

Quality Rating










Exceeding Quality

Family YMCA of the Desert, La Quinta

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This program was rated in 2016 on the following:

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|  CHILD OBSERVATION | HIGHEST QUALITY: Evaluates children’s learning and development, holds parent conferences, and uses a state-approved tool to help children learn. Results are entered into a software program |
|  HEALTH & CHILD DEVELOPMENT | HIGHEST QUALITY: Uses a form recommended by pediatricians to check children’s physical, social and emotional development, in addition to annual hearing and vision tests |
|  TEACHER TRAINING & EDUCATION | RISING QUALITY: 12 to 24 college units in early childhood education and development |
|  POSITIVE TEACHER – CHILD INTERACTION | ACHIEVING QUALITY: Has been rated on the quality of teacher-child interactions and has a plan for improvements |
|  ENVIRONMENT | HIGHEST QUALITY: Scores higher on providing: A safe, clean, and enriching environment; Good health practices; A variety of activities, materials, and play areas right for a child’s age |
|  TEACHER-CHILD RATIO | EXCEEDING QUALITY: 3 teachers for every 12 infants; 2 teachers for every 10 toddlers; 3 teachers for every 24 preschoolers or 2 teachers for every 20 preschoolers |
|  DIRECTOR TRAINING & EDUCATION | EXCEEDING QUALITY: A bachelor’s degree with 24 college units in early childhood education and development, 6 units of preschool management/administration, 2 units of supervision, and completes 21 hours of professional development annually |