South Carolina Department of Social Services Office of Child Care Licensing INSPECTION VISIT FORM FOR LICENSED CENTERS

Facility Name: Lowcountry Day Preschool

Permit #: 25267

Address: 357 Red Cedar Street BLUFFTON, SC 29910

Signature of Child Care Licensing Specialist:

	Date of Inspection:
	Time of Inspection: 5:08
Type of I	nspection: 🗆 Annual 💋 Complaint
	Up (Original Inspection
Date:	
Reason f	or Follow up:
□ Pending	g Deficiencies
□ Self-Re	ported incident

Telephone #: 843-815-2271	Any changes in contact info (Phone/Email/Fax)? Yes	No	□ Self-Reported Incident
Center Director/Designee: Lindsay Mars	hall		4,
Change in Ownership or Director? - Ye	es 🙀 No If yes, Name:		
Maximum number of children: 287	Building 1: Building 2:	•	Building 3:
Maximum number of infants: 87	□ 24 months 2 30 months □ 1-4 facility		Infants are in designated rooms? ₩Yes □ No □ N/A
Items posted in public view: 📈 Licens	Does facility transport children? Yes No N/A		
ABC Quality No	lead Start □ Yes Alo Public Schools □ Yes Alo)	Overnight Care? Yes No

Overnight Care? D Yes No Hours of Operation: M-7:00AM-6:15PM T-7:00AM-6:15PM W-7:00AM-6:15PM Th-7:00AM-6:15PM F-7:00AM-6:15PM

MANAGEMENT, ADMINISTRATION & STAFFING 114-503		Щ.		SUPERVISION 114-504	S		900
	С	N	N/A		С	N	N
taff files are in compliance H(1-7)	<u> </u>	4		Adequate supervision throughout facility A(1-2)	0	4	-
raining hours up-to-date K(5)(b-c)	0		4	Facility following tracking of children procedures A(3)	4		\vdash
at least 1 person with CPR & 1 St Aid on the premises K(5)(h)			1	Ratios adequate in all classrooms and on playground B, C		Æ	
HEA				& SAFETY 114-505			
	C	N	N/A		С	N	1
Children's faces/hands are clean B(1)	-	□		Proper diaper changing practices were observed F(1-16)	1		
fledicine and harmful items labeled and stored properly D(2)	0	0	P	Proper handwashing practices were observed G(4)	-	0	
First Aid kit in facility and in vehicle if transport E(1), I(1)(g)	0		8 2.	No smoking/consumption of alcoholic beverage A(3)		0	1
Current Emergency Preparedness Plan H(3)	0		12	Emergency Medical Plan C(1)			
PHYSICA	L SITI	E 114-	507				0000
BUILDING	C.	N	N/A	PLAYGROUND	С	N	N
/entilation and lighting & sufficient A(2)(a-d), (4)	6	0	0	Playground equip. safe & firmly anchored B(7)	0	0	7
lo strangulation/choking/suffocation hazards A(5)(g)	6			Adequate cushioning material; at least 6ft fall zone B(9)	0	0	,
Ceiling, floors, windows, doors free from hazards A(5)(d)	6	0	0	Fencing/safety barriers 4ft. in height, in good repair B(4)			
Building(s) temp between 68-80°F A(7) If no, close in 4 hrs.	10	0	D	Outdoor space free from hazards and litter B(2)			0
acility free from pest problems (Insects, rodents) A(8)(b-c)	1	0	0	RESTING	С	N	I
All potentially harmful items including cleaning supplies, flammable				Play Pens observed C(4)			Г
products, poisonous, toxic, hazardous and materials are labeled and	1_		l	The state of the s			
tored in locked area out of children's reach. Bio-contaminants are	4	† ^{''}	u		"		1
lisposed of properly. A(5)(c) (e), A(8); E(1),(4)	1						-
Electrical outlets are securely covered A(11)(c)	o	0	Z	Cribs meet federal standards (reviewed certificate) D(1)	8		
Sink area has running water A(12)(d)		0	4	Cots, mats, cribs labeled or charted for each child D(2)	D		1
Soap and disposable towels available at sink A(12)(i)	0	0	4	PROGRAM 114-506	C	N	N
Furniture, toys & equipment are clean and in good repair C(1)	0	0	4	Written, planned, daily program of activities that is	-	_	
Furniture, toys & equipment meets the CPSC standards C(2)	0	0	*	developmentally & age appropriate observed A(1-3)	2		
fealthy animals, not permitted if allergic E(4)	0	Ò	4	Positive, non-abusive discipline practice B(1)	0	*	200
Other environmental allergies (Policy #120)	0	0	P			0	
MEAL REQ	UIREI	MENT		08	145	X.	
	С	N	N/A	AND THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER	С	N	٨
Meals & snacks in compliance with USDA A(1)(b)	0		V.	Round, firm foods are not offered to children under 4 yrs. old,	0		
Clean, wholesome, unspoiled, properly labeled food A(4)		0	12	unless properly cut to prevent choking risk A(3)	0	D	D
Food preparers have proper hair restraints B(5)	0	0	3	Food stored & handled properly D(1)	0	0	•
Refrigerators have thermometers, temp under 45°F D(2-3)	<u> </u>		10	All cleaning & poisonous items stored away from food D(8)			1
Prevention and response to food allergies A(9-10)		D			0	0	2600
INFANT CARE 114-509		. A.	AHA	TRANSPORTATION 114-505 I		N.	
-fast- are alread as their traditional to all are A/EV-1	C	N	N/A	Mahiala has menor safety vactorints 9 in good rangir (/4)	С	N	
nfants are placed on their back to sleep A(5)(a)	-		4	Vehicle has proper safety restraints & in good repair I(1)			1
lo bottles propped or given in cribs or on mats A(3)(c)			4	Checklist for loading/unloading children reviewed (2)(d)			-
Food for toddlers cut in pieces ½ inch or less A(3)(k)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	€ 1	Driver's (valid) driver's license reviewed (1)(f)			t
Food for infants cut in pieces ¼ inch or less A(3)(j)	ļ <u>-</u>		EL.	C Compliant with Beautation			
Crock pots, bottle warmers, are inaccessible to children, No nicrowaving of beverages observed A(3)(d)	0	0	æ	C-Compliant with Regulation N-Noncompliant with Regulation			
Cups and bottles labeled with child's name & used only by that child		_		Violations noted at the time of visits Yes □ No			
A(3)(a)	, 0		₩.	Any violations corrected onsite 2 Yes - No DSS Form 2910 r	needed	Yes	50
Signature of Director/Operator/Designee:	A H		1/	Date: 8/20/25 Refused to sign			

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<u>Division of Early Care and Education</u> <u>Deficiency Correction</u>

NAME OF PROVIDER/OPERATOR LOWCOUNTRY Day Preschool PERMIT #25267

Deficiency Cited	Corrective Action Needed	Expected Date of Correction 8/20/25		
1 unauthorized caregivers- no Central registry checks	Director will complete a central reg check			
3 children-improperly supervised due to an unauthorized caregiver present	authorized caregivers must care for children	8/20/25		

Providers/Operators are required by regulations and statutes to be in compliance at all time.

Licensing Specialist January	Date_	9/8/25
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