

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 Fredericton YMCA Inc.	Licence Number 504001	Inspection Date September 18, 2020
Facility Name YMCA Day Care and Kiddies Kollege		Telephone Number (506) 462-3000
Address 570 York Street Fredericton NB E3B 3R2		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Mary Ramsay-Irving		Position Title Inspector

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: (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)	Sep 30, 2020	
Comments: Some staff files do not contain the staff signed statements, and will need to be included with the 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: (c) staff member records that include (vii) a copy of a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate for each administrator and educator.	24(1)(c)(vii)	Oct 16, 2020	
Comments: Some staff files do not contain first aid certificates and they must be placed into the files.			
28(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall carry out emergency evacuation and fire drills monthly.	28(2)	Sep 30, 2020	
Comments: Some classrooms have not done a fire drill recently and so this will have to be completed as soon as possible.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Sep 30, 2020	
Comments: Please replace the canvas cover to the garden, as it is ripped.			

General Comments
<p>Upon arriving, I was screened, my temperature was taken, and I was signed in. There is COVID signage at the entrance, and the postings required for licencing regulations were up. A couple of postings need to be updated to reflect some new information, as discussed.</p> <p>The educators displayed positive child guidance such as gentle reminders, encouragement, and they were engaged with the children. The only class that needed to be divided due to COVID guidelines was the 4's room. The classroom was divided well with clear boundaries, and the groups take turns using the playground. It appears that this is working well in the classroom. There are sufficient age-appropriate materials for each room and the cleaning routines are being followed.</p>

General Comments

I saw children's work in each of the classrooms, and I was also shown the app that they are using to share information and current updates of what activities the children are doing. The program appeared to be running smoothly on the day of my visit.

original signed by

Mary Ramsay-Irving

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 18, 2020

Date

original signed by

Tabatha McCrea

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 18, 2020

Date