

Date Issued	July 23, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	EM'S EASTSIDE EXPLORERS		
Provider ID	018043112		
Provider Address	585 Eastside Ave., Parker, SD 57053, USA		
Provider Contact	Emily Korthals		

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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All providers shall, within ninety days after the date of employment, complete and obtain documentation of orientation training in the following areas:

- (1) Prevention and control of infectious diseases;
- (2) Prevention of sudden infant death syndrome and the use of safe sleep practices, if infant care is provided;
- (3) Administration of medication;
- (4) Prevention of and response to an emergency due to food allergies and other allergic reactions;
- (5) Building and physical premises safety;
- (6) Prevention of shaken baby syndrome and abusive head trauma, if infant care is provided;
- (7) Emergency preparedness and response planning for an emergency resulting from a natural disaster or man-caused event;
- (8) Handling and storage of hazardous materials and the appropriate disposal of biological contaminants;
- (9) Precautions in transporting a child, if the program provides transportation;
- (10) Recognition and reporting of child abuse and neglect;
- (11) Pediatric first aid;
- (12) Pediatric cardiopulmonary resuscitation; and
- (13) Child development.

Before a provider may care for children without supervision, the provider must complete orientation training in each of the areas listed in this section.

Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

Two providers did not have verification of completion of all orientation training topics on file. One provider needed one topic and the other provider needed two topics.

Corrections to be Made:

The required verification must be obtained for the files.

Corrections Made:

Verification of completed training information was received.

Anticipated Completion Date:
July 29, 2026

Date Completed:
July 23, 2026

Compliance Plan Action #2

Administrative Rule:

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A provider shall maintain a record for each child that includes:

- (1) The child's name and date of birth;
- (2) The parent or guardian's name and telephone number;
- (3) An emergency contact name and telephone number;
- (4) Parental permission for emergency medical treatment;
- (5) The names of individuals authorized to pick up the child;
- (6) Health information, including any allergies or special needs;
- (7) A current immunization record or, for a school-age program, the name of the child's school;
- (8) Parental permission for medication;
- (9) The child's attendance records;
- (10) The date of the child's enrollment; and
- (11) The date on which the child's enrollment ends.

The provider shall annually review and update each record required under this section, and make the child's record available to the department, upon request.

Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

Updated information was needed for 11 child files including current immunization records for nine children and updated permission for emergency medical care for two children.

Corrections to be Made:

Required information is to be obtained for the files.

Corrections Made:

Verification of completed information was received.

Anticipated Completion Date:
August 15, 2026

Date Completed:
July 31, 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.

Emily Korthals

Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact



Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

July 23, 2026

Date

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

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Printed Name of DSS Staff



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Signature of DSS Staff:

July 15, 2026

Date