



MOBILE FIRE - RESCUE DEPARTMENT

FIRE CODE ADMINISTRATION

Child Care Residential Checklist

No more than 5 children are allowed to be cared for at a Residential Care Facility which are not related by blood or marriage.

- ___Address is visible from the street.
- ___Care shall be provided within the home, not a separate building.
- ___Emergency plan readily available including emergency contacts.
- ___Emergency lighting (readily accessible flashlight).
- ___Smoke detectors properly operating in sleeping areas.
- ___Exit doors and windows easily open from the inside.
- ___Access to exits clear of obstruction.
- ___Proper use of electrical equipment and multi plug adapters.
- ___Outlet covers on unused receptacles.
- ___Combustible Storage stacked 2' below ceiling height.
- ___Fire extinguisher accessible (min. 2A10BC) – current inspection.
- ___Class K fire extinguisher accessible in the kitchen area – current inspection.
- ___General Over-All Housekeeping is acceptable.

This office is concerned with identifying conditions that promote a safe environment free of fire hazards including but not limited to the above key concepts from the 2021 International Fire Code and DHR. This document is meant for guidance in preparation of a requested Fire Code Inspection, it is not meant to limit the Fire Code Officials Inspection.

