

LITTLE STEPS DAYCARE

505 S MAIN
NEW LONDON, MO

1 Inspection Visit Since 2025 · 5 Findings

Most recent inspection: Jul 10, 2025

● 5 Important

Across 1 inspection since 2025, the issues cited most often were A Junior Aide, Regan Thompson (Age 17), Was Not Under the Direct Supervision of an Adult Caregiver Within the Same Group of Children. (3), The Facility Did Not Have a Fenced Outdoor Play Area That Was on or Adjoining the Day Care Property and Was Accessible Without Hazard as Evidenced by the Height of the Fence Was Less Than 42 Inches High - the Measured Height Was Between 36 Inches and 40 Inches in Various Places on the Fence on the S (1), and Staff/child Ratio Requirements Were Not Met as Evidenced by 15 (One 17 Month Old Child, Three 2 Year Old Children, and Eleven Children Ages 3 to 7) Children , Ages 17 Months Through 7 Years, Were Cared for by Adult and Junior Aide Caregiver(s). (1). None of the 5 findings were critical.

Inspection Visits

Jul 10, 2025 5 Findings ● 5 Important

- **The Facility Did Not Have a Fenced Outdoor Play Area That Was on or Adjoining the Day Care Property and Was Accessible Without Hazard as Evidenced by the Height of the Fence Was Less Than 42 Inches High - the Measured Height Was Between 36 Inches and 40 Inches in Various Places on the Fence on the S**
5 CSR 25-500.082 Physical Requirements of Group Day Care Homes and Day Care Centers
- **A Junior Aide, Regan Thompson (Age 17), Was Not Under the Direct Supervision of an Adult Caregiver Within the Same Group of Children.**
5 CSR 25-500.102 Personnel
- **A Junior Aide, Regan Thompson (Age 17) (Group Preschool/school Age Children Age Range 3 Years to 7 Years), Was the Sole Caregiver for a Group of Children.**
5 CSR 25-500.102 Personnel
- **A Junior Aide, Morgan Thompson (Per Statements of Jayme Darnell), Was Counted Toward Infant/toddler Staff/child Ratios.**
5 CSR 25-500.102 Personnel

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- **Staff/child Ratio Requirements Were Not Met as Evidenced by 15 (One 17 Month Old Child, Three 2 Year Old Children, and Eleven Children Ages 3 to 7) Children , Ages 17 Months Through 7 Years, Were Cared for by Adult and Junior Aide Caregiver(s).**

5 CSR 25-500.112 Staff/Child Ratios

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