New Nouveau Brunswick

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		Inspection Date
Maritime Conference of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church Inc		November 18, 2026
Facility Name		**Licence Number**
Precious Jewels Early Learning Centre		2021022
Address		**Telephone Number**
161 Salisbury Road Moncton NB E1E 1A6		(506) 382-1222
Type of Facility	**Maximum Number of Children**	**Ages of Children**
Full-time Early Learning and Child Care Centre	36	INFANTS PRESCHOOL
ELCC Licensing Staff	**Position Title**	
Veronique Berube	Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

The Quality Assurance Monitor is on site in the morning to conduct a monitoring inspection. The ratio was respected during the visit.

The following elements were verified:

- Administrator
- Supervision
- If all required documents are posted in a visible place in the facility
-The indoor play area and materials
- Daily routine
- Child records
- Signed consents in the children's profile

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed that the outdoor playground maintenance verification had not been documented for the month of October. The Administrator informed the Quality Assurance Monitor that the verification had been completed; however, it was not documented as no issues were identified during the inspection. During the visit, the Administrator documented the October verification.

The Quality Assurance Monitor also observed that the gate leading to the fenced outdoor play area had a padlock attached in a manner that prevented the gate latch from closing properly. Gates must be secured with self-closing and self-latching mechanisms that prevent preschool children from opening them. Gates must not be locked due to safety requirements outlined by the Office of the Fire Marshal. Upon notification, an educator removed the padlock and ensured that the gate closed and latched properly.

The Quality Assurance Monitor observed that, in one classroom, the children's hands were being cleaned using individual facecloth and water from a container before lunch. The Quality Assurance Monitor discussed this practice with the educators and the administrator and reminded them that proper handwashing must be conducted using running water and liquid soap to ensure effective infection prevention and control.

General Comments
During the review of child profiles, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that one of the listed emergency contacts was the child's father in one child profile. The Quality Assurance Monitor informed the administrator that a parent or guardian cannot be designated as an emergency contact. The purpose of having at least two emergency contacts, other than the parent(s) or guardian(s), is to ensure that an alternate individual can be reached and authorized to pick up the child in the event of an emergency when the parent or guardian cannot be contacted. The Quality Assurance Monitor observed the children singing songs, rehearsing for their winter Christmas concert, and transitioning to the outdoor play area. The children were also observed transitioning back to the indoor play area to eat their lunch (lunch boxes). Positive interactions were observed between the educators and the children throughout the observation period.

original signed by
Veronique Berube — November 19, 2026
Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff — Date

original signed by
Nicole Ste Marthe — November 19, 2026
Signature of Operator/Designated staff — Date

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