

STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BUREAU OF CHILDREN AND ADULT LICENSING



November 17, 2009

Glynn Kirkwood Gee's Place AFC Inc. PO Box 23567 Detroit, MI 48223

RE: Application #: AS820304389

Gee's Place Adult Foster Care

15315 Lindsay Detroit, MI 48227

Dear Ms Kirkwood:

Attached is the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules. Therefore, a temporary license with a maximum capacity of 6 is issued.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and feel free to contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please feel free to contact the local office at (734) 665-4740.

Sincerely,

Carl Jones, Licensing Consultant

Bureau of Children and Adult Licensing

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MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BUREAU OF CHILDREN AND ADULT LICENSING LICENSING STUDY REPORT

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #: AS820304389

Applicant Name: Gee's Place AFC Inc

Applicant Address: 15315 Lindsay

Detroit, MI 48227

Applicant Telephone #: (313) 779-1828

Administrator/Licensee Designee: Glynn Kirkwood, Designee

Name of Facility: Gee's Place Adult Foster Care

Facility Address: 15315 Lindsay

Detroit, MI 48227

Facility Telephone #: (313) 779-1828

08/26/2009

Application Date:

Capacity: 6

Program Type: MENTALLY ILL

DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED

AGED

TRAUMATICALLY BRAIN INJURED

II. METHODOLOGY

08/26/2009	Enrollment
08/31/2009	Contact - Document Sent Law & rules books
08/31/2009	File Transferred To Field Office Detroit Office
10/07/2009	Application Incomplete Letter Sent
11/02/2009	Inspection Completed On-site
11/02/2009	Inspection Completed-BFS Full Compliance
11/02/2009	SC-Inspection Completed On-Site
11/02/2009	SC-Inspection Full Compliance

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

A. Physical Description of Facility

The Gee's Place Adult Foster Care home is located in a residential area in the city of Detroit. The home is a two (2) story brick structure with a full basement. The basement is not approved for resident activity, the basement houses the heat plant and the hot water heater which is enclosed with approved materials and has an approved fire door with required hardware. The basement also houses the laundry area as well as a large storage area.

The home is equipped with a hard wired interconnected smoke alarm system that is fully operational. The home is in full compliance with fire safety rules.

The home is not equipped to accommodate wheelchairs.

The home has public water and sewer and is in compliance with environmental health rules.

The living room, dining room and bedrooms were measured during the initial inspection. The first floor consists of the living room, dining room, kitchen, one (1) resident bedroom and an office.

Living room	_ 19′ X 13′ _	_247 sq. ft.
Kitchen	18' X 9'	162 sq. ft.
Dining room	_ 12' X 10' _	120 sq. ft.

FIRST FLOOR BEDROOM

NE Bedroom __13' X 12' __156 sq. ft. (2 residents)

SECOND FLOOR BEDROOMS

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SW Bedroom ___ 15' X 12' ___180 sq. ft. (2 residents)
SE Bedroom ___ 14' X12' ___ 168 sq. ft. (2 residents)
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B. Administration/Program/Resident Care/Records

1. Population to be Served & Admission Criteria

The applicant intends to provide 24-hour supervision, protection and personal care to ten (6) male or female ambulatory adults whose diagnosis is developmentally disabled or mentally impaired, in the least restrictive environment possible. The program will include social interaction skills, personal hygiene, personal adjustment skills, and public safety skills. A personal behavior support plan will be designed and implemented for each resident's social and behavioral developmental needs. Residents will be referred from: (Gateway, Consumer Link, and Synergy Partners).

If required, behavioral intervention and crisis intervention programs will be developed as identified in the assessment plan. These programs shall be implemented only by trained staff, and only with the prior approval of the resident, guardian, or the responsible person.

The licensee will provide all transportation for program and medical needs. The facility will make provision for a variety of leisure and recreational equipment. It is the intent of this facility to utilize local community resources including public schools and libraries, local museums, shopping centers, and local parks.

a. Corporation or Limited Liability Company

The Gee's Place AFC corporation is the applicant. The Gee's Place AFC Corporation non profit company registered with the State of Michigan.

The corporate/organizational structure consists of the Chief Executive Officer, the President, Program Managers and Direct Care Staff. The Board of Directors has designated Glynn Carol Kirkwood as the licensee designee and administrator.

3. Applicant, Licensee Designee, Administrator-Qualifications, Experience, Competency, Financial Capability & Stability and Good Moral Character

A licensing record clearance request was completed with no lien convictions recorded for the licensee designee and administrator. The licensee designee and administrator submitted a medical clearance request with statements from a physician documenting their good health and current TB-tine negative results.

The administrator has provided documentation to satisfy the qualifications and training requirements identified in the administrative group home rules.

The applicant submitted a financial statement, credit report and proposed annual budget. Based on this information, the applicant meets the requirements for financial stability and capability.

4. Staffing Plan, Proposed Ratios, Staff Training & Competencies

The staffing pattern for the original license of this 6-bed facility is adequate and includes a minimum of 1_ staff to _6_ residents per shift.

The applicant acknowledges an understanding of the training and qualification requirements for direct care staff prior to each person working in the facility in that capacity or being considered as part of the staff –to- resident ratio.

The applicant agrees to maintain a personnel file on each employee that includes documentation of the following minimum training:

Reporting requirements

First Aid

Cardiopulmonary resuscitation

Personal care, supervision, and protection

Resident rights

Safety and fire prevention

Prevention and containment pf communicable disease

The applicant acknowledges an understanding of the administrative rules regarding medication procedures and that only those direct care staff that have received medication training and have been determined competent by the licensee, can administer medication to residents.

The applicant acknowledges their responsibility to obtain all required documentation and signatures that are to be completed prior to each direct care staff or volunteer working with residents. In addition, the applicant acknowledges their responsibility to maintain a current employee record on file in the home for the licensee, administrator, and direct care staff or volunteer and the retention schedule for all of the documents contained within each employee's file.

5. Records & Record Keeping

Admission and discharge policies, program statement, refund policy, personnel policies, and standard procedures for the facility were reviewed and accepted as written. Evacuation and emergency plans are posted in the facility and the applicant is aware that fire drills must be conducted and recorded.

The applicant has completed an emergency repairs record identifying vendors to service the homes heating and electrical systems and provide general home maintenance and repair major appliances.

The applicant has developed weekly menus that include breakfast, lunch and dinner.

The following resident records were reviewed with the applicant:

Resident Identification Form
Resident care Agreement
Health Care Appraisal
Medication Record
Monthly Weight Record
Assessment Plan
Funds & Valuables Record Part 1 & 2
Incident/Accident Report

The applicant acknowledges an understanding of the administrative rules regarding informing each resident of their resident rights and providing them with a copy of those rights. The applicant indicated that it is their intent to achieve and maintain compliance with these requirements.

The applicant acknowledges an understanding of the administrative rules regarding the written and verbal reporting of incidents and accidents and the responsibility to conduct an immediate investigation of the cause. The applicant has indicated their intention to achieve and maintain compliance with the reporting and investigation of each incident and accident involving a resident, employee, and/or visitor.

The applicant acknowledges their responsibility to obtain all of the required forms and signatures that are to be completed prior to, or at the time of each resident's admission to the home as well as the required forms and signatures to be completed for each resident on an annual basis. In addition, the applicant acknowledges their responsibility to maintain a current resident record on file in the home for each resident and the retention schedule for all of the documents contained within each resident's file.

The applicant was provided technical assistance on the statutory requirements (Section 400.734b of PA 218) pertaining to the hiring or contracting of persons who provide direct service or have direct access to residents. The applicant has indicated that the requirements and procedures outlined in 400.734b (3) will be utilized as the process to identify criminal history when assessing good moral character.

Technical assistance was provided to the applicant on Act and administrative rule requirements related to home, resident and employee record keeping including the handling and accounting of resident funds.

The applicant is found to be in substantial compliance with the licensing act and applicable administrative rules.

IV. Recommendation

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C. Statutory Violations

The home was in full compliance with all Adult Foster Care Licensing rules and statues.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of a temporary license to this AFC adult small group home (capacity 1-6).

Call. Com	11/17/09
Carl Jones	Date
Licensing Consultant	
Approved By:	
Jeanne Brogson	
	11/19/09
Joanne S Brogdon Area Manager	Date