

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 Amy Levesque	Licence Number 2015430	Inspection Date January 26, 2021	
Facility Name Amy's Childcare		Telephone Number (506) 608-1736	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Tanya Gaudet		Position Title Inspector	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child. Comments: A schedule of purposely planned activities were not posted.	21	Jan 29, 2021	
21 A licensee shall post the following documents in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility associated with the licence: (a) the licence; (b) a report provided under section 23; (c) an order issued under section 28; and (d) a probationary license issued under section 29. Comments: The licence is posted however the last inspection report is not posted.	21(a) – (d)	Jan 29, 2021	
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: (vii) documentary evidence of the child's learning. Comments: Licensing staff did not observe any documented learning of the children enrolled.	24(1)(b)(vii)	Jan 29, 2021	
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children. Comments: Deficiency is now compliant	30(3)	Jan 26, 2021	Jan 26, 2021
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children. Comments: The fenced in area located in the back yard surrounding the private pool is required to have a lock with a key in order to prevent any hazards from occurring.	31(3)	Jan 26, 2021	

General Comments

The Operator performed a very thorough Covid-19 screening by asking licensing staff the updated screening questions as well as signing the licensing staff into the facility.

At the time of the renewal inspection it was observed that there weren't any documented pieces of children's learning posted in the play environment. Licensing staff relayed the importance of posting such documentation in order for the children to revisit the learning experience that accompanies purposely planned curriculum

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activities. It was also noted that a daily schedule of purposely planned activities was not posted. Licensing staff also relayed the importance of posting a schedule of purposely planned curriculum activities as per the Early Childhood Services Act. The Operator suggested to post the daily activities on the parent/communication board and then file this away for future inspections.

As far as documentation is concerned, it is also a requirement to post documentation such as the renewal inspection report along with the monitoring inspection report as per the Early Childhood Services Act. Please ensure that all reports are posted in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility associated with the licence.

During the renewal inspection it was noted that a piece of trim was removed from the stairwell which left three tiny nails exposed which is a safety hazard in the indoor play space. When this was brought to the Operator's attention, the Operator assured licensing staff that the hazard will be removed the same day of the renewal inspection.

While licensing staff was inspecting the outdoor environment it was noted that the gate leading to the fenced in area where the above ground pool is located was not locked and secure. This gate is required to be locked in order to avoid any safety hazard that may occur.

original signed by
Tanya Gaudet

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

January 26, 2021

Date

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date