

Date Issued	September 03, 2026	Status	Closed
Provider Name	LA PETITE ACADEMY 7694		
Provider ID	018043043		
Provider Address	5115 S Cliff Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57108, USA		
Provider Contact	Sam Amick		

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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A child care provider shall immediately report any suspected abuse or neglect of a child to child protective services, law enforcement, or the States Attorney's office, and cooperate fully in the investigation of any incident.

Summary of Non-Compliance Finding:

During a complaint investigation conducted by the Office of Licensing & Accreditation, it was determined that the program failed to report a potential incident of child abuse or neglect to the appropriate authorities.

Corrections to be Made:

- All providers, including program management, will immediately report suspected child abuse or neglect of a child to CPS or law enforcement.
- The Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager submitted a written plan to the Office of Licensing and Accreditation on September 1, 2026, and provided the updated Employee Handbook Addendum for Mandatory Reporting in South Dakota Acknowledgment Statement on August 12, 2026.
- On August 12, 2026, all providers received training and review of mandated reporting responsibilities, including reporting procedures, confidentiality, compliance requirements, and prevention and protective practices.
- By September 28, 2026, the Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager will provide the director with written expectations regarding mandated reporting responsibilities and consequences for future violations, including disciplinary action up to and including termination. The program will provide OLA with documentation that these expectations were reviewed with the director by October 2, 2026.
- The Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager will provide ongoing oversight of the director through 30-, 60-, and 90-day check-ins and an oversight visit on September 28, 2026.
- The program will implement a 90-day monitoring plan by September 28, 2026, with reviews at 30, 60, and 90 days to verify staff understanding and compliance with mandated reporting requirements.

Corrections Made:

- On **September 29, 2026**, the Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager provided the director with written expectations regarding mandated reporting responsibilities and consequences for future violations, including disciplinary action up to and including termination.
- The Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager provided OLA with documentation showing they reviewed these expectations with the director on **September 29, 2026**.

- The Regional Manager and Regional Quality Manager conducted an oversight visit on **September 29, 2026**.
- The program implemented a 90-day monitoring plan on **September 28, 2026**, with reviews at 30, 60, and 90 days to verify staff understanding and compliance with mandated reporting requirements.

Anticipated Completion Date:
October 02, 2026

Date Completed:
October 09, 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.

Samantha Amick

Printed Name of Provider/Agency Contact



Signature of Provider/Agency Contact

September 03, 2026

Date

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

Teri Pieters

Printed Name of DSS Staff



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Signature of DSS Staff:

September 03, 2026

Date