

CHILD CARE COMPLIANT

Name of Provider Destiny Reed		County Clinton	
Care Address 515 4th AVE S		City Clinton	Zip Code 52732
Mailing Address 515 4th AVE S		Mailing City Clinton	Mailing Zip Code 52732
Phone 563-212-1319		Email	
Date of Complaint:	07/28/2025	Date of Visit:	07/30/2025
Type of Visit			
☐ Scheduled ☒ Unannounced ☐ N/A			
Compliance Regulation			
☒ Non-Compliance with Regulations Found ☐ Compliance with Regulations Found			
Recommendation for Registration:			
☒ No Changes to registration status recommended ☐ Revocation of Registration ☐ Cancellation of Child Care Assistance Provider Agreement			
Category of Care:			
☐ Category A ☒ Category B ☐ 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:			
On 7/16/25 CCR&R worker was on a home visit to Destiny's child development home. Upon arrival, the consultant saw an infant asleep in a crib on a Boppy Pillow and a light blanket also in the crib. The consultant informed Destiny she was not following safe sleep guidelines for infants and the assistant immediately removed the items from the crib. The consultant informed the provider that she would be making a report to HHS regarding safe sleep violations.			

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Code of Iowa, Chapter 237 A

441 Iowa Administrative Code, Chapter 110

441 IAC 110.8(5) Safe sleep. a. Provider shall follow safe sleep practices as recommended by AAP for infants under one year of age. Infants are placed on back to sleep. Infants are placed on firm mattress with tight fitted sheet that meets CPSC standards. Infants shall not be allowed to sleep on bed, sofa, air mattress, or other soft surface. No toys, soft objects, stuffed animals, pillows, bumper pads, blankets or loose bedding is allowed in the sleeping area.

This complaint was first observed by CCRR worker on 7/16/25, however, there was a delay in getting the complaint received by the Child Care complaint hotline. It was received by the hotline on 7/28/2025. This worker completed a verbal safety plan with Destiny on the phone on 7/29/2025. Destiny agreed she would follow safe sleep practices at all times and would ensure there was nothing additional in the crib. A safe sleep referral was made to the Child Care Nurse Consultant as well as Child Care Resource and Referral on 7/28/2025. Chris McClimon, CCNC for Clinton County child care providers, met with Destiny on 7/29/2025 regarding the received safe sleep referral. Destiny did not have any infants in care on this date. CCNC McClimon reviewed Healthy Child Care Iowa (HCCI) safe sleep policy for child care providers. Destiny had already written a new safe sleep policy prior to the visit with CCNC that included infants being placed in cribs without blankets or any other items. CCNC talked with Destiny about several bottles of lotions and hand sanitizers that were within reach of children. These items were moved to an inaccessible location in the presence of the nurse consultant. The nurse consultant also talked with Destiny about an almost two year old child that still sleeps in a crib. Destiny admitted the child was getting close to being able to climb out of the crib. Additional sleeping arrangements for this child were discussed to ensure all children have a safe sleep environment. CCNC McClimon encouraged Destiny to apply for the new grant coming out shortly to help purchase new mattresses for her cribs.

This worker completed an unannounced visit with Destiny on 7/30/2025 to address the current concern and complete her required annual compliance visit. A written safety plan was completed with Destiny on 7/30/2025 regarding safe sleep violation. There were no children sleeping during this visit, however, safe sleep requirements were discussed at length with Destiny during the visit. A full compliance visit was also completed on this date. A follow up safety visit was completed with Destiny on 8/19/2025. There were no children sleeping during the time of this visit.

CCRR consultant Alicia Wagner met with Destiny on 8/7/2025 regarding the safe sleep referral. Destiny reviewed her earlier meeting with CCNC McClimons stating that the CCNC brought her a couple of sleep sacks and they also talked about safe sleep. CCRR Wagner asked what Destiny still required for safe sleep environments. Destiny reported that she has two cribs in the basement to see if she can switch them out for the two she is wanting to replace. CCRR Wagner will work with Destiny on applying for the Growing Iowa grant once it becomes available. CCRR Wagner encouraged Destiny to get rid of any boppy pillows since they now are only recommended for breastfeeding mothers.

CCNC completed a safe sleep checklist with Destiny on 7/30/2025. CCNC McClimons sent this worker the completed checklist on 8/14/2025.

Findings:

Destiny was found to be in non-compliance safe sleep practices as observed by CCR&R on 7/16/25.

Resolution and Action Required:

Destiny will follow the safety plan surrounding safe sleep requirements at all times. Destiny will work with CCRR on applying for the upcoming grant and look into purchasing new mattresses for her cribs as recommended by CCNC McClimons. Destiny will continue to cooperate with both CCNC and CCRR workers.



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Consultant's Signature:	Kathy Huinker	Date of Visit:	08/19/2025
Supervisor Signature:	Sheila Aunspach	Date of Visit:	08/21/2025