

Date Issued	January 20, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	THE PURPLE CRAYON		
Provider ID	018043210		
Provider Address	500 E 1st St, Tea, SD 57064, USA		
Provider Contact	Mary Konvalin		

The items listed below are those that the provider was not in compliance with at the time of the inspection.

### Compliance Plan Action #1

#### Administrative Rule:

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Center and school-age programs operating outside of a school building shall follow applicable construction and fire safety requirements, as outlined in chapters 61:15:05 and 61:15:06. School-age programs operating in a school building shall follow applicable construction and fire safety requirements, as outlined in chapters 61:15:01, 61:15:02, and 61:15:07.

A family day care home must have the following fire safety measures in place:

- (1) A working smoke detector must be located on each level of the home;
- (2) A fully charged, portable fire extinguisher, with a minimum 2A rating, as identified on the extinguisher label, must be kept in or within fifteen feet of the kitchen or food preparation area;
- (3) A carbon monoxide detector must be installed, according to the manufacturer's instructions, if a fuel burning appliance is present in the home;
- (4) Each level of the home must have at least two remote exits that shall remain clear of obstructions. One of these exits must be a standard-sized door, and the other may be either a standard-sized door or an unobstructed, operable window, having at least five square feet of openable space, with a minimum width of twenty inches and a minimum height of twenty-four inches; and
- (5) Whenever a portable space heater, a wood burning stove, or a fireplace is in use, the heater, stove, or fireplace must be inaccessible to children.

#### Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

- It was observed that the fire alarm system was operating in trouble mode.
- The program does not have a carbon monoxide detector, which is required due to the fuel burning appliances.

#### Corrections to be Made:

- The provider will have a certified technician service the fire alarm system and will supply documentation confirming that the fire alarm is no longer in trouble mode.
- The provider will submit verification of the carbon monoxide detector to the Office of Licensing and Accreditation.

#### Corrections Made:

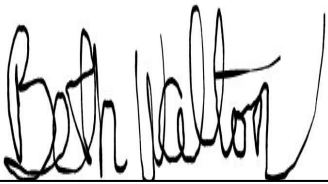
- The provider has submitted evidence showing that a certified technician conducted an inspection of the fire alarm system.
- The provider submitted a photo of the carbon monoxide detector to the Office of Licensing and Accreditation.

**Anticipated Completion Date:**  
February 06, 2026

**Date Completed:**  
March 13, 2026

**Your signature below certifies you have read and understand the non-compliance findings and agree to make corrections to be compliant with the identified administrative rules.**

The Purple Crayon  
Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact

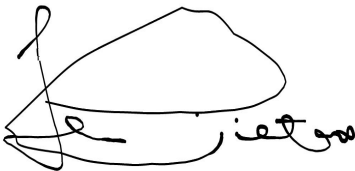


Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

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**The Department of Social Services, Office of Licensing and Accreditation has reviewed and accepted the above plan.**

Teri Pieters  
Printed Name of DSS Staff



Signature of DSS Staff:

January 20, 2026  
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