

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 HAMILTON HOMESTYLE DAYCARE LTD.	Licence Number 2008692	Inspection Date September 24, 2021	
Facility Name HAMILTON HOMESTYLE DAYCARE		Telephone Number (506) 652-9822	
Address 70 Gault Road Saint John NB E2M 5H2			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Lisa Green		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

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: (b) child records that include: (ii) the name, address and telephone number of the child's medical practitioner.	24(1)(b)(ii)	Oct 15, 2021	
Comments: Physician name, telephone number and address missing for one child file (random review of 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)	Sep 30, 2021	
Comments: Missing from one staff file. (random review of 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 (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, 2021	
Comments: Not completed for one staff file (random review of files).			
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (a) lighting, ventilation and other general health standards under the Public Health Act.	28(3)(a)	Sep 27, 2021	
Comments: Change table anchored to wall in bathroom dusty and in need of cleaning.			
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (b) codes and standards under the Fire Prevention Act.	28(3)(b)	Sep 24, 2021	
Comments: Jack's room- Outlet cover missing from one plug next to piano.			
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (d) clean and in good repair.	32(1)(d)	Sep 27, 2021	
Comments: Jack's room- white shelving dusty.			
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)	Oct 15, 2021	

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Comments: Mulch surrounding stationary equipment in 3/4 year old outdoor play area does not meet requirement of appropriate depth. A depth of 30 cm is required. Mulch should also be raked daily to ensure the depth is maintained.			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (a) toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies;	39(2)(a)	Sep 24, 2021	
Comments: Infant room- Glass cleaner in cupboard must be locked by lock and key. Jack's room- Cupboard containing cleaning products, not locked. Cupboard does have a lock and key closure but it was not secured at time of inspection while children were present in the room.			
48(4) If an infant is receiving services at a licensed facility, the operator shall (d) ensure that each bottle is stored with a cover in the refrigerator.	48(4)(d)	Sep 27, 2021	
Comments: Infant bottles did not have covers. As discussed, ensure parents are aware that bottles require a cover.			

General Comments

Renewal inspection completed today.

The children were observed in the indoor and outdoor play environments today. Children engaged in conversation with QA Monitor as they came in from outdoor play and while enjoying a healthy lunch. Educators were observed engaging with children at their level, reading books, being conversational partners, and responding to non-verbal cues.

Purposeful planning was evident in the materials and invitations set up for children throughout the learning environments. Materials are displayed at the children's level where they are able to independently access what they would like to play with. Books in each interest centre provides children with opportunities to extend their knowledge and creativity and promotes literacy.

Documentation posted includes learning stories, photos and children's art work and highlights recent activities, interests and accomplishments. Ensure children's individual portfolios are kept up to date with recent documentation.

Hand washing and diaper changing routines were observed throughout the course of the inspection. Ensure attendance records are taken when leaving the facility for outdoor play.

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Lisa Green

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 24, 2021

Date

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Heather Hamilton

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 24, 2021

Date