

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 YMCA of Southwestern New Brunswick Inc.		Inspection Date September 14, 2026
Facility Name YMCA - Regional - Infant and Toddler		Licence Number 2016102
Address 191 Churchill Boulevard Saint John NB E2K 3E2		Telephone Number (506) 646-2384
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 43	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL
ELCC Licensing Staff Aimee Hanson	Position Title Inspector	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (d) clean and in good repair. Comments: One brown chair in twos room peeling and unable to washer properly. To be replaced.	32(1)(d)	Aug 31, 2026	
38(1) The children receiving services at a licensed facility shall have access to washrooms that include the following: (a) if one to nine preschool children or school-age children are receiving the services, one toilet and one sink; (b) if ten to 24 preschool children or school-age children are receiving the services, two toilets and two sinks; (c) if 25 to 49 preschool children or school-age children are receiving the services, three toilets and three sinks; and (d) if 50 or more preschool children or school-age children are receiving the services, four toilets and four sinks. Comments: One toilet is out of order within the washroom between the Twos and Two/Threes Room. The toilet is in need of repair as there are currently not enough working toilets on this license for the children enrolled. Moved over from the monitoring inspection. Original comply by date of May.29th.2026	38(1)	Aug 31, 2026	
48(6) An operator of a licensed facility shall post information relating to any allergies of the children in the food preparation area. Comments: Two room missing allergy information. Educator corrected during inspection. Deficiency is now compliant	48(6)	Aug 07, 2026	Jul 30, 2026

General Comments
A renewal inspection was conducted on July 30, 2026. Children were observed participating in both the indoor and outdoor learning environments. In the infant room, the current theme focused on pets. Documentation titled "My Little Pets" was displayed, showcasing children's experiences and learning. Cleaning products were securely locked and inaccessible to children. Allergy information was posted and easily visible. The diaper changing table was clean and maintained with a washable surface, and cribs were observed to be appropriately spaced to support children's health and safety. In the twos room, clear storage bins were placed at children's level and contained a variety of materials, including blocks, tools, and animal figures, encouraging independent access to play materials. A comfortable reading area was available with books, stuffed animals, and a rocking chair. During lunch, one child requested an additional serving of meatballs. The educator responded positively and willingly went to the kitchen to obtain

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more food for the child, demonstrating responsiveness to children's needs. One brown chair was observed with peeling material on the surface. As the damaged surface cannot be properly cleaned and sanitized, the chair is to be replaced. Allergy information was not posted in this room at the beginning of the inspection; however, it was posted and corrected during the inspection.

In the twos/threes room, the sensory table was filled with blue-coloured water, providing opportunities for sensory exploration and creative play. Documentation titled "Fire role Play" was displayed and highlighted children's learning experiences. A family wall featuring photographs of the children and their families was also observed, supporting children's sense of belonging and connection to their home environment.

First aid bags were available for all groups. Attendance records were reviewed and found to be current and up to date. Staff files were also reviewed and found to be complete and current. Washrooms were clean, stocked with soap, and supplied with running water. One toilet is out of order within the washroom between the Twos and Two/Threes Room. The toilet is in need of repair as there are currently not enough working toilets on this license for the children enrolled.

Educators were observed to be actively engaged with children in all groups throughout the inspection. Positive interactions were noted, and educators encouraged children's independence by allowing them to assist with serving snacks and lunch.

The outdoor play environment provided a variety of opportunities for active play and exploration. Children had access to climbing structures, balls, trucks, ride-on toys, sand play materials, buckets, shovels, loose parts, dramatic play materials, natural elements, and open spaces for running and group games. The outdoor environment supported gross motor development, physical activity, social interactions, and imaginative play.

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Aimee Hanson

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

July 30, 2026

Date

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Operator did not send back signed report

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

July 30, 2026

Date

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