

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Renewal Re-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 761340 N.B. LTD		Inspection Date May 13, 2026
Facility Name Brighter Beginnings Childcare Center		Licence Number 2024145
Address 67 Main Street Linton Corner NB E7G 2H3		Telephone Number (506) 477-9396
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Childcare Centre	Maximum Number of Children 49	Ages of Children INFANTS PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Nancy Glendenning	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.	21	Jun 05, 2026	
Comments: As discussed a purposely planned and documented program is required for the school age children. A program can be implemented based on the interests of the children. Proof of a purposely planned and documented program will be verified on next visit.			
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: (i) menu plans and any substitutions.	24(1)(i)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026
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)	Jun 05, 2026	
Comments: As noted on a previous monitoring visit the picnic table has sharp edges and rotting wood and must be removed from the play area. The swings sets are positioned too close to the fence and should have 6 feet clearance from the encroachment zone.			
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)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (b) arranged on low, open shelves and accessible to the children receiving services at the licensed facility,	32(1)(b)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
33(2) Stationary equipment in the outdoor play area shall be surrounded by a protective surfacing and installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.	33(2)	Jun 05, 2026	
Comments: There must be 30 cm of protective surfacing around the swings and slide.			
38(4) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide steps or platforms that allow the children to use regular-sized toilets and sinks.	38(4)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
40(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that personal belongings of a child receiving services at the licensed facility that are brought to the licensed facility, including combs, brushes, toothbrushes, towels, washcloths, bedding, pacifiers and soothers, are (c) stored separately for each child.	40(1)(c)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
41(1) A licensed facility at which services are provided to children who wear diapers shall have a sturdy surface that is (d) no more than one metre from a sink.	41(1)(d)	May 08, 2026	May 13, 2026
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments

The purpose of this visit was to complete the renewal inspection and to follow up on compliance items from last visit. The blankets in the 4 year old space are now be stored separately, steps have been purchased for the sinks and children now have access to sinks in those areas, the menus are being followed and therefore there has been no changes to note since last visit.

Licensing staff will return to verify a documented program for the school age children, as well as requirements outlined for the outdoor play space. Shade for this area should be in place at this time.

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 Nancy Glendenning

 Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

_____ May 13, 2026
 Date

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 Operator unavailable to sign

 Signature of Operator/Designated staff

_____ May 13, 2026
 Date

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