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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: TLCare Center LLC

Provider Name: TLCare Center LLC

Provider No.: 26639

Address: 2647 17th ST SW, Altoona, IA, 50009

E-Mail:

County: Polk

Phone Number: 5157102471

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 4/20/2026

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

Tanya Luckett is a CDH Category C2 provider, living in Altoona. She has been a registered daycare provider since 2010. Tanya has one approved sub/assistant and an approved co-provider. Tanya lives in a 2 story house but only uses the main floor for her child care operation. Her home does not have a basement area.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Tanya Luckett was organized for our compliance check. Tanya had 8 children present during my visit, ages 6 months old to 5 year olds. She was able to locate trainings for me and provide care all of the daycare children. Tanya participates in the food program. Tanya and her co-provider do weekly activities around a theme. The children do daily calendar, work on their colors, ABC's and free play. When I was present, Tanya's co-provider was singing and playing the guitar with daycare children. Tanya said they practice tornado drills and they evacuate to the bathroom, since she does not have a basement. Tanya uses redirection and talks to daycare children, for discipline. Daycare children play in backyard and at the neighborhood park. Tanya and her co-provider have participated in Safe Sleep trainings and practice Safe Sleep regulations in the Child Development Home.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

At the time of my compliance visit, Ms. Luckett was in full compliance.

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

NA

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I encourage you to continue working with Heather Sheesley from Child Care Resource and Referral for any ongoing compliance or training needs. Heather can be reached at: (515) 360-7308.

Emergency preparedness plan met targeted expectations.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Ellen Abbott Date: 5/1/2026

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