

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 Jennifer Curtis		Inspection Date July 29, 2026
Facility Name L'il Critters Early Learning and Care		Licence Number 2014027
Address Unit 2 1400 Water St Miramichi NB E1N 1A4		Telephone Number (506) 622-3200
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 25	Ages of Children PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Rachelle Roy Arseneau	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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General Comments -Morning visit to the establishment for an unexpected monitoring inspection -Ratio was respected during the visit -The administrator as well as all educators have a valid first aid certificate -The administrator and 50% of the staff have their one-year Early childhood education certificate -Medications are locked in the staff room and inaccessible to children -Medication used for anaphylactic shock (EPIPEN) are stored safely (inaccessible to children) but easy to access for staff -During the visit, it was observed that all educators are engaged with children at their level providing support and having conversations. Open-end questions are asked and guidance is given in a respectful and kind way -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 always supervised 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 -Outdoor material is varied and in sufficient quantity for all children present, and consists of more than one surface to permit different types of play -Outdoor play area is maintained safe and free of hazards Observations: When I arrived at the facility, some of the children were playing outside. They all came inside for lunch, and afterward, the toddlers transitioned to their nap time.
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original signed by Rachelle Roy Arseneau Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff	July 29, 2026 Date
original signed by Robert Curtis	July 29, 2026

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"