

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 Southwestern New Brunswick Inc.		Inspection Date October 09, 2026
Facility Name YMCA - Regional - PS and ASP		Licence Number 283001
Address 191 Churchill Boulevard Saint John NB E2K 3E2		Telephone Number (506) 651-0315
Type of Facility Full-time Early Learning and Child Care Centre	Maximum Number of Children 49	Ages of Children PRESCHOOL SCHOOL-AGE
ELCC Licensing Staff Britta Garnett	Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

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: Deficiency is now compliant.	21	Aug 26, 2026	Oct 09, 2026
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: Deficiency is now compliant.	21(a) – (d)	Aug 24, 2026	Oct 09, 2026
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. Comments: Deficiency is now compliant.	32(1)(a)	Aug 24, 2026	Oct 09, 2026

General Comments
Monitoring Inspection: Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this afternoon including sensory opportunities, Lego, board games, and art. A small group of children were exploring mixing colours with paint that had been set out for the children at arrival. Another small group were engaged in a doll hair dyeing activity with washable markers. Purposeful planning is evident through documentation, invitations and materials added to the environments that support the children's current interests. A deep cleaning of the environments has been conducted; it is evident that each environment is cleaned regularly. The walls throughout the facility are in need of some repairs and fresh paint. One face plate is missing from an outlet in the McMurray Room (by the back exit), QA Monitor discussed that it needs replaced as soon as possible with staff on site.

General Comments

Dramatic play materials in Group #3 are lacking. There is a workbench without accessories accessible; to be added and set-up in a way that invites children to engage in dramatic play and building.

Handwashing routines were observed at arrival, during washroom routines and before snack.

Monthly fire drills are documented.

Daily attendance records are accurate and reflect all children present. Child-to-staff ratio was observed to be met during Monitoring Inspection. Educators were observed conducting frequent and accurate headcounts during arrival and transitions. Educators communicated with each other between bus drop offs to ensure all children were accounted for.

New staff file (6) review was completed; all required documents are in place.

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 15, 2026

Date

original signed by
E. Keddy

Signature of Operator/Designated staff

October 15, 2026

Date

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of this report"