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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Mary Fullerton

Provider Name: Mary Fullerton

Provider No.: 16919

Address: PO Box 94 , Maxwell, IA, 50161

E-Mail:

County: Story

Phone Number: 5153879564

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 6/9/2026

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 Mary Fullerton on 6/9/2026. Mary has been involved with child care for 27 years. She continues using the main floor only of her 2 story home. Mary only has 5 children in care at this time. She is planning to start a new infant later this month. Mary's main floor has an open design though she can use a series of gates to control access to rooms. Mary has 2 cats, both with current vet statements on file. She has no HHS-approved substitutes or assistants. Mary has a large, fenced in back yard for her outside play area. She is due to renew her registration effective 10/31/2026.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Mary currently has low numbers of children and good control of her environment. She describes her strengths as being calm, playful with the children, responsible, and reliable. Mary maintains a mostly play-based curriculum. She has a lot of free play time, regular outside time, and they do some arts/crafts about 3 times per week. The children were preparing to do a walk with Mary when I was ready to leave, trying to get them outside before the hot afternoon temperatures. Mary has lots of experience as a child care provider. Her files and trainings were up to date and organized. She participates with the Food Program to enhance the nutrition of her meals and snacks.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Mary was in compliance at this time.

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I conducted the 2026 targeted compliance for the Emergency Preparedness Plan. Mary was in compliance having a plan consistent with her current operation.

I encourage Mary to work with Cassie Strickler from Child Care Resource and Referral with any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Cassie can be reached at: (515) 782-3688

Mary has no current infants under 12 months of age in care but is planning to start one later this month. We reviewed safe infant sleeping policies for future reference.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Earl Crow Date: 6/9/2026

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