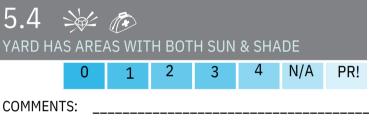
Children need to play outdoors every day unless weather conditions are really harsh or dangerous. Outdoor play should offer a change of pace and an opportunity to "let off steam." It is important to allow movement, louder and more boisterous play, and physical challenges geared to the ages and stages of each child in care. It is also important to stimulate children's senses and their appreciation of nature. so planning interesting and engaging activities will make outdoor play more meaningful. Many favorite indoor activities are also fun when offered outdoors.

5.2 YARD PROVIDES FOR AT LEAST 75 SQUARE FEET PER CHILD										
	0	1	2	3	4	N/A	PR!			
COMMENTS:										
5.3 A YARD HAS CLEAR SIGHTLINES & THERE ARE NO HIDDEN AREAS TO HINDER SUPERVISION										

OUTDOOR PLAY AT HOME





N/A

PR!

ARD IS SAFE

There are no hazards such as broken glass, animal waste, nails, poisonous plants, standing water, etc. Trash can is secured, away from play area Lawnmower, other tools are stored securely If chain link fence is used, no potential hazards (dog, poisonous plant, etc.) are within reach on other side First aid supplies are available Phone is available

RATING:	0	1	2	3	4	N/A	PR!		
COMMENTS:									

Health Center Maintenance. & Quality Repair & Safety **Aesthetics**

0 Does not exist in the center. but should

Inadequate: requires improvement or repair

Fair: should be improved

Good: good quality or in good condition

Excellent: first-rate or top quali t y

KEY

N/A Not applicable: doesn't apply to the home

COMMENTS:

Priority! Don't forget to identify priority items

PLAY AREAS FOR INFANTS & TODDLERS ARE AVAILABLE, PROTECTED FROM OLDER CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES RATING: 0 1 2 3 4 N/A PR! COMMENTS:	
5.7 PLAY EQUIPMENT IS SAFE, STURDY & IN GOOD REPAIR RATING: 0 1 2 3 4 N/A PR! COMMENTS:	
PLAY AREA HAS DIFFERENT TYPES OF SURFACING, INCLUDING GRASS, AREA FOR RIDING TOYS & APPROPRIATE FALL SURFACING UNDER EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION PLAYGROUND SAFETY HANDBOOK.	
Play area surface does not feature materials that are hazardous if ingested such as small chips, bark, fiber, or gravel. Mats, tiles, & pour surfaces are well-maintained to prevent tripping hazards	
RATING: 0 1 2 3 4 N/A PR! COMMENTS:	
5.9 PLAY AREA HAS CLEAR PATHWAYS SO CHILDREN CAN MOVE THROUGH THE YARD SAFELY & WITHOUT INTERFERING WITH OTHER CHILDREN'S PLAY	
RATING: 0 1 2 3 4 N/A PR!	
COMMENTS:	
	0 1 2 3 4 N/A PR!
O 1 2 3 4 Does not Inadequate: Fair: Good: Excellent good quality in the center, improvement but should or repair in the center, or repair in the center, but should improved condition improved condition quality graphs.	e applicable: Don't forget to doesn't apply identify priority Safety Aesthetics

5.10 > RANGE OF OUTDOOR PLAY OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE								5.14							
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5.11 PLAY EQ			AGE-AF	PROPF				COMMENTS	S:						
RATING:	0 TS:	1	2	3	4 N	/A P	PR!	OUTDOOR PLAY – AWAY FROM HOME							
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5.12	***							STROLLER TRANSPOR						E FOR	
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