

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 Mama's Tree House Day Care Inc.	Licence Number 2001883	Inspection Date May 15, 2025	
Facility Name Mama's Tree House Day Care		Telephone Number (506) 384-1464	
Address 182 Purdy Avenue Moncton NB E1C 7W4			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Stephanie Hickey		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
11.1(3) A staff member who works directly with infants or preschool children shall complete in each year 10 hours of training approved by the Minister related to the curriculum used at the designated facility.	11.1(3)	Apr 30, 2026	
Comments: During the renewal inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitor noted that one staff member had not completed the required 10 hours of professional learning in the previous licensing year. The operator was reminded of the importance of ensuring all eligible educators meet this requirement in the upcoming licensing year.			

General Comments
<p>The Quality Assurance Monitor was on site to conduct the renewal inspection. During the visit, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed various parts of the daily program, including indoor play, lunch time, nap time, and outdoor play.</p> <p>A discussion took place between the operator and the Quality Assurance Monitor regarding an incident where a staff member temporarily left her group of children with the operator, who was already supervising another group, in order to retrieve something from upstairs. The Quality Assurance Monitor informed the operator that staff members must not leave their group unattended at any time. The operator stated that they were supervising both groups during that period. The Quality Assurance Monitor clarified that, even if both groups are being watched, the required staff-to-child ratio is not maintained under such circumstances. The operator was reminded that if a staff member needs to leave the classroom, they must either bring the children with them or request assistance from another available staff member.</p> <p>A discussion regarding the daily routine was also held. The Quality Assurance Monitor observed that children were preparing to eat lunch at 10:59 a.m., although the posted schedule indicated lunch was to begin at 11:30 a.m. The operator was asked whether this earlier lunch time occurs regularly. It was also noted that the first snack is served at 8:30 a.m. The operator explained that the morning snack is typically offered upon each child's arrival, and that many children are not interested in eating it. The Quality Assurance Monitor suggested this could be due to children having recently eaten breakfast at home. An educator added that children have been hungry earlier in the day, which is why lunch has been served around 11:00 a.m. The Quality Assurance Monitor pointed out that serving the morning snack too early may contribute to children being hungry before the scheduled lunch time. As a result, a new daily routine was discussed collaboratively between the Quality</p>

General Comments

Assurance Monitor, the operator, and an educator. The operator agreed to revise the schedule and confirmed that a new daily routine would be developed and posted.

original signed by
Stephanie Hickey

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 14, 2025

Date

original signed by
Pauline Richard

Signature of Operator/Designate

May 14, 2025

Date