

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 Lisa Astle	Licence Number 2008361	Inspection Date June 14, 2022
Facility Name Kountry Kids Early Learning and Care		Telephone Number (506) 836-7722
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Vanessa Giberson		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
11 The qualifications and training requirements for administrators and educators are as follows: (b) educators must have successfully completed the Introduction to Early Childhood Education course or hold an Early Childhood Education Certificate.	11(b)	Sep 30, 2022	
Comments: Staff must be enrolled in the 90hours or in the ECE program. Proof must be in the staff members 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 (iii) a description of the staff member's duties and responsibilities.	24(1)(c)(iii)	Jun 24, 2022	
Comments: A few staff are missing their duties and responsibilities must be on file.			
31(6) The outdoor play area of a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre at which services are provided to infants or preschool children shall be enclosed with a fence at least 1.22 m in height with a gate that is secured at all times when the children are present.	31(6)	Jun 21, 2022	
Comments: The gate on the sandbox side does not latch, this must be repaired.			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (b) medications.	39(2)(b)	Jun 14, 2022	Jun 14, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
40(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that personal belongings of a child receiving services at the licensed facility that are brought to the licensed facility, including combs, brushes, toothbrushes, towels, washcloths, bedding, pacifiers and soothers, are (a) labelled with the name of the child.	40(1)(a)	Jun 14, 2022	Jun 14, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
40(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that personal belongings of a child receiving services at the licensed facility that are brought to the licensed facility, including combs, brushes, toothbrushes, towels, washcloths, bedding, pacifiers and soothers, are (c) stored separately for each child.	40(1)(c)	Jun 14, 2022	Jun 14, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

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48(2) An operator of a licensed facility may supply food to a child receiving services at the licensed facility that a parent or guardian of the child brings from the child's home if the food is labelled with the child's name and refrigerated, as required.	48(2)	Jun 15, 2022	
Comments: Children's food left on shelf, this needs to be refrigerated or in a lunch bag with an ice pack.			
9(1) The child-to-staff ratio is one educator for each of the following groups of children of the same age receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre: (a) three infants or fewer; (b) five children or fewer who are two years of age; (c) eight children or fewer who are three years of age; (d) ten children or fewer who are four years of age or older, but who are not yet attending school; and (e) 15 school-age children or fewer.	9(1)	Jun 14, 2022	Jun 14, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments
<p>Visit to the facility for annual inspection.</p> <p>Ratio was not respected upon arrival in the infant group. A two year old in this group removed and placed with the preschool group in order to be compliant.</p> <p>Two children's soothers were sitting on a shelf without label or container. When not in use these must be on stored separately and labelled for each child. The soothers were placed in bags with names on them during the visit.</p> <p>If a child with an allergy requires an EpiPen staff must collaborate with the parent to ensure that the EpiPen is on site.</p> <p>Discussed with a staff member the entry way to the facility (at the top of the stairs). The floor is getting soft and could possible become a safety hazard. Staff member confirmed that this is going to be repaired in the next few weeks.</p> <p>Recommending children's profiles be revised, a few are missing medicare number and complete doctors information.</p>

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Vanessa Giberson

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

June 14, 2022

Date

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Lisa Astle

Signature of Operator/Designate

June 14, 2022

Date