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REPORT OF INSPECTION

Youth Camp Safety Standards

Assignment No. 19071

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DATE	CODE	BEGIN	END	C	ODE I	BEG	IN	END	C	ODE	BEGIN	END
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		ADMINISTRATIVE								
1.	2.1	Camp has a current certificate of approval (camp license) from the NJDOH.						-		
Con	nments:									
2.	DFD	If accepting children under 2.5 years of age – the facility is licensed by the NJ Dept. of Children and Families Office of Licensing.					\boxtimes	-		
Con	nments:									
3.		np enrolled in the Division of Family Development (DFD)/Child ource & Referral Agency (CCR&R) Childcare Subsidy Program?		YE	S 🖂	NO				
Con	nments:									
4.	2.5	Camp has obtained liability insurance in an amount consistent with the expected risks.								
Con	Comments:									
	GENERAL CARE OF CAMPERS									

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5.	3.1(a)	Discipline policies and practices are stated in writing. Camp staff are prohibited from taking means of corporal punishment toward children.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:							
		STAFF						
6.	3.2(c)	Staff pre-season orientation and training has been conducted and documented. At minimum, the following has been included in the orientation: personnel policies and practices, job descriptions, disciplinary policies, basic principles of emergency first aid, blood-borne pathogens, infection control, and hand washing, emergency procedures, daily health surveillance procedures, lost camper and lost swimmer policies.						
Con	nments:							
7.	DFD	Age-appropriate pediatric first aid and Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) training and required health and safety child growth development coursework has been completed and documented for caregivers, teachers, and directors, and any individuals responsible for the direct care/ supervision of children for a provider that receives DFD funds.	\boxtimes					
Con	Comments: Cooper Hospital, Health Director & Camp Director- Safety & Health Solutions, LLC							
8.	3.1(c)	Camp staff, with reason to believe a camper is being abused, have been advised to immediately report observations to Department of Children and Families hotline at (877)-652-2873.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:					I		
9.	3.2(d)2	Camp has developed and implemented staff training on issues related to child abuse and neglect, such as, but not limited to, understanding the staff members' responsibilities, reporting, recognition and observation of campers.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:							
		STAFF BACKGROUND CHECK						
10.	DFD	Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) criminal history (fingerprint check), National Sex Offender Registry (NSOR), State criminal history (fingerprint check), and State Sex Offender Registry completed for all staff members. This check also includes Out-of-State State criminal history and Out-of-State Sex Offender Registry for any staff that have lived out of state within the past five years. (Only for DFD Camps)		YE	ES ⊠	NO		
Con	nments:		•					
11.	Child Abuse Record Information (CARI) check has been conducted including Out-of-State child abuse registry checks for any staff that have lived out-of-state within the past five years (applicable to all staff and volunteer members of a provider that receives DFD funds) Child Abuse Record Information (CARI) check has been conducted including Out-of-State child abuse registry checks NO NO NO NO PROVIDED TO STATE OF THE PROVIDED TO STA							
Con	nments:							
12 .	3.2(j)	Criminal History Name Check has been conducted/completed for all adult (ages 18+) staff member.						

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13.	3.2(k)2	Written and notarized statement, provided by continuously employed or returning adult staff, indicating that there has been no change in criminal history status since the criminal history name check was conducted is maintained by the camp operator.					\boxtimes		
Con	Comments:								
14.	3.2(I)	Sex offender registry check conducted annually for all staff 16 and older.							
Con	nments: N	A							
		CAMP ACTIVITIES							
15.	3.2(n)	High-risk activities are conducted by a qualified adult activity specialist (18 years of age and older).					\boxtimes		
Con	nments: Fig	eld trips							
		SUPERVISION OF CAMPERS							
, -	0.57.	Camp supervision ratios are observed for ages 5-17: 1 adult: 1							
16.	3.2(o)	counselor: 20 campers? (Note: each additional group of 10 campers requires at least one additional staff)				Ш			
Con	nments:								
17.	3.2(p)	Camp supervision ratios are observed for ages 2 1/2 -4: 1 adult: 1 counselor: 14 campers? (Note: each additional group of 7 campers requires at least one additional staff)							
Con	nments:	group or reampers requires at reast one additional starry							
18.	3.2(q)	Camp supervision ratios are observed for ages birth to 2: 1 adult: 1 counselor: 8 campers? (Note: each additional group of 4 campers requires at least one additional staff)					\boxtimes		
Con	nments:	,							
		SITE AND BUILDINGS							
19.	4.1(a)	Location does not present fire, health and safety hazards. All hazardous areas, bodies of water, and vehicular traffic areas are guarded or fenced off and warning signs are posted.	\boxtimes						
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20.	4.2(a)	All structures and facilities are in compliance with local building, zoning and health codes and ordinances; further letters of approval or a certificate of occupancy (CO) issued by the local authority has been received.	\boxtimes						
Con	nments:								
21.	13.2	Buildings are in compliance with the requirements of the New Jersey Uniform Construction Code, N.J.A.C. 5:23 and the New Jersey Uniform Fire Code, N.J.A.C. 5:70, as applicable.	\boxtimes						
Con	nments:		,						
22.	14.1(c)	Shelter, which may be temporary (ex: canopy or tent) shall be provided in case of inclement weather at a single sport youth camp (SSYC)					\boxtimes		
Con	nments:								
23.	4.4	Power and or other hazardous equipment stored on-site are adequately protected and out of the reach of potential curious campers.							
Con	nments:								
		HEALTH							

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24.	5.2(b)	Health Director at a <u>day camp</u> is on duty at all times and certified in standard-level First Aid from a certification agency approved by the Department						
Com	ments: Co	poper Hospital						
25.	5.2(a)	Health Director, at a resident camp, is on duty at all times and holds at least one of the following certifications: a. Physician licensed in New Jersey b. Registered nurse licensed in New Jersey c. Certified athletic trainer by the Board of Certification d. Individual certified in either one of these certifications 1. Advanced Level F/A 2. Paramedic 3. EMT 4. First Responder/CIM						
Com	ments:							
26.	5.2(c)	Health Director is certified in <i>professional-level</i> infant, child, and adult cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) from a certification agency <u>approved</u> by the <u>Department</u> .						
Com	ments: C	ooper Hospital						
27.	5.1(d)	A written procedure for routine daily surveillance of campers and staff has been established. (Note: this check can be conducted as a roll call activity; should be an activity that alerts the staff member of bruises, illness, etc. Any signs of child abuse should be reported)	\boxtimes					
Com	ments:	,	ı				ı	
28.	5.1(d)2	Health Director has developed a system (forms, logs) for documenting all obvious and unusual observations made during the daily health surveillance and communicating suspected and/or confirmed illness of a camper to parents ASAP.	\boxtimes					
Com	ments:		I	l .			II.	
29.	5.3(b)	Health director has established written medical policies and procedures on the treatment of illness and injury and the administration of non-Rx drugs.						
Com	ments:							
30.	5.5(b)	Written health histories for each staff/camper are maintained on file.						
Com	ments:		1	I		1	Г	
31.	5.5(g)	Campers' immunization records and/or religious exemptions are maintained on file.						
32.	DFD	Families (including foster families) of children in foster care						
		and homeless children are permitted a 30-day grace period to take any necessary action to comply with immunization requirements consistent with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 3A:52-7.3 and N.J.A.C. 3A:54-6.8. (For DFD Funded Families)		YE	ES 🖂	NO		
Con	ments:	NAInimum Containimum Containim					Ι	
33.	5.4(b)	Minimum first aid supplies set forth in Appendix E "Health Center Supplies" are maintained.						

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		Health center is established for the temporary isolation and						
34.	4.2(f)	treatment of sick or injured campers and/or staff members.						
Com	nments:		1			ı	1	
35.	5.1(b)	Written documentation for treatment and transport for campers/staff with serious injuries and/or illnesses have been organized with Emergency Medical Service (EMS) or ambulance squad.						
Con	ments:							
36.	5.3(e)	Medications are labeled, stored appropriately and inaccessible to campers. Medication administration is documented to include the child's name, time and initials of the person administering the medication.						
Com	ments: No	meds on site						
37.	DFD	Medication is administered consistent with standards for parental consent. (for DFD funded camps)		YE	S 🖂	NO		
Com	nments:							
38.	DFD	The camp ensures staff are trained and prepared to prevent, recognize, and respond to emergencies due to food-related allergies and other allergic reactions.		YE	ES 🛚	NO		
Com	nments:							
		SAFETY						
39.	6.1(a)	Written emergency procedures address, at a minimum, evacuation of camp, plan for lockdown, shelter in place, fires, natural disasters, serious accidents, illness or injury, and lost camper(s).	\boxtimes					
Com	ments:							
40.	DFD	Written emergency procedures address relocation, communication and reunification with parents, continuity of operations, accommodations for children with disabilities and children with chronic medical conditions during an emergency.		YE	ES 🖂	NO		
Com	ments:	, , ,						
41.	6.1(b)	Fire and emergency drills are conducted at least once a camp period or every two weeks, whichever is more frequent.						
Com	nments:							
42.	DFD	Hazardous materials are handled and stored appropriately. Bio-contaminants are properly disposed of.		YE	S 🖂	NO		
Con	ments:							
43.	6.1(c)	Emergency phone numbers be provided and posted at a minimum in the main office, the health center, and waterfront area, if applicable.	\boxtimes					
Com	ments:							
44.	6.3(a)	Fire extinguishers meet the requirements of the Fire Underwriters Association and are strategically placed so that they are easily accessible.						
Com	ments:							
45.	7.2(b)	Policy and procedure for safety evacuation drills (bus/fire) performed by campers and staff which indicate the frequency of such activity.						

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46.	6.4(a)	Documented certification of compliance with all local and State fire codes and rules.						
Con	nments:					I	I	
47.	6.4	Smoke detectors are operable, checked and in good working order where applicable.						
Con	nments:							
48.	DFD	The camp operator has developed and documented an emergency preparedness procedure that covers continuity of operations, staff and volunteer training in the event of an emergency.		YE	ES ⊠	NO		
Con	nments:							
		NUTRITION AND MEAL SERVICE						
49.	7.1(a)	Foods and food service conform to the Sanitation in Retail Food Establishments and Food and Beverage Vending Machines, N.J.A.C. 8:24.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:							
		POTABLE WATER						
50.	7.2(a)	Potable water supply meets the New Jersey Safe Drinking Water Act, N.J.S.A. 58:12A-1 et seq. regarding construction, operation, and water quality (Note: Ex. of appropriate documentation could be a water bill or water testing documentation)						-
Con	nments:		I					
51.	7.2(b)	Camp that is open for less than a calendar quarter every year has provided evidence of a water bacteriological and nitrate analysis deemed satisfactory by the standards of New Jersey Safe Drinking Water Act, <i>N.J.S.A.</i> 58:12A-1 et seq. prior to opening for the season.						
Con	nments:	, ,				I	ı	
52.	7.3	Water sampling results are maintained on site and available for review.						
Con	nments:							
		TRANSPORTATION						
53.	8.1	Transport vehicles conform to the requirements of Motor Vehicles and Traffic Regulation, N.J.S.A. 39:1-1 et seq., and the Motor Vehicle Commission rules promulgated thereunder at N.J.A.C. 13:21 and have been inspected and maintains a sticker of inspection by the MVC School Bus Safety Team.						
Con	nments:							
54.	8.2(b)	Written policy has been established for transportation.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:					•	-	
55.	8.3	Youth camp, person(s), or agency which provides transportation for campers maintains vehicle liability insurance.	\boxtimes					
Con	nments:							

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56.	8.4	The following records are maintained:						
Con	ments:							
57.	8.4(b)	Drivers are appropriately licensed for the vehicle being driven to transport campers.	\boxtimes					
Con	ments:							
	_	SPORTS AND OTHER RECREATIONAL ACT	ΓΙVΙΤΙ	ES		T		
58.	3.2(n)	Policy documenting that high risk activities are conducted by staff knowledgeable of measures used to ensure the safety of participants; if the activity is specialized documentation should be available of the most recent guidelines of the safe execution of such specialized activity; specialized high risk activities should be overseen by an activity specialist.					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:							
59.	9.1(a)	Swimming pools and bathing beaches, used by camp, conform to the Public Recreational Bathing rules, N.J.A.C. 8:26.					\boxtimes	
Con	ments:							
60.	9.2(f)	Policy documenting <u>off-site</u> swimming activities require prior notification of arrival to the operator of the public recreational bathing facility. Policies and procedures for the monitoring of campers and swimmer ability assessment during <u>off-site</u> swimming is documented. (Note: if no, please indicate which part of the question is not in compliance)					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:	The second of th				I		
61.	9.2(g)	Written policies and procedures are maintained for lifeguarding, monitoring and supervision, swimming ability assessment and waterfront activities for on-site swimming activities.					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:							
62.	9.4(b)	On-site waterfront activities are equip with inherently buoyant Type I,II,III or V personal flotation devices that are in good repair, varied sizes and in quantities sufficient for each staff and camper. (Note: Inquire about how many will be allowed to participate in a waterfront activity at a time. Use the count as a gauge of sufficient quantity)						
Com	ments:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1			1		
63.	9.4(c)	A lifeboat or rescue craft is observed for use during <u>on-site</u> waterfront activities. Accompanying safety equipment (rescue ring with 25 ft. of rope)					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:							
64.	9.2(a)	Lifeguards are certified by an agency approved by the Department.					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:							

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65.	9.3(d)	A system of supervising and monitoring bathers consistent with a buddy check to ensure bather safety has been documented and implemented.					\boxtimes	
Com	ments:							
		MAINTENANCE AND SANITATION						
		Camp and recreational equipment evaluated and documented						
66.	13.5(a)	to be maintained in a clean, safe, and sanitary condition weekly.						
Com	nments:							
67.	13.5(a)	Recreational equipment is maintained in safe operating condition.						
Com	nments:							
68.	13.5(a)	Safety inspection of recreational equipment, including playground, is established and a way of documenting the weekly inspection has been developed.	\boxtimes					
Com	nments:							
		INSECT, RODENT, AND WEED CONTR	OL					
69.	13.3(a)	Mosquito breeding is controlled by keeping the grounds free of cans, jars, buckets, old tires, and other articles, which may hold water.	\boxtimes					
Com	nments:	Tiola Water.						
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70.	13.3(b)	Fly breeding is controlled by eliminating unsanitary practices. Every door, window, or other opening to the outside, which is used for ventilation, is outfitted with a screen of at least 16 mesh.						
Com	nments:							
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71.	13.3(c)	All enclosed buildings are maintained so as to eliminate rodent harborage, including buildings where food is stored or served.						
Con	ments:							
72.	13.3(d)	Weed growth is controlled along pathways and within each campsite to reduce tick and chigger populations.						
Com	ments:							
		ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS						
73.	11.1(a)	Buildings housing showers are adequately constructed, in good repair, clean and have adequate lighting and ventilation.						
Com	nments:						l	l
		Operators have made adequate arrangements for the storage,						
74.	12.1(a)	collection and disposal of solid waste. Receptacles are observed onsite, centrally located for anticipated activities and in sufficient supply and frequency to address anticipated number of campers and staff over the period of operation.						
Com	nments:	,	1					
75.	13.4	Living quarters, mess halls and/or kitchens are not located within 100 feet of housing for farm animals.						
Com	nments:							

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76.	13.4 (a-e)	Camp activities being conducted on site a farm or any space where campers may come into routine contact with farm animals have documented the policies and procedures to minimize the potential of illness and injury.					\boxtimes	
Con	nments:							

	ASSESSMENT QUESTIONS										
77.		sponsibilities for children completed the Division nealth and safety trainings as required?	YES ⊠	NO 🗌							
Con	Comments:										
78.	Is the camp director aware that on or the director shall submit an 'Accident Annotation Mail or email to the Department at:	YES 🖂	NO 🗌								
Con	Comments:										
79.		19 mitigation measures? If yes, which COVID-19 ed? (Ex: masking, social distancing,	YES 🖂	№ □							
Con	nments:										
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