

## 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 The Preschool Centre Inc.	Licence Number 518003	Inspection Date September 09, 2022
Facility Name The Preschool Centre		Telephone Number (506) 458-8982
Address 717 Windsor Street Fredericton NB E3B 4G3		
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Megan Munden		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: (b) child records that include: (i) the child's name, address, birth date and Medicare number, Comments: This was missing from 3 files that were checked.	24(1)(b)(i)	Sep 12, 2022	
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: (b) child records that include: (v) the child's health history and a copy of the record of immunizations or a copy of an exemption. Comments: This was missing from 4 files that were checked	24(1)(b)(v)	Sep 19, 2022	
47(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall refuse admission to a child if satisfactory proof of the immunizations required by the Public Health Act or the regulations under that Act is not provided. Comments: This was missed from 4 files that were checked	47(1)	Sep 12, 2022	

**General Comments**

On the morning of my monitoring visit, I observed children playing outside and one group went for a walk. There were numerous materials for the children to play with and the educators positioned themselves around the space to ensure proper supervision. Children were playing with trucks, balls, and digging in the sand. Some older children were doing glitter tattoos with their educators and this was a popular activity.

Educators have worked hard to continue organizing and the rooms are continuing to be set up for the new school year. Materials have been well organized and new art work is being added. Many educators are switching out their plastic bins for some baskets and this is a nice change. The furniture placement in the rooms has also changed and looks good. Defined areas for reading, block creations and dramatic play are evident.

I heard many positive comments from educators and observed patience and kindness.

The downstairs rooms have been painted and decluttered. New flooring is being installed soon.

General Comments

Lunch today was hash brown casserole, green beans, apples and milk.

While verifying files, it was noted that 3 files of the ones that were checked are missing medicare numbers and 4 of the files that were checked are missing immunization records.

It was noted that artificial turf is being used in lieu of a rug in some areas. I will be checking with Public Health to see if this is an approved surface to use indoors. The concern is the difficulty it could pose to be properly and thoroughly cleaned.

Please send in your Change in Service form for the outdoor deck that was added to the space this past summer.

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Megan Munden

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 09, 2022

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Date

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Kristine Schuttenbeld

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Signature of Operator/Designate

September 09, 2022

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Date