IOWA HHS **Iowa Department of Health And Human Services**

CHILD CARE COMPLIANT

Name of Provider	County	
Learning Begins at Home Daycare	Johnson	
Care Address	**City**	**Zip Code**
2555 Clearwater CT	Iowa City	52246
Mailing Address	**Mailing City**	**Mailing Zip Code**
2555 Clearwater CT	Iowa City	52246
Phone	**Email**	
773-997-5758		

Date of Complaint:	09/08/2023	Date of Visit:	09/19/2023

Type of Visit

[X] Scheduled [ ] Unannounced [ ] N/A

Compliance Regulation

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

Recommendation for Registration:

[X] No Changes to registration status recommended

[ ] Revocation of Registration

[ ] Cancellation of Child Care Assistance Provider Agreement

Category of Care:

[ ] Category A

[ ] Category B

[X] Category C (with no co-provider)

[ ] Category C (with co-provider)

[ ] Non-registered Child Care Home with CCA Provider Agreement

Complaint Details:

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

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

Summary of Complaint:

It is reported that the provider is a registered category C1 child care provider and is billing for up to 14 children at any one time. As a C1provider she is limited to caring for 8 children at any one time.

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Rule Basis and Findings of Complaint(s):

1. 110.15(1)e If only one approved provider is present, not more than eight children are present. If only one approved provider is present, not more than 6 of the 8 children may be 24 months of age or younger and of these 6 children, no more than 3 are 12 months of age or younger.

SW Bailey discussed with Tamika that she has been billing for up to 14 children at any one time. Tamika stated that she has an assistant and thought that she was able to care for that many children as a C provider. SW Bailey explained to Tamika that she is only a C1 provider and that even with an assistant, she is limited to 8 children at any one time. SW Bailey discussed with Tamika the options of becoming a category B provider, so that she would be able to provide care for up to 12 children with an assistant, but still be limited to 8 preschool children at any one time. SW Bailey also discussed with Tamika the possibility of becoming a C2 provider which would allow her and a co-provider to provide care for up to 14 preschool children at any one time, plus an additional 2 school aged children.

Tamika was receptive to this information and immediately was calling registration to seek information about becoming a C2 provider with her current assistant. Tamika informed SW Bailey via text message on 9/19/2023 that she had contacted registration about changing to a category C2 and would be completing the application as soon as she received it. Tamika also stated that she had reached out to some of her parents to let them know that she would have to discontinue care until further notice.

Resolution and Action Required:

Tamika agrees not to care for more than 8 children at any one time, including her one of her own children who is under school age. Tamika is currently exploring the option of becoming a C2 provider with her current assistant.

Consultant's Signature:	Holly Bailey	**Date of Visit:**	09/20/2023
Supervisor Signature:	Sheila Aunspach	**Date of Visit:**	09/21/2023