

# Knowledge Beginnings-073204

Montpelier Road  
Laurel, MD

## 3 Inspection Visits Since 2025 - 14 Findings

Most recent inspection: May 12, 2026

● 14 Important

Across 3 inspections since 2025, the issues cited most often were The Director Reported That a Parent Stated That Her 2-years-old Daughter Has Been Telling Her That a "Teacher Gave Me a Pow-pow." "Pow-Pow" Is Used at Home to Indicate a Spanking to the Bottom. A Staff Person Witnessed the Teacher Speaking Aggressively Towards the Child and Grabbing the Child Roughl (2), The Director Reported That a Parent Stated That Her 2-years-old Daughter Has Been Telling Her That a "Teacher Gave Me a Pow-pow." "Pow-Pow" Is Used at Home to Indicate a Spanking to the Bottom. A Staff Person Stated That She Witnessed the Teacher Speaking Aggressively Towards the Child and Grabbing (2), and The Director Reported That a Parent Stated That Her 2-years-old Daughter Has Been Telling Her That a "Teacher Gave Me a Pow-pow." "Pow-Pow" Is Used at Home to Indicate a Spanking to the Bottom. A Staff Person Stated That She Witnessed the Teacher Speaking Aggressively Towards the Child and Grabbing (2). None of the 14 findings were critical.

## Inspection Visits

May 12, 2026 7 Findings ● 7 Important

- **From the Sample Reviewed, LS Did Not Observe Evidence of Lead Testing for Each Child Born on or After January 1, 2015. Facility Must Immediately Submit Evidence of Lead Testing or an Appointment with a Health Care Provider to Receive a Lead Test.**  
13A.16.03.02E
- **From the Sample Reviewed, LS Did Not Observe Evidence of a Written Agreement with Each Child's Parent. Facility Must Immediately Submit Corrections to the Office.**  
13A.16.03.03D
- **From the Sample Reviewed, LS Did Not Observe Complete Emergency Information on Each Child's Form. Facility Must Immediately Submit Corrections to the Office.**  
13A.16.03.04C
- **Rom the Sample Reviewed, LS Did Not Observe a Health Assessment Provided by the Child's Parent That Includes a Medical Evaluation, Signed and Dated by a Physician. Facility Must Immediately Submit Evidence of a Health Assessment by a Health Care Provider or an Appointment to Receive One.**  
13A.16.03.04D(3)

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13A.16.03.04E

- **LS Did Not Observe Staffing Patterns Conspicuously Posted Anywhere in the Facility.**

13A.16.03.05B

- **LS Did Not Observe the Following Items in the First Aid Kit: Gauze Pads (2x2 or 4x4), Large Gauze Pads, 2 Rolls of Gauze, Hypo Allergenic Tape, Whistle, and Plastic or Paper Bag.**

13A.16.10.02E

**Dec 29, 2025** 4 Findings ● 4 Important

- **A Staff Person Witnessed a Teacher Speaking Aggressively Towards the Child and Grabbing the Child Roughly to Sit Down or Pulling Her Away From Something, but Did Not Report It to the Director, Protective Services, or Any Other Agency.**

13A.16.07.02A(1)

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13A.16.08.01A(2)(b)

**Jun 20, 2025** 3 Findings ● 3 Important

- **It Was Reported That a Teacher Used a Forceful Tone and Was Aggressive with the Children, Aggressively Pulling Them by the Arm to Make Them Sit Down. The Teacher Has Been Placed on Administrative Leave.**

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