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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Tracy Edminster

Provider Name: Tracy Edminster

Provider No.: 51399

Address: 5125 Saratoga RD, Dubuque, IA, 52002

E-Mail:

County: Dubuque

Phone Number: 5635439512

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 8/31/2026

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:

- [X] Infant(0<24 mos)
- [X] Toddler
- [X] PreSchool
- [ ] School Age
- [ ] All Ages

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1. Basic Overview

Tracy has been involved in early childhood education in some form or another since she was 15 years old. Tracy has been a registered child care provider since 2021. Tracy accepts children aged three months through 5 years of age. Tracy does not currently have any openings. Tracy provides a child care setting that includes an open door policy for parents, open communication, and a curriculum for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers. Tracy has regular quarterly conferences with parents to discuss children's development. Tracy also works with parents on CDC milestones with their infants.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Tracy believes her greatest strength in working with children is that she fosters a sense of independence within the children. Tracy wants them to learn to do things for themselves and enjoys teaching them. Tracy has a large variety of toys available for all ages and stages of development. Tracy's environment is very welcoming and child-friendly. Tracy has a calming corner available to children if they need time alone or time to think over choices. Tracy is organized in her paperwork and keeps records up to date, making compliance visits quicker. Tracy is a participant in the CACFP food program for child care providers. Tracy works well with outside resources, including Child Care Resource and Referral.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

Tracy is fully compliant with regulations at this time.

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

Nothing further needed- fully compliant.

5. Special Notes/recommendations

Targeted compliance of Emergency Preparedness Plan completed - plan remains accurate and up to date.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Kathy Huinker Date: 8/31/2026

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 Child Care Resource & Referral of Northeast Iowa 2728 Asbury Road, #215 Dubuque, IA 52001 563-557-1628