

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Monitoring Inspection

Pursuant to section 21 of the *Early Childhood Services Act*, operators of licensed early learning and childcare facilities must post their most recent inspection report in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility.

Name of Operator Little Tykes Learning Center Inc.		Inspection Date May 20, 2026
Facility Name Little Tykes Learning Center Inc.		Licence Number 2025008
Address 120 Lorne St Moncton NB E1C 0J3		Telephone Number (506) 384-7513
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 43	Ages of Children PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Sarah Babineau	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (b) child records that include: (iv) the name, address and telephone number of at least two individuals authorized by the child's parent or guardian to pick up the child and to be contacted in case of an emergency if the parent or guardian cannot be reached,	24(1)(b)(iv)	May 20, 2026	
Comments: During the verification of child records, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that 2 out of 5 records did not include the full addresses for emergency contacts. All child records must include the name, address, and telephone number of at least two emergency contacts. The administrator must review all child records to ensure that emergency contact information is complete.			
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the following records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of a licensed facility: (c) staff member records that include (iv) a signed declaration confirming that the staff member has read and understood his or her obligations under the Act and this Regulation.	24(1)(c)(iv)	May 20, 2026	
Comments: While verifying a new staff member's record, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that the file did not contain a signed statement confirming the staff member has read and understood the Act and Regulations. Each staff member's record must include a signed statement. The administrator indicated that other staff record files were also missing this document. The administrator must ensure that all staff member records include a signed statement confirming their obligations under the Act and Licensing Regulations.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	May 20, 2026	
Comments: During the verification of the outdoor play area, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that a planter box containing dirt was deteriorating, with nails protruding from the sides. An educator was present in the vicinity to ensure that children did not approach the area. The administrator must ensure that the outdoor play area is maintained in a safe condition and free from hazards and must remove the damaged planter box to eliminate the risk and maintain a safe environment for children.			
37 An operator of a licensed facility shall not permit a child receiving services at the licensed facility access to the kitchen unless the child is supervised.	37	May 20, 2026	May 20, 2026

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<p>Comments: During the monitoring inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitoring observed that the kitchen door was left open and accessible to children. The educators and administrator must ensure that the children do not have access to the kitchen unless supervised. The administrator locked the door to ensure that the children did not have access to the kitchen.</p> <p>Deficiency is now compliant</p>			
<p>39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (a) toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies;</p>	<p>39(2)(a)</p>	<p>May 20, 2026</p>	<p>May 20, 2026</p>
<p>Comments: During the verification of the washrooms, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that a bottle of Febreze (air spray) was not stored in a locked cupboard. All toxic products, chemical products, and cleaning supplies must be locked and kept inaccessible to children. The administrator moved the Febreze (Air Mist) to a locked cupboard.</p> <p>Deficiency is now compliant</p>			

General Comments
<p>The Quality Assurance Monitor is on site this morning to conduct a monitoring inspection.</p> <p>The following elements were observed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Child records - Signed consent - Incident records - Medication - Washrooms and diaper changing procedures - Outdoor play area <p>During the visit, the following activities were observed: group time, shape learning, preparation for outdoor play, outdoor time, handwashing, and preparing for lunch.</p> <p>The Quality Assurance Monitor had a discussion regarding children's indoor shoes, as it was observed that more than half of the group did not have any. The Quality Assurance Monitor recommends that all children have indoor shoes to protect them from small items that could cause harm, and to ensure their safety in the event of an emergency evacuation.</p> <p>The ratio is respected during the visit.</p>

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Sarah Babineau

 Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 21, 2026

 Date

original signed by
Miranda Guitard

 Signature of Operator/Designated staff

May 21, 2026

 Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"