Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Adamson Child Development Home

Provider Name: Adamson Child Development Home

Provider No.: 27002

Address: 1302 W Mills ST, Creston, IA, 50801

E-Mail:

County: Union

Phone Number: 6417826191

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 3/17/2026

Program Type:

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

Tami Adamson has been providing childcare for 36 years. Kris Adamson joined her in the childcare business close to 20 years ago. The couple have a C2 childcare development home. When compliance staff arrived at the childcare, Tami had seven in one room with her and Kris had three younger children in a room with him, they were crawling around and playing with toys. Tami was busy with the preschool aged children doing circle time. They were talking about the weather; how it was cold the day before, but today it is supposed to be warmer. They are also talking about the letter T this week and talking about all the words that start with the letter T. The childcare uses the front room and living room areas. All activities take place in these spaces for the children. The home is set up with all required signage and emergency routes posted. The providers use Playground for their record keeping. The childcare is a level 3 IQ4K participant and they are ChildNet certified. They also provide appropriate meals by working with the food program and following guidelines of that program.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Compliance staff observed both providers with the children in care. Both providers give attention and support to the children in their care. They easily shift from one set of children to the other.

The program has a structured day. The children spend time playing at stations, dancing, circle time with Tami, and they go outside when the weather is appropriate. Other items include crafts and other activities based upon the time of the year. This is a system that the providers have had for years and it works for their childcare.

If issues arise between children, they will utilize redirection with the children.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Fire and tornado drills are practiced monthly and documentation kept on file for the current year and previous year.

**The providers reported that they had to take some time off late last year and early this year. There were two months that did not have documented efforts.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 targeted compliance measure: Emergency Preparedness Plan. The provider has a completed EP plan that identifies planned actions for evacuation, shelter in place, lockdown, communication and reunification. The plan also addresses continuity of care in the event of a disaster at the location of the childcare.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Stacy Burris Date: 3/20/2026

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 Shelby Nelson 712-579-8899