

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 Chatham Day Care Center Inc.	Licence Number 1132000	Inspection Date September 18, 2025	
Facility Name Chatham Day Care Center		Telephone Number (506) 773-9779	
Address 80 University Avenue Miramichi NB E1N 0C6			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Rachelle Roy Arseneau		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

- Morning visit to the establishment for an unexpected monitoring inspection
- During the visit ratio was respected
- Major incident report was reviewed with the administrator on what incident is considered reportable and which one is not.
- Daily incident log is maintained, and signed by the parent
- Minor incident reports are maintained in the child's file
- During the visit, it was observed that all educators are engaged with children at their level providing support and having conversations.
- Outdoor play area consists of more than one surface to permit different types of play
- Outdoor material is varied and in sufficient quantity for all children present
- Outdoor play area is maintained safe
- The outdoor play area has at least 0.45m² of shade for each child based on the maximum number of children that can be accommodated in the outdoor play area
- Infants are supervised at all times when eating or drinking
- Infant bottles are stored with a cover in the refrigerator, labeled with the child's name and only used for the intended child
- Allergy information on any child is posted in the food preparation area
- Drinking water is provided throughout the day
- Food brought from home is labeled with the child's name and refrigerated or has an ice pack as required
- Infants are not fed while lying down
- Snacks and lunch are provided by the operator, parents have a three-day notice when changes are being made to the menu.

Observations: When arriving at the center the two's were into free play, a water station was set up and other children were exploring their indoor environments. The infant's went out for a walk and then played in their outside space. The three's made a giant wreath out of leaves they have picked on their daily walks, and got ready to go play outside. The four's were into painting, building bridges with Legos and reading books. In the little learner's group some were exploring into a sensory tray, while others were into their kitchen cooking and getting pizza ready.

original signed by
Rachelle Roy Arseneau

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 18, 2025

Date

original signed by
Jackie McGraw

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 18, 2025

Date