

Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Renewal 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 2002393	Inspection Date September 14, 2022
Facility Name YMCA OF GREATER SJ Q-PLEX AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM - UPSTAIRS		Telephone Number (506) 849-5784
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Breanne Jones		Position Title Inspector

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Sep 30, 2022	
Comments: Walls require painting throughout including the washrooms. Window ledges require cleaning and paint as well. Some areas will require crack fill/sanding prior to painting where peeling is evident. Floors on both sides require thorough cleaning to remove paint splatter and sticky residue throughout.			
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 30, 2022	
Comments: Senior side lacks opportunities for dramatic play and science materials. These materials must be accessible for the children to explore and should be based on the children's current interests. Perler bead trays were out and accessible but there were no perler beads accessible to support this.			
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 30, 2022	
Comments: Area rug on Senior side is stained and in poor condition-to be cleaned. If this can't be removed, it should be replaced. The creative art shelf on the Seniors side was well organized and inviting but the shelving requires thorough cleaning to remove residue. Easel, blue tray in poor repair. To be removed. Some Lego bins in poor repair. To be replaced. Counter top - unclean. To be cleaned.			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (a) toxic products, chemical products and cleaning supplies;	39(2)(a)	Sep 14, 2022	
Comments: Paint cans and windex were being stored near back of room (near kitchen) today. This was moved to locked storage at time of inspection.			
50(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall maintain a chronologically filed daily incident log relating to the health, security and well-being of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	50(1)	Sep 30, 2022	
Comments: The child's last name was missing on some incident reports. Ensure the year is also recorded with the date. Some incident reports from a different license (Rothesay) were filed with current license. Ensure these are organized by license and filed within chronological order.			

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50(2) The operator of a licensed facility shall inform the parent or guardian of a child involved in an incident on the day the incident takes place and shall ensure that the parent or guardian signs the daily log to confirm their awareness.	50(2)	Sep 30, 2022	
Comments: Parent signature was missing on some incident reports. Ensure the parent is advised and signs the report as soon as possible.			

General Comments
<p>Renewal Inspection:</p> <p>Children and educators observed during arrival, indoor play, snack and transition times. Children were greeted upon arrival in a way that invited them into the after school program.</p> <p>Each environment was set up with invitations for the children to engage in play. A variety of art materials are set up in the creative art area. Loose parts have been added and displayed in a way that invites children to explore.</p> <p>Hand washing routines observed. Fire drills complete. Yogurt and cereal was served for snack.</p> <p>Please ensure that non-reportable incident reports are filed chronologically and separated based on the license. Location should identify the license and within the description the staff can describe specifically where the incident occurred.</p>

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Breanne Jones

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

September 14, 2022

Date

original signed by
Jennifer Cormier

Signature of Operator/Designate

September 14, 2022

Date