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CHILD CARE CENTER ANNUAL EVALUATION

Name of Center: Little Angels Child Care Center LLC

Provider No.: 24267

Address: 72 1st ST SW, Swisher, IA, 52338

County: Johnson

Director's Name: Elysia Goebel

On-Site Supervisor: N/A

Phone Number: 3199290892

E-Mail: Littleangelschildcarecenterllc@gmail.com

HHS Visit Date: 08/26/2026

Licensing Period: 06/01/2026 to 06/01/2028

Fire Inspection:

Date Inspected: 12/14/2023

Comments: Does Comply.

Report Visit Type:

- [ ] PTO
- [X] Licensing Visit
- [ ] Drop In
- [ ] Administrative Change

License Type:

- [X] Full
- [ ] Provisional

Quality initiative:

Quality Rating: 1

- [ ] Accrediation

Program Duration:

- [X] Year-Round
- [ ] School Year
- [ ] Summer Only

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HOURS:	*Year-round*	*School-Year*	*Summer Only*
Sunday			
Monday	6:30 AM to 5:30 PM		
Tuesday	6:30 AM to 5:30 PM		
Wednesday	6:30 AM to 5:30 PM		
Thursday	6:30 AM to 5:30 PM		
Friday	6:30 AM to 5:30 PM		
Saturday			

Program Population Served:

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

LICENSE CAPACITY	Infants	2 Years	Preschool	School-Aged	Capacity
General	22	14	22	17	75
Summer					0

1. Basic Overview

This worker arrived at Little Angels Child Care Center LLC - 24267 on 8/26/2026. The center is located inside of a commercial building. The center uses five classrooms, a kitchen and an office. The center's fire inspection was completed on 12/14/2023. The center is open: year around Monday-Friday from 6:30am to 5:30pm. The center provides care for infants-school aged children. The center's current enrollment is 47 children.

The director is Elysia Goebel. She has been with the center since 9/2000. Ms. Goebel has a bachelor's degree in elementary education.

This worker observed all programming space in the center and outdoor area to ensure that the environment was safe, sanitary and hazard free.

The center staff provided careful supervision during the visit. The center was in ratio during the visit.

The center ensures that medication is stored and documented appropriately, handwashing procedures are followed, staff know how to use the cleaning, sanitizing and disinfecting products and diaper changing procedures were followed. Safe sleep practices were observed.

The center provides breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack. The center ensures that each child is served a full, nutritionally balanced meal/snack as defined by CACFP guidelines. Staff provided careful supervision at the table during snacks and meals. Sanitary and safe methods in food preparation, serving, and storage sufficient to prevent transmission of disease, infestation, and spoilage were followed. Menus were posted.

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The center's curriculum is teacher created. The center does offer field trips for preschool aged children once a month. School aged children go on field trips 4 times a week during the summer. Examples include Fossil Forge, museums, orchard, splash pads, etc.

All required postings were displayed on the date visit. Child files were in full compliance. Staff files were in full compliance.

The licensing notebook was in full compliance including floor plans, drills, first aid checklist, playground inspections, fuel burning inspection, radon testing, staff handbook/parent handbook and emergency preparedness.

2. Identify Observed Strengths of the program

-The center offers a smaller family like setting.
-The center has two staff currently completing EMT training.
-The center has experienced employees: Elysia 2000, Michelle 2000, Melissa 2005, Mariam 2013 and Tiara 2016.
-The center uses Brightwheel for parent communication.
-The center also uses Brightwheel for staff files, child files, sign in/out and billing.
-The center serves nutritious meals and snacks.
-The center has done a great job of maintaining directors and lead teachers.
-Farm to Table provides some fresh fruit and vegetables to the center.

3. Identify the aspects that fall below the standard

The center was in full compliance on the date of my visit.

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

N/A

5. Special Notes/Recommendations

-The center could benefit from adding a dividing wall/gate in the infant room to ensure non-mobile infants have a safer environment from the more mobile infants.
-The center is encouraged to replace some rugs.
-The center is encouraged to purchase u chairs for the infant room and refrigerator locks.
-The center does need some additional fall surfacing.

Based upon the annual visit, it is recommended that this center remain in full licensing status. If citations are issued, please ensure that they are corrected as soon as possible. It is important that the director and all staff review the updated Iowa Code 109 Iowa Administrative Code and Comm. 204: Comm. 204, Child Care Centers and Preschools Licensing Standards and Procedures

This worker encourages all centers to work with Child Care Resource and Referral Consultant Child Care Resource & Referral - Iowa CCR&R and their Child Care Nurse Consultant Healthy Child Care Iowa | Health & Human Services. Care Resource & Referral Consultants assists centers through training/professional development, licensing/regulatory support, developing policies/procedures and achieving best practice standards (Iowa Quality for Kids (IQ4K®). Child Care Nurse Consultants assists centers through on-site consultation, training, technical assistance, information and referrals and care planning for children with special health needs.

Date: 10/05/2026

HHS Licensing Consultant: Heidi Brown

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Non-compliance with any of the mandated regulatory requirements listed above may lead to the cancellation or revocation of your Child Care License. Please take steps necessary to completely address each of the violations noted above.

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 **https://iowaccrr.org**.