

Iowa Department of Human Services
CHILD CARE CENTER EVALUATION AND RECOMMENDATION FOR LICENSE

Name of Center: Campus for Kids Daycare **Enrollment:** 38 **License ID No. (Reapplications)** 19821

Street: 108 5th ST **City:** Durant **Iowa** **Zip** 52747 **County:** Cedar

Mailing Address: 108 5th ST, Durant, IA, 52747

Director's Name: Stacy Brooks **Phone Number:** 563-785-6744

On-Site Supervisor(s): Donna Sorensen **E-Mail:** cfk@iowatelecom.net

Date(s) of Visit: 05-25-2023

X **Licensing Visit** X **Unannounced Visit** **Off Year Visit** **Administrative Change**

LICENSING VISITS

New Application X **Re-Application** NA

Signed Application (470-0722) Received X **Yes** **No** **NA** **Date Signed:** 06-02-2021

FIRE INSPECTION X **State** **Local** **NA** **Is Fire Inspection Approved?** X **Yes** **No** **NA**

Date Inspected: 04-27-2023

Comments : Does Comply.

LICENSE TYPE: X **Child Care** **Preschool (ages 3-5 meets three hours or less per day)**

Financial Type: Profit X Non-Profit NA

Accreditation: Accredited NAEYC NSACA Other X NA

Program Serves: X Infants (0-23 mo.) X 2 Years X Preschool-Age School-Age
 Get-Well Evening Care Special Needs

SCHEDULE: X Year-round School-Year Summer Only

HOURS:	<u>Year-round</u>		<u>School-Year</u>	<u>Summer Only</u>	
LICENSE CAPACITY	Infants	2 Years	Preschool	School-Age	Capacity
General	18	12	23		53
Summer					0

QRS Rating: N/A

RECOMMENDATION FOR LICENSE:	
X	FULL license from 08-01-2023 to 08-01-2025
	PROVISIONAL license from
	DENIAL of initial application
	SUSPENSION of license
	REVOCATION of license

Licensing Consultant: Heidi Brown

Date: 05-26-2023

I. IF CURRENT LICENSE IS PROVISIONAL, IDENTIFY THE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS

N/A

II. IDENTIFY THE AREAS OBSERVED ON THE VISIT:

The center remodeled the building next to the current center (Address: 200 5th Street). They added 30 preschool aged children. The building is one large classroom, a kitchen and two restrooms.

This worker arrived at Campus for Kids Daycare on 5/25/2023. The center provides childcare for infants-preschool aged children. The center is open from 6am to 6pm. The center has 38 children enrolled. The center is located inside of two commercial buildings. The center is nonprofit. The center's fire inspection was completed on 8/23/22 and 4/27/23.

The director is Stacy Brooks. Stacy has an Associate's Degree in General Education. She started in 2007.

The onsite supervisor is Donna Sorensen. Donna has her Child Development Associate's. She started in 2015.

This worker observed all classrooms. The center's curriculum is teacher created.

Nutritional practices were checked. The center provides breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack. The kitchen was maintained in a clean/orderly fashion.

Health and safety practices were also reviewed. The center had completed their fuel burning appliance inspection and radon inspection. They had a fully stocked first aid kit.

The center does not offer field trips.

The center's policies, licensing notebook, staff files and child files were reviewed. The center also had required postings.

III. IDENTIFY THE OBSERVED STRENGTHS OF THE CENTER:

- The center has maintained the director since 2007.
- The center is on Child and Adult Care Food Program.
- The center accepts Child Care Assistance.
- The center director has an established working relationship with CCR&R, the CART Program, and the nurse consultant.

IV. IDENTIFY THE ASPECTS OF OPERATION THAT FALL BELOW THE STANDARDS REVIEWED:

109.9(1)b: All files contain: A signed copy of DHS criminal history record check or any other permission form approved by the Department of public Safety for conducting an Iowa or national criminal history check. A copy of Request for Child Abuse Information. Copies of the results of Iowa records checks conducted. Copies of national criminal history check

results. Any Department-issued documents sent to the center related to records check.
-One employee needs a record check evaluation completed.

109.11(3)a: Center shall ensure that: Facility and premises are sanitary, safe, and hazard free.

-Ensure that staff purses are inaccessible.

<https://poisoncontrol.utah.edu/sites/g/files/zrelqx281/files/media/documents/2021/PursePoster.pdf>

V. SPECIAL NOTES/RECOMMENDATIONS:

Based upon this review, it is recommended that this center remain in Full licensing status. It is important to note, all DHS licensing standards and procedures must be maintained during the renewal period.

The following agencies are available to provide consultation, support, and educational opportunities:

CACFP: <https://educateiowa.gov/pk-12/nutrition-programs/child-and-adult-care-food-program>

Child Care Resource and Referral: https://iowaccrr.org/staff/region_5/

Early Childhood Iowa: <https://earlychildhood.iowa.gov/>

First Children's Finance: <https://www.firstchildrensfinance.org/>

Healthy Child Care Nurse Consultants: <https://idph.iowa.gov/hcci/consultants>

Iowa AEYC: <http://www.iowaaeyc.org/>

Iowa After School Alliance: <https://www.iowaafterschoolalliance.org/>

Iowa State University: <https://www.extension.iastate.edu/humansciences/early-childhood>

4c's of Johnson County: <https://www.iowa4cs.com/>

*Note: If you are the Child Care Center Director and you feel something is unclear or unjustly cited, please contact your DHS Licensing Consultant to discuss the issue. The child care director may also send a response which will be placed in the licensing file.

*Note: If you are a member of the general public, there may be additional information contained in the public file. You may contact the DHS Licensing Consultant to inquire.