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CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Gina Saldana

Provider Name: Gina Saldana

Provider No.: 41528

Address: 120 E Payton AVE, Des Moines, IA, 50315

E-Mail:

County: Polk

Phone Number: 5157706413

- [ ] Pre-Inspection Date:
- [ ] Approval Date:
- [X] Annual Visit Date: 9/30/2026

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

Gina Saldana is a CDH Category A provider, living in Des Moines. She has been a registered daycare provider since 2013. Gina Saldana provides care in a one story house and only uses the main floor for her child care operation. Gina speaks both English and Spanish.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Gina Saldana was organized for our compliance check. At the time of my compliance visit, one child was present age 18 months old. We reviewed all safe sleep regulations. Gina has cribs for infants to sleep in. Gina said the daycare children play in her fenced in front yard. Gina provides care Monday-Friday 7am to 5pm. Gina said the daycare children like to play with toys, work on their colors, do their ABC's, write letters, play outside and do arts and crafts. Gina said she uses redirection for discipline. Gina is part of the food program.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

NA

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

At the time of my compliance visit, Gina Saldana was in full compliance.

5. Special Notes/recommendations

I encourage you to continue working with Roxana from Child Care Resource and Referral for any ongoing compliance or training needs.
Roxana: 515-246-3507 Ext. 2387
Work Cell: 515-202-1310

Emergency preparedness plan met targeted expectations.

HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Ellen Abbott Date: 10/1/2026

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