

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Renewal 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 COCHRAN'S HOME AWAY FROM HOME DAYCARE LTD.	Licence Number 263049	Inspection Date January 30, 2020	
Facility Name COCHRAN'S HOME AWAY FROM HOME DAYCARE		Telephone Number (506) 696-6442	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Patricia Kelley		Position Title Inspector	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
10(7) Despite subsection (1), infants shall not be grouped with children of another age group.	10(7)	Jan 30, 2020	
Comments: At the end of each day (approximately 15 minutes before closing), staff in the infant room bring one or two infants downstairs and mix with the other children. Infants are not to be mixed with other age groups. The infant room must remain open until the last infant leaves at closing.			
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: (ii) the name, address and telephone number of the child's medical practitioner.	24(1)(b)(ii)	Feb 07, 2020	
Comments: Missing physician address in 2 files (random review of files).			
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)	Feb 07, 2020	
Comments: Missing addresses of emergency contacts in 2 files (random review of files).			
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: (f) daily attendance records of the children on forms provided by the Minister.	24(1)(f)	Jan 30, 2020	
Comments: Many children not signed out on attendance records this week (infants and 2's).			
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (a) lighting, ventilation and other general health standards under the Public Health Act.	28(3)(a)	Mar 13, 2020	
Comments: Front entry: cubbies unclean, heater dusty, floating ceramic floor tile Infants: damaged wall with red paint, heater dusty 2's: damaged walls and paint chipped throughout the room, shelving unclean in dramatic play area and music Outdoor play space: large wooden sandbox not kept covered when not in use			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Feb 03, 2020	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
Comments: One fence board has lifted away from the fence and nails are exposed.			
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (d) clean and in good repair.	32(1)(d)	Feb 07, 2020	
Comments: 2's: broken toy bins, broken Little People house Preschool: 2 cushions torn on couch, broken green chair			
48(3) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide weekly menus to a parent or guardian of a child at least three days in advance of serving the food and shall modify the food served in the case of special nutritional requirements of a child.	48(3)	Jan 31, 2020	
Comments: Posted menu does not inform parents of food their child will be eating 3 days prior to serving the food.			

General Comments
<p>The children did not participate in outdoor play this morning due to a wind chill of -23 degrees Celsius.</p> <p>The children were observed to be actively engaged in play in their learning environments. Props and materials were set up and available for the children. Educators participated along with the children at their level and responded appropriately to their needs.</p> <p>A variety of styles of posted documentation reflects the current interests of the children. Lovely displays of the children's art creations that supports their learning. Be sure that the children's portfolios are kept current. Discussed possibilities for programming and documentation for the school age group. Furthermore, discussed the value in mark-making and open-ended art in addition to having books based on the topics being explored within the interest centres so as to enhance opportunities for conversation and literacy development.</p> <p>Pencils and pencil crayons are to be sharpened routinely to ensure that they are inviting for the children.</p> <p>Infant room: Discussed sanitizing toys more frequently in an attempt to reduce illness in the room.</p> <p>Challenge: What could you do as an educator in an effort to reduce the children's waiting time before lunch is served?</p>

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Patricia Kelley

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

January 30, 2020

Date

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Lisa Vienneau

Signature of Operator/Designate

January 30, 2020

Date