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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Sarah Smith-Quintero

Provider Name: Sarah Smith-Quintero

Provider No.: 52575

Address: 321 N 2nd ST, Council Bluffs, IA, 51503

E-Mail:

County: Pottawattamie

Phone Number: 6053540450

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 11/19/2025

Program Type:

- [X] Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)
- [ ] 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

Sarah Smith-Quintero has been a registered provider for just over a year. She has a substitute who has been available to help her at needed times. The provider reported that their family will be moving soon, compliance staff discussed the steps that she will need to take after moving. The provider has four children enrolled in her childcare. She stated that this group is a great group of kids and families that she has. The provider reported that she has learned a lot over the last year in childcare and she has great ideas for the future.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

While compliance staff was visiting, I was able to observe the provider with the children in care. The provider interacted with all of the children. She used redirection with the children and talked with them.

The provider has multiple options for toys and activities to keep the children busy.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

The provider was in full compliance with regulations.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

Compliance staff discussed safe sleep, emergency preparedness and shared legislative updates.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Stacy Burris Date: 11/20/2025

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 Judea Robbins 712-579-7850