12/13/2023

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Dear Child Care Provider:

This letter is in regards to the compliance visit at your Registered Child Development Home B conducted on 12/08/2023. Iowa Code Chapter 237A and 441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, describes specific requirements that must be met by a Registered Child Development Home. You are not a participant in the voluntary Quality Rating and Improvement System. The following areas were out of compliance at the time of the visit:

441 IAC 110.8(1)	**Facility Requirements**
441 IAC 110.8(1)“ c”	Combustible materials shall be kept a minimum of three feet away from furnaces, stoves, water heaters, and gas dryers

Findings:

441 IAC 110.8(1)“c” Combustible materials shall be kept a minimum of three feet away from furnaces, stoves, water heaters, and gas dryers

**Compliance staff checked the furnace and water heater area of the home. The household had several paint cans on the floor next to the furnace and there were rolls of wrapping paper laying against the water heater. It was discussed to move those items as soon as possible.

Suggestions/Recommendations:

Please remember to have a three foot distance between the furnace, water heater and any combustible material to ensure that there is no risk for fire or other hazard.

Corrective Action Required:

Your home is not in need of a recheck at this time.

If you have any questions, please contact compliance staff or your CCR&R representative, Bailey Hill 712-541-2432

Non-compliance with any of the mandated 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.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at DHS at 712-435-0576 or sburris@dhs.state.ia.us if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Stacy Burris

Social Worker II

Sheila Aunspach

Social Work Supervisor

Always Remember:

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 877-216-8481

As you plan your future trainings to meet your 24 hours of training requirement, please remember that you can access the approved training by going to http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Consumers/Child_Care/Professional_Development.html

You may also access training at: https://ccmis.dhs.state.ia.us/trainingregistry/

All providers need to maintain compliance with rules set out in Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110, which includes: 441 IAC 110.5(1): Check with the appropriate authorities to determine how the following local, state, or federal laws apply to you: • Zoning code • Building code • Fire code • Business license • State and federal income tax • Unemployment insurance • Worker's Compensation • Minimum wage and hour requirements • OSHA • Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).