



## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES

COMMISSIONER

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October 13, 2015

Deborah Bailey  
306 E RANDOL MILL RD  
ARLINGTON, TX 76011-5839

Operation #1517282  
Above and Beyond Center for Children

Investigation # 2169334

Dear Mrs. Bailey:

Your operation, Above and Beyond Center for Children located at 503 E 6TH ST, IRVING, TX 75060-4205, was recently investigated because the Department received a report concerning possible deficiency or deficiencies of the Minimum Standard Rules or the law.

Specifically, the report states the following that led to this investigation:

It is alleged a child was injured while in care.

The applicable laws, administrative rules or Minimum Standard rules have been evaluated and findings are below:

Inspection Start Date	Standard/Rule Description	Specifics	Deficient?	Comply By	TA Given
09/24/2015	746.1203(4) Responsibilities of Caregivers- Supervision of Children	The caregiver was too engaged in play with other children that she lost supervision of other children in care which allowed a child to be bitten by another child in care six times.	Y	10/13/2015	Y
09/24/2015	746.701(1) Licensing Incident/Illness Report Form - Injuries Requiring Medical Attention	The operation did complete an incident report.	N		N
09/24/2015	746.707 Incident/Illness Report Form Shared with Parent	The operation did not share an incident report with the parent when the child was picked up.	Y	10/13/2015	Y
09/24/2015	746.1301(a)(5) Training Requirements for Employees - CPR and First Aid	The caregivers had current training for CPR and First Aid.	N		N
09/24/2015	746.305(a)(5) Report Situation Placing Children at Risk	The operation did not report the incident to licensing.	Y	10/13/2015	N
09/24/2015	746.307(b) Parental Notification of Less Serious Injuries	The parent was notified of one bite mark on the cheek. The operation did not notify the parent of the other five bites.	Y	10/13/2015	Y

	746.3803(a)(1) Medication Authorization - Signed and Dated	A medication authorization form was not completed by a parent for a child who received neosporin on an injury.	Y	10/13/2015	N
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The Technical Assistance provided for these standards described below:

Standard/Rule Description	Technical Assistance Given
746.1203(4) Responsibilities of Caregivers- Supervision of Children	Supervision is basic to the prevention of harm. Parents have an understanding that caregivers will supervise their children in their absence. Adults who are attentive and who understand young children’s behaviors are in the best position to safeguard their well-being.
746.707 Incident/Illness Report Form Shared with Parent	Requiring a parent to sign the report verifies the parent was informed of serious situations, which affect the health or safety of their child.
746.307(b) Parental Notification of Less Serious Injuries	Communication between caregivers and parents is essential to both the safe and healthy operation of the center and to the parent’s ability to assess the care their children are receiving.

If an inspection was conducted as part of this investigation, you received an inspection report form.

**Failure to maintain compliance on an ongoing basis may result in remedial actions.**

If you disagree with the actions or decisions of the licensing staff, you may request an administrative review within 15 days of the receipt of this letter by writing Erin Ragsdale, Program Specialist, Child Care Licensing, 1200 E. Copeland Rd., Ste 400, Arlington, TX 76011

This notice must be posted next to your most recent Licensing inspection letter or form.

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If you have any other questions or need additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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