

441—114.23(237) Unannounced visits.

114.23(1) *Time.* The unannounced visit shall occur during periods of the day when the child would normally be in the facility and awake. Visits at other times may occur only as a result of a specific complaint.

114.23(2) *Observations.* The visit shall include an assessment of the following areas:

- a.* Interaction between the staff and child.
- b.* Interaction between the children.
- c.* Discussion with the child about experiences in the facility.
- d.* A check on any previously sighted deficiencies.
- e.* Overall impression of the facility.

114.23(3) *Recommendation.* The licensing staff shall recommend follow-up, when needed.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 237.7.