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Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 4/23/2021

Date Reported to DCCECE: 4/30/2021

Agency Name: Perimeter Forrest City

Agency Number: 142

Type of Facility: PRTF **Facility License Type:** Regular

Type of Incident: Maltreatment

Incident Description:

(IC=█/IS=█) The AV is a foster child. The IC is currently at Perimeter Behavioral Health. It was reported that today 4-23-21 around 9am in the morning, the IC got into an argument with the IS. The IC mentioned that he (IS) put his finger in his face. The IC tried to push his hand out of the way then the IS slapped him in the face with an open hand once. No injuries reported to the IC.

Agency's Interim Corrective Action:

Initially the interim corrective action put in place was IS was put on a separation plan and could not be around the IC. The agency changed the interim corrective action and put IS on suspension pending the outcome of the investigation.

Licensing Specialist Assigned: L. White

Licensing Supervisor Assigned: S. Singleton-Litzsey

Child Abuse Hotline (Only applies to maltreatment incidents)

Was the Hotline Called: Yes **Was it accepted?:** Yes **Outcome:** Unsubstantiated

Assigned Investigator: Jodie Davis

Date of DCCECE's Follow-up: 5/18/2021 **Type of Follow-up:** Phone Call

Details from Follow-up: Specialist spoke with Antione Jackson with Perimeter. Jackson stated the interim corrective action was that █ was put on a separation plan that he could not be around AV. Jackson stated they then changed the corrective action and █ was suspended pending the outcome of the investigation. Mr. Jackson stated there was no video of this incident. Jackson stated the investigation has been closed by CACD as unsubstantiated. Jackson was advised that there were multiple reports received on █ abusing the children. Mr. Jackson stated they

were aware of that and they are keeping an eye on [REDACTED] to see why the residents keep saying he is physically abusing them.

Specialist spoke with Jodie Davis with CACD regarding this report. Davis stated the AV was not consistent with his statement. Davis stated the witness also stated the AV told them something different. Davis stated the AO denied slapping AV. Davis stated the investigation was closed unsubstantiated.