Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Joann Fiske

Provider Name: Joann Fiske

Provider No.: 22434

Address: 107 Indian AVE, Forest City, IA, 50436

E-Mail:

County: Winnebago

Phone Number: 6415852239

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 9/18/2026

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:

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

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1. Basic Overview

I conducted a compliance visit with Registered Child Development Home Category B provider Joann Fiske on 9/18/2026. Joann has been involved in child care for 50 years. She continues using the main floor only of her ranch style home. Her primary space is an open living room/dining room, and she has converted one of her bedrooms to a play room. Joann currently cares for 5 school age children, none were present during our visit. Joann has no HHS-approved substitutes or assistants at this time. She has a fenced back yard for an outside play area and is due to renew her registration effective 2/28/2027.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Joann has had a long career in child care and continues to enjoy her interactions with the children. She keeps low numbers allowing good attention to the kids. Joann describes her strengths as being able to maintain order, her kids know the expectations/routines, and she serves great meals to the children. Joann strives to create an environment where the kids have fun. She has no formal curriculum. Her current children are all school age and they spend lots of time either in free play or reading activities. When she has younger kids, her activities are simpler and involve shapes, colors, and numbers. Joann provides lots of outside time to the children whenever weather allows.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

110.9(1)b(1): "Two hours of approved child abuse and neglect mandatory reporter training".
- Joann's Mandatory Reporter training recently expired and needs to be renewed. This needs to be in place by 12/15/2026 and will be checked by the Registration Unit when she renews her registration 2/28/2027.

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 conducted. Joann was in compliance having a plan consistent with her current operation.

I encourage Joann to work with Shelly Skjeie from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Shelly can be reached at: (712) 541-9998

Joann currently has no infants under 12 months of age in care. We reviewed safe infant sleeping policies for future reference.

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Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow Date: 10/1/2026

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