

Date Issued	June 12, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	Lil' Gov's Bright Beginning's		
Provider ID	1061725171		
Provider Address	1408 N Harrison Ave, Pierre, SD 57501, USA		
Provider Contact	Victoria Peterson		

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:

67:42:17:20

A center provider supervising children must be in the same room with the children or on the playground with the children, and must be able to see or hear the children, at all times.

If children are in a school-age program, the provider must be able to hear or see the children, at all times, and must be close enough to intervene at all times.

Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

During a complaint investigation conducted by the Office of Licensing & Accreditation on May 11, 2026, it was determined that a child left the program's outdoor play area undetected through a gap in the fence. The child was outside the fenced playground area for approximately 10 minutes, despite the presence of two staff members on the playground.

Corrections to be Made:

- The program will develop and implement a supervision plan for outdoor play.
- The gap in the fence will be repaired to ensure the outdoor play area is secure.
- The provider will ensure all classroom providers are knowledgeable of and consistently implement strategies as outlined in ARSD 67:42:17:20.
- The Office of Licensing and Accreditation will conduct monitoring visits within the next 30 days to verify ongoing compliance.

Corrections Made:

- The program has developed and implemented an active outdoor supervision plan that includes staff positioning, defined supervision zones, and routine face-to-name head counts of children.
- Fence repairs have been completed.
- The provider has reviewed the regulation regarding supervision of children as outlined in ARSD 67:42:17:20 with all providers.

Anticipated Completion Date:
June 30, 2026

Date Completed:
June 12, 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.

Victoria R Peterson

Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact



Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

June 12, 2026

Date

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

Sarah Deakins

Printed Name of DSS Staff



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Signature of DSS Staff:

May 15, 2026

Date