Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Hillary Smith & Michael Smith

Provider Name: Hillary Smith & Michael Smith

Provider No.: 45124

Address: 914 Arnold ST, Glenwood, IA, 51534

E-Mail:

County: Mills

Phone Number: 4025157184

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 2/10/2026

Program Type:

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

Hillary and Michael Smith have a C2 home childcare. Hillary has provided childcare for the last ten years in Glenwood. Three years ago, they expanded from a B home to the C2 home to care for more children. Hillary reported that she has been involved in childcare since she was in high school. Michael was her helper around his work schedule prior to becoming the co-provider. The childcare home works with the food program to provide two full meals and one snack daily. The providers also use Brightwheel to maintain contact with parents throughout the day. The providers reported that they have 11 children enrolled in their care at this time. They have 9 preschool aged children and 2 school aged. The childcare space is the majority of the home. On the main level of the home, children utilize the living room and two bedrooms are used for napping. The lower level of the home has a large area as well for the children. This floor has an egress window and secondary emergency access through the garage if it is ever necessary. The lower level of the home also has an area set up for crafts and activities. The providers reported that they are currently mainly using the main level of the home with the ages of children they currently have in care. There are several toy options for the children when they are in care. The providers report being diligent about getting outside as the weather allows. They childcare has been growing a garden for the last several years. The garden includes flowers and plants for food growth. This morning the children had assisted in starting flower seeds in smaller pots in the lower level of the home.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

The providers work to maintain an active program with the children. There are learning opportunities along with free play and art during the day.

The providers are helping the children develop skills with clean up routines and maintaining a schedule throughout the day.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

The childcare home was in full compliance with regulation standards.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 targeted compliance measure: Emergency Preparedness Plan. The provider has a completed EP plan that identifies planned actions for evacuation, shelter in place, lockdown, communication and reunification. The plan also addresses continuity of care in the event of a disaster at the location of the childcare.

110.8 (3) e : Provider has procedures related to infectious disease and handling of bodily fluids including blood Soiled diapers are stored in containers separate from other waste.

**Please add wording to your handbook regarding this information. This supports the extra trash receptacle for soiled diapers, bloody items that are trash and vomit.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Stacy Burris Date: 2/11/2026

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 Shirley Urich 712-579-9057