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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Cynthia Meyer

Provider Name: Cynthia Meyer

Provider No.: 22077

Address: 1712 S Coolidge AVE, Mason City, IA, 50401

E-Mail:

County: Cerro Gordo

Phone Number: 6414209784

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 3/30/2026

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

I conducted a compliance visit with Registered Child Development Home Category B provider Cynthia Meyer on 3/30/2026. Cynthia has been involved in child care for 35 years. She continues using her main floor only in the ranch style home. Cynthia maintains pretty good open space and a clutter free environment with one of the bedrooms also designated totally to child care play. Cynthia had 8 children present and a total of 14 in care at this time. Several are part time. Cynthia currently has 2 HHS-approved assistants she is using. She has a partially fenced back yard for her outside play area. Cynthia is due to renew her registration effective 12/31/2026.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Cynthia displayed good multi-tasking skills during my visit balancing attention to what I needed, serving lunch to the children, and preparing one to be picked up by the bus for afternoon pre-school. She describes her strengths as good experience, being organized, and her flexibility with the parents/children. Cynthia's curriculum consists mainly of free play mixed with activities. The children have lots of dancing, music, learning play, arts, and crafts. Cynthia participates in the Food Program to enhance the nutrition of her snacks and meals.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Cynthia was in compliance at this time.

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/recommendations

The 2026 targeted compliance for the Emergency Preparedness Plan was conducted. Cynthia was in compliance, having a plan consistent with her current operation.

I encourage Cynthia to continue working with Kathy Lloyd from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Kathy can be reached at: (319) 231-9405

Cynthia had 2 infants under 12 months of age awake during my visit. We reviewed safe infant sleeping policies.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow Date: 4/5/2026

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