

Date Issued	July 27, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	The Cubhouse at Centerfield Place		
Provider ID	018042996		
Provider Address	3400 S Centerfield Pl, Sioux Falls, SD 57110, USA		
Provider Contact	Carlynn Taylor		

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:

67:42:17:41

A provider shall meet the physical, social, emotional, and cognitive needs of a child, and identify procedures to implement behavior management strategies for use with children in care. Behavior management strategies must offer limits, with positive guidance and direction, to help a child develop self-control and respect for the rights of others, be appropriate to a child's age and developmental level, and include strategies to prevent shaken baby syndrome and abusive head trauma.

A behavior management strategy may not be delegated to an older child or peer. Separation, when used as a strategy, must be within sight or hearing of a provider.

The parent of a child may not, while working at the program, use a prohibited discipline technique to discipline the parent's child.

The following methods of discipline are prohibited:

- (1) Spanking, hitting, pinching, biting, shaking, or inflicting any other physical punishment;
- (2) Verbal abuse, shouting, threats, humiliation, or derogatory or sarcastic remarks about the child or the child's family;
- (3) Restriction of movement or confinement;
- (4) Isolating a child in an adjacent room, hallway, closet, darkened area, or any other area where a child cannot be seen or supervised;
- (5) Punishment for lapses in toilet training;
- (6) Withholding or forcing of meals, snacks, naps, or outdoor time to correct behavior;
- (7) Demanding excessive physical exercise or excessive rest; and
- (8) Placing substances in a child's mouth to cause discomfort such as soap, food, or spices.

A provider who is under investigation for abuse and neglect may not be in a caregiving role, if the department determines there is an imminent safety concern to a child in the provider's care.

Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

During a complaint investigation conducted by the Office of Licensing & Accreditation, it was determined that a provider used prohibited discipline techniques with a child in care.

Corrections to be Made:

The provider will immediately cease the use of any prohibited discipline techniques and comply with the behavior management requirements outlined in ARSD 67:42:17:41.

The director will review the program's discipline policy and the behavior management requirements of ARSD 67:42:17:41 with the provider to ensure a clear understanding of permitted discipline practices.

The director will conduct periodic observations of the provider's interactions with children to verify that appropriate behavior management techniques are consistently implemented and maintained.

Corrections Made:

The program responded immediately upon becoming aware of the concern. All providers completed behavior management training by July 17, 2026, to reinforce appropriate behavior guidance practices and the prohibition of discipline techniques outlined in ARSD 67:42:17:41.

Program management will continue to conduct routine check-ins with providers and periodic observations to monitor implementation of appropriate behavior management practices. Ongoing coaching and support will be provided, as needed, to reinforce compliance with licensing requirements.

Anticipated Completion Date:
July 27, 2026

Date Completed:
July 24, 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.

Carlynn Taylor

Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact



Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

June 25, 2026

Date

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

Brooke Flemmer

Printed Name of DSS Staff

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Signature of DSS Staff:

June 25, 2026

Date