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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Veronicas Day Care LLC

Provider Name: Veronicas Day Care LLC

Provider No.: 50447

Address: 2111 Des Moines ST, Des Moines, IA, 50317

E-Mail:

County: Polk

Phone Number: 5157718636

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 5/21/2026

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

Veronica De Lara has been a registered provider since March of 2019. Veronica is currently a category "B" Child Development Home Provider. This allows Veronica to have 8 preschool children with an addtional 4 school aged children for a total of 12 children in care at one time for up to 2 hours. If there are more than at 8 children in care for more than 2 hours a DHHS approved assistant needs to be present. Veronica currently does not have an approved assistant. There is one pet dog in the home. Veronica does not provide transportation for the families in her care. Veronica's availability for care is 7 days a week from 6:30am to 10pm.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Veronica is an experienced Spanish speaking childcare provider. Veronica is current with her required trainings as reviewed by the Registration Unit. Veronica's home is clean and appropriate for childcare. Veronica has a variety of toys and activities for the children to interact with when in care. Veronica follows a routine during the day depending on the age of the children in care. There is an appropriate outdoor space for the children to access when weather allows. Veronica has completed Safe Sleep training, and this worker reviewed the policy through the provider, Veronica implements the practice when she has any children 12 months or younger in care. Veronica uses redirection and Time Out as her primary behavioral interventions when needed. Corporal punishment is not practiced in the Child Development Home. Children in Veronica's care receive regular meals and snacks as appropriate. Veronica's provider file and individual child files are complete, organized, and easily accessible.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Veronica met all expectations for this yearly compliance check.

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

None.

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I encourage you to work with your Child Care Resource and Referral Worker (Roxana Sixtos 515-202-1310) with any compliance or training efforts.

The Emergency Preparedness Plan meets Targeted Expectations.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at 515-601-9469 or jake.aringdale@hhs.iowa.gov.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Jake Aringdale Date: 5/22/2026

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