Appendix I COVID-19 Policies

The following policies will be in place until further notice and will become part of the WDZ Handbook. By signing you acknowledge that you will abide by the following.

- 1. Parents/Guardians are to remain <u>outside</u> the door during drop-off and pickup. Please keep the door closed while your child(ren) is/are gathering artwork, jacket/coat, and outside toys/devices.
- 2. No outside stuffed toys/animals, blankets, or pillows.
- 3. Your child(ren)'s temperature will be taken every morning at drop off. If your child has a temperature of 100.4°F, they will be refused entry and will need to be fever free for 48 hours before they can return to care.
- 4. Shoes are to remain outside. Each child will have their own container for outside shoes.
- 5. Your child(ren) is/are required to wash hands upon entering. Provider will assist when necessary.
- 6. If ANY member of your family, living in the same household or you frequently visit, has a fever and/or COVID-19 concerns or has been exposed to anyone that has tested positive for COVID-19, your child(ren) will need to stay home for a minimum of 14 days. There will be no reduction in tuition during this time.
- 7. If ANY member of your family, living in the same household or you frequently visit, is quarantined, your child(ren) will need to stay home and quarantine as well for a minimum of 14 days. There will be no reduction in tuition during this time.
- 8. If at any time during a 14-day period of quarantine any member of your family, living in the same household, becomes positive or shows symptoms of COVID-19 will need to quarantine for an additional 10 days from onset of symptoms or positive test results.
- 9. Facility Closing/Quarantining: We will only be closing if a child in care or a household member of a child in care or the provider's children/provider test positive for or are awaiting test results for COVID-19.
 - a. A notice will go out on our Facebook group page should this occur.
 - b. Tuition will be due at ½ your tuition rate and will be due as usual on tuition due days (Friday).

- c. If you cannot or will not pay ½ your tuition rate to hold the spot(s), I will be unable to guarantee I will have openings when the facility is allowed to reopen, and you would like care to resume.
- 10. Facility Remaining Open: We will be remaining open unless mandated to close.
 - a. If you choose to bring your child(ren), tuition will be due as usual.
 - b. If you choose to keep your child(ren) home and wish your spot(s) to be held, ½ your tuition rate will be due as usual on tuition due days (Friday).
 - c. If you choose to keep your child(ren) home and cannot or will not pay ½ your tuition rate to hold the spot(s), I will be unable to guarantee I will have openings when you would like care to resume.
- 11. Mandated to Close: If mandated to close by DHS, The City of Oklahoma City or The State of Oklahoma the following will apply.
 - a. A notice will go out on our Facebook group page should this occur.
 - b. Tuition will be due at ½ your tuition rate on a bi-weekly schedule on Fridays.
 - c. If you cannot or will not pay ½ your tuition rate to hold the spot(s), I will be unable to guarantee I will have openings when the facility is allowed to reopen, and you would like care to resume.
- 12. Providing Meals: I will continue to provide meals for as long as I can. However, should it become increasingly hard to find the basic menu/meal items, I will require parents to provide 2 meals and a snack for their child(ren) while in care. A notice will go out on our Facebook group page should this occur.
- 13. Symptoms of Coronavirus (COVID-19): If children are showing any of the following symptoms, please keep them home as they may be sent home and cannot return for 48 hours.
 - a. Fever (100.4°F)
 - b. Cough
 - c. Shortness of Breath/Difficulty Breathing
 - d. Chills/Shaking with Chills
 - e. Muscle Pain
 - f. Headache
 - g. Sore Throat
 - h. New loss of taste or smell
 - i. Nausea/Vomiting
 - i. Diarrhea

For more information, please visit the CDC's and AAP websites at:

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html
- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP): <u>https://www.aap.org/en-us/Pages/Default.aspx</u>