

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 283004	Inspection Date March 26, 2024	
Facility Name YMCA OF GREATER SAINT JOHN REGIONAL CHILD CARE		Telephone Number (506) 646-2384	
Address 191 Churchill Boulevard Saint John NB E2K 3E2			
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
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: (c) staff member records that include (iii) a description of the staff member's duties and responsibilities.	24(1)(c)(iii)	Apr 09, 2024	
Comments: One staff file missing Job Description. To be added. Previous comply by date Sept 25, 2023.			
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: (c) staff member records that include (iv) a signed declaration confirming that the staff member has read and understood his or her obligations under the Act and this Regulation.	24(1)(c)(iv)	Sep 25, 2024	Mar 26, 2024
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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: (f) daily attendance records of the children on forms provided by the Minister.	24(1)(f)	Mar 26, 2024	
Comments: Three/Four Room and Fours Room: Attendance forms not completed. Some children not signed in at arrival. Attendance forms to be updated each time a child arrives.			
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)	Mar 27, 2024	
Comments: Fours Room: One child arrived and did not wash hands. Each child must wash their hands at arrival.			
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)	Sep 25, 2023	Mar 26, 2024
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Sep 18, 2023	Mar 26, 2024
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

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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)	Apr 02, 2024	
Comments: Children's diaper wipes stored in a pile in the changing table cabinet. Individual space to be provided for diapering items for each child.			

General Comments
<p>Monitoring Inspection:</p> <p>Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning including tabletop fine motor activities, dramatic play, sensory opportunities, stories and outdoor play. Educators observed engaging in meaningful conversations with the children. Documentation is displayed throughout each environment that supports the current interests and learning of the children.</p> <p>Discussed with site supervisor ways to incorporate an open-ended art activity rather than colouring pages. Recommend setting up an invitation that encourages children to create their own colouring pages. Children's drawings can be photocopied to create a group colouring book to share. Examples of materials to add white paper, black markers, rulers, etc.</p>

original signed by
Britta Garnett

March 26, 2024

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

Date

original signed by
B. Craig

March 26, 2024

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date