Health and Human Services

Iowa Department of Health And Human Services

CHILD CARE ANNUAL EVALUATION

Business Name: Marcia Grimm

Provider Name: Marcia Grimm

Provider No.: 25791

Address: 1010 Park LN, Osceola, IA, 50213

E-Mail:

County: Clarke

Phone Number: 6414149696

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

Program Type:

- [ ] Registered Child Development Home A (guidelines for ratios on all categories)
- [X] 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

Marcia Grimm has been a child care provider for many years. She does have an assistant who is available to help her if it is needed. The provider works with the food program and provides healthy meals and snacks to children in her care. There were five children in care at the time of the visit. The provider reported that she normally has seven children, but two are currently out for illness. The children were playing in the playroom with toys when compliance staff arrived. There was one younger child in a pack n play in the main area of the home. This child has stranger danger and became upset when compliance was in that area. The provider did pick up and carry the child for a little bit in hopes to help the upset. The childcare is located on the main level of the home. The childcare utilizes the living room, dining and kitchen area and three bedroom spaces on the main floor of the home.

2. Identify Observed Strengths Of The Program

Compliance staff observed the providers interactions with the children. She moved between the playroom and main area of the home keeping eyes on the children. She also has set up a camera in the playroom that she can watch on her phone if she is cooking or feeding the younger child.

The provider uses a firm voice with the children when they are not following the rules. She uses direct statements to the children. She offers the child a different activity or toy, when redirection does not work she does have the child sit in the dining area for a few minutes.

The provider reported she started a preschool program for the children in her care. She has refurbished one of the main floor bedroom/storage areas to a classroom for the children. She has the space all set up for learning activities. She works with the children to learn letters and numbers. She reported that there are a lot of books that go along with the curriculum that she uses. She reported that some of the parents are helping her to try and find some of the identified books.

3. Identify The Aspects That Fall Below The Standard

110.9 (4) e : For infants and preschoolers: A statement of health signed by a physician submitted annually.
110.9 (4) g : A signed and dated immunization certificate provided by the state Department of Public Health.

**When looking through child files, compliance noted that files are missing updated physicals and immunization records based upon the ages of the children. Please work with your families to obtain needed updated physical information for your child files. These will be reviewed at your next compliance visit.

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

5. Special Notes/recommendations

2026 targeted compliance measure: Emergency Preparedness Plan. The provider has a completed EP plan that identifies planned actions for evacuation, shelter in place, lockdown, communication and reunification. The plan also addresses continuity of care in the event of a disaster at the location of the childcare.

This is a reminder that you and your assistant's mandatory reporter training expires at the end of February 2027.

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HHS Child Development
Home Compliance Worker: Stacy Burris Date: 9/11/2026

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 Michelle Greenough 515-802-8022