Iowa Department of Human Services

CHILD CARE CENTER COMPLAINT

Name of Center: Collins Aerospace Day Academy **Enrollment:** 291 **License ID:** 24371

Street: 1215 Skylee Blvd NE **City:** Cedar Rapids **IA** **Zip Code:** 52402 **County:** Linn

Mailing Address: 400 Collins Rd NE MS 167-100Rockwell Collins Inc

Mailing City: Cedar Rapids **IA** **Zip Code:** 52498

Director's Name: Miranda Niemi **Center Phone Number:** 319-295-4440

On-Site Supervisors: Shelly Ness **E-Mail Address:** miranda.niemi@collins.com

Date of Complaint: 03-27-2024 **Date of Visit:**

[ ] Scheduled **[X]** Unannounced **[ ]** NA

[X] Non-Compliance with Regulations Found **[ ]** Compliance with Regulations Found

RECOMMENDATION FOR LICENSE

[X] NO CHANGES to licensing status recommended

[ ] PROVISIONAL license from **to**

[ ] SUSPENSION of License

[ ] REVOCATION of License

Complaint Details:

Did this complaint result in a serious injury? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Serious Injuries include:

- Disabling mental illness.
- Bodily injury which creates a substantial risk of death, causes serious permanent disfigurement, or causes protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ.
- Any injury to a child that requires surgical repair and necessitates the administration of general anesthesia.
- Includes but is not limited to skull fractures, rib fractures, metaphyseal fractures of the long bones of children under the age of 4 years.

Did this complaint result in a death to a child? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Summary of Complaint:

On 3/27/2024, a complainant reported staff Patricia R grabbed a 2yo child from a chair resulting in a fall and broken thumb.

Licensing Rules Relevant to the Complaint:

109.12(2) Center shall have written policy on discipline of children which provides for positive guidance, with direction for resolving conflict and setting of limits.

Inspection Findings:

On 3/28/2024, licensing along with an additional DHHS person completed a visit to Collins Aerospace Day Academy. The following was based upon a face-to-face interview with director Mirada Niemi, a face-to-face interview with additional staff, observations while on-site, and review of (internal and external) administrative items:

109.12(2) Center shall have written policy on discipline of children which provides for positive guidance, with direction for resolving conflict and setting of limits. RULE VIOLATED.

- Information gathered indicated Patricia R did not follow the center's positive guidance policy.
- Information gathered indicated Patricia R pulled a child off a chair resulting in a fall and broken thumb.

- One staff is no longer working at Collins Aerospace Academy.

Special Notes and Action Required:

Based upon the above, no response to this report is requested.

*Note: If you are the Child Care Center Director and you feel something is unclear or unjustly cited, please contact your DHHS Licensing Consultant to discuss the issue. The child care director may also send a response which will be placed in the licensing file.

*Note: If you are a member of the general public, there may be additional information contained in the public file. You may contact the DHHS Licensing Consultant to inquire.

Consultant's Signature:

Amy Lyons

Date:

04-26-2024