

Stepping Stones Child Care Center

814 B Highway O

Rolla, MO 65401

DVN: 000357804

Complaint: October 20, 2010

Allegations of Statute/Rule Violation:

On October 20, 2010, Section for Child Care Regulation received a report alleging that a two year old child broke her collar bone at 9:30 am on October 19, 2010 after being shoved off a bike by another child enrolled at the facility. The parents were not notified of this incident until 2:30 pm. When the child's mother arrived at the facility, she immediately noticed that the child was not walking right and that her shoulders were uneven. Mom immediately took the child to the emergency room.

Summary of Investigation:

On October 22, 2010, I completed an interview with Child A and Child A's father at Phelps County Children's Division conference room. Robin Porter was also present. Child A provided the following information:

--"Dr. put me in it". Child A was referring to the brace on her shoulders and across her back.

--Child A stated that another child pushed her off a bike at daycare.

--"I got hurt".

--"I have a boo-boo". Child A pointed her left front shoulder.

--Child A stated that her collar bone just broke.

--Child A stated that she cried when she fell off the bike.

--Child A stated that she cried for a long time.

--Child A was asked if she ate lunch. Child A stated yes. Child A was then asked if she cried at lunch. Child A stated yes.

--Child A was asked if she took a nap. Child A stated yes. Child A was asked if she cried during nap time. Child A stated no because she was sleeping.