

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 YMCA OF GREATER SAINT JOHN INC.	Licence Number 2022014	Inspection Date June 14, 2023	
Facility Name YMCA - GSJ - North Hub - Childcare		Telephone Number (506) 349-6225	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Britta Garnett		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
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)	Jun 19, 2023	
Comments: Diaper changing procedure not followed. Educator did not wash hands and changing pad was not sprayed between changes. Diaper changing procedures to be reviewed with all staff.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	May 22, 2023	Jun 14, 2023
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	May 15, 2023	Jun 14, 2023
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
31(6) The outdoor play area of a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre at which services are provided to infants or preschool children shall be enclosed with a fence at least 1.22 m in height with a gate that is secured at all times when the children are present.	31(6)	Jun 26, 2023	
Comments: Gate doors becoming loose, due to the impacted ground underneath. Gate to be repaired in a way that is secure. Previous comply by date - Jun 5, 2023.			
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (a) varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	32(1)(a)	Jun 26, 2023	
Comments: Threes Room and Fours Room: Art materials depleted. A variety of open-ended art materials must be accessible to the children. Art materials to be replenished daily. Examples of materials to include, but are not limited to: variety of paper in colours, textures and sizes, paint, paint brushes, paint rollers, mark making materials, glue, tape, feathers, tissue paper, cardboard tubes, fabric, yarn, ribbon, recycled items, items collected from nature, collage materials, etc.			
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)	Jun 26, 2023	

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<p>Comments: Fours Room: Play kitchen drawers - accumulating dirt and debris. To be cleaned. Previous comply by date - May 17, 2023. Play kitchen sink - broken. To be repaired. Sensory Table - standing water left in bottom and on edges causing musty smell. Sensory table not to be used until deep cleaned and sanitized. To be left open to air dry after cleaning. Discussed with supervisor during inspection.</p>			
33(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide outdoor play area materials and equipment that are varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	33(1)	Jun 26, 2023	
<p>Comments: Outdoor play materials depleted. Examples of materials to include, but are not limited to: balls, pylons, small vehicles, plants, art materials, clipboards, rulers, books, tools, nets, magnifying glasses, containers (for bug catching/dumping/pouring), water play materials, mark making materials and materials that support the children's interests. Previous comply by date - May 22, 2023.</p>			

General Comments

Follow up on orders for compliance ahead of Renewal Inspection.

Children and educators observed during indoor play, outdoor play, transitions, washroom routines and mealtime.

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

June 14, 2023

Date

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A. Wood-Toner

Signature of Operator/Designate

June 14, 2023

Date