facility, Relocation to a common, safe location after evacuation, Shelter-in-place to take immediate shelter where the child is when it is unsafe to leave that location due to the emergent issue, Lock down to protect children and providers from an external situation, Communication and reunification with families, Continuity of operations, and Procedures to address the needs of individual children, including those with functional or access needs.

1. Colette's Emergency Preparedness Plan needs to be updated with current names and contact information.

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

1. Colette will update her EPP and submit to HHS for review.

5. Special Notes/recommendations

Targeted Compliance: Emergency Preparedness Plan

Colette's EPP was reviewed and requires some contact information updates.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Holly Bailey 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 Lorri Hora can be reached at: 319-321-2725.