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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Heidi Minnaert

Provider Name: Heidi Minnaert

Provider No.: 19315

Address: 211 Jefferson ST, Brooklyn, IA, 52211

E-Mail:

County: Poweshiek

Phone Number: 6419902903

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 4/1/2026

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:

- [X] Infant(0<24 mos)
- [X] Toddler
- [X] PreSchool
- [ ] School Age
- [ ] All Ages

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1. Basic Overview

Heidi has been a registered childcare provider since August 2009. Heidi is a category B provider and she has no assistants or substitutes. Heidi's childcare hours are 7:00am to 5:00pm, Monday through Friday. Heidi accepts children ages 6 weeks to 5 years old. Heidi participates with the food program and with CCR&R. Heidi's childcare is located on the main level of her home. Heidi has a large yard with a country-like setting.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Heidi says that she is very organized and she keeps her routine for the children structured. Heidi says that she believes in learning through play so she does not have a specific curriculum, but she teaches the children colors, letters, animals, etc.

Heidi says that the children do crafts and activities for each holiday and season. Heid says that the children enjoy playing outside, in her large yard. Heidi has a play structure and other outside toys for the children to play with. Heidi has a cupboard of activities such as puzzles and books, that she rotates frequently.

During the compliance visit, Heidi was caring for 6 children. The children were observed having a morning snack. Heidi had the children wash their hands before and after they ate. Heidi was observed encouraging the children to use manners and she patiently assisted two children with conflict resolution. A safe sleep crib environment was observed for the infant in Heidi's care.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Heidi was found to be in full compliance.

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

None.

5. Special Notes/recommendations

Targeted Compliance: Emergency Preparedness Plan

Heidi's EPP was reviewed and found to be appropriate and up to date.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Holly Bailey Date: 4/2/2026

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 Brenda O'Halloran can be reached at: 641-820-1923.