



Health and
Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Tina Miller

Provider Name: Tina Miller

Provider No.: 31068

Address: 820 Cherry ST, Allison, IA, 50602

E-Mail:

County: Butler

Phone Number: 3199615722

- ☐ Pre-Inspection Date:
- ☐ Approval Date:
- ☒ Annual Visit Date: 4/21/2026
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Program Type:

- ☐ Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)
- ☐ 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
- ☒ All Ages



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1. Basic Overview

I conducted a compliance check with Registered Child Development Home Category C-2 providers Tina Miller and Taylor Brinkman on 4/21/2026. Tina has been involved with child care for 24 years. The providers are currently using both levels of the ranch style home. The basement level has an egress window with a step system to serve as a second exit. Seventy-five percent of the basement space is designated for child care only and includes a large open play room. They had 9 children present during the time of our visit and are currently caring for 12 children. Tina has six small dogs, all with current vet statements on file. They have a fenced back yard to use for their outside play area. Tina and Taylor have two HHS-approved substitutes though do not regularly use them. They are due to renew their registration effective 5/31/2026.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Tina and Taylor have been consistently improving over the past couple of years in the organization of their files and compliance items. They describe their strengths as patience with the children, and how they balance each other in the division of duties. Their curriculum includes a lot of "play to learn" at this time. They have a very young group of children. The kids were enjoying outside play during the time of our visit. Tina and Taylor like to work with shapes, colors and numbers with the young children. They have some future garden activities planned with the age appropriate kids as the weather warms up this spring. They participate in the Food Program to enhance the nutrition of their meals and snacks.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

110.9 (3) b : Within six months of approval, a Physical exam report documented on form 470-5152, Child Care Provider Physical Examination Report, which is repeated at least every three years.

- Tina needs to obtain a renewed health statement for her substitute Coleen to have on file. This needs to be completed using the State form she has a copy of and needs to be renewed every 3 years.

The above correction needs to be in place by 7/3/2026 and will be reviewed during their next visit.

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 completed. Tina and Taylor were in compliance having a plan consistent with their current operation.

I encourage Tina and Taylor to work with Katie Cruise from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.

Katie can be reached at: (319) 530-5265

Tina and Taylor have no infants under 12 months of age in care at this time. We reviewed safe infant sleeping policies for future reference.



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HHS Child Development

Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow

Date: 4/29/2026

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