

Date Issued	July 27, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	PLAYPENS AND PUZZLES DAYCARE		
Provider ID	010605976		
Provider Address	2100 Brookstone Lp, Pierre, SD 57501, USA		
Provider Contact	Lindsay Strohfus		

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:

At the time of the inspection, the fire extinguishers had not been inspected since January 2025.

Storage containers in the bathroom were directly underneath the sprinkler head.

Corrections to be Made:

Fire extinguishers must be serviced annually.

Items stored in the bathroom must be at least 18" from the sprinkler head.

Corrections Made:

Verification that the fire extinguishers were serviced and items removed near the sprinkler head have been received.

Anticipated Completion Date:

July 27, 2026

Date Completed:

July 27, 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.

Lindsay Strohfus

Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact



Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

July 27, 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:

July 10, 2026

Date