

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 YMCA of Southwestern New Brunswick Inc.	Licence Number 2000695	Inspection Date February 20, 2025
Facility Name YMCA - MCC - Child Care and ASP		Telephone Number (506) 271-2464
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Britta Garnett		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
11 The qualifications and training requirements for administrators and educators are as follows: (a) an administrator and educators must hold a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate;	11(a)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (b) the weekly menus.	25(b)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (d) the name of the administrator.	25(d)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (e) the name and telephone number of the inspector.	25(e)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (f) the name and telephone number of the members of the board of directors, if applicable.	25(f)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025

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Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (g) whether a child receiving services at the licensed facility has a life-threatening allergy and a description of that allergy.	25(g)	Nov 04, 2024	Feb 20, 2025
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	May 01, 2025	
Comments: Preschool Outdoor Play Area: Surfacing depleted around bottom of small slides and stairs. To be replenished and raked regularly. Large orange and yellow dump truck in poor repair. To be removed and replaced. School-Age Outdoor Play Area: Cribbing around playground rotting away, exposing large spikes. To be repaired. QA Monitor discussed with staff during inspection, pylons to be added to cover spikes during in outdoor play until repaired. Previous comply by date - May 20, 2024, and Jul 2, 2024 Outdoor play area not observed today as it is currently covered in ice and snow. Deficiency carried over from last inspection. QA Monitor will follow up in the Spring.			
33(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide outdoor play area materials and equipment that are varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	33(1)	May 01, 2025	
Comments: Preschool Outdoor Play Area: Sand depleted in sandbox. To be replenished. Outdoor play area not observed today as it is currently covered in ice and snow. Deficiency carried over from last inspection. QA Monitor will follow up in the Spring.			
33(2) Stationary equipment in the outdoor play area shall be surrounded by a protective surfacing and installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.	33(2)	May 01, 2025	
Comments: School-Age Outdoor Play Area: Surfacing pooling away from the bottom of slides, swings and fall zones. Surfacing to be raked regularly. Outdoor play area not observed today as it is currently covered in ice and snow. Deficiency carried over from last inspection. QA Monitor will follow up in the Spring.			

General Comments

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Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning including block play, dramatic play, gross motor and fine motor activities, and playdoh. Each learning environment is set-up with invitations and materials that support the children's current interests (birthdays, snow, ice, and building).

Documentation is displayed throughout each environment that supports the children's interests and learning experiences. Documentation includes connections to the NB Curriculum Framework. Next steps - adding the children's words to their open-ended art pieces.

Nap time was observed today. The environments are dim, and educators put soft music on to ensure the environment is relaxing for children. The children's cots are set-up with bedding and are situated at an adequate distance apart. Educators observed comforting children as they settle in for nap.

Handwashing routines observed.

Chicken dinner was served for lunch today. Educators observed eating with the children and engaging in meaningful conversations.

Daily attendance forms are completed and accurate.

Monthly fire drills are documented.

New staff file (3) review was completed, all required documents in place.

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

February 20, 2025

Date

original signed by
M. Kingston

Signature of Operator/Designate

February 20, 2025

Date