

## 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.

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| Name of operator<br>Jennifer Curtis   | Licence Number<br>2014027 | Inspection Date<br>May 14, 2024             |
| Facility Name<br>L'il Critters Early Learning and Care                        |                           | Telephone Number<br>(506) 622-3200          |
| Address<br>227 Wellington Street Miramichi NB E1N 1N1                         |                           |   |
| Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff<br>Rachelle Roy Arseneau |                           | Position Title<br>Quality Assurance Monitor |

| Order for Compliance   | Regulation   | Date to be corrected | Date corrected |
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| 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 (v) a copy of a criminal record check or vulnerable sector check, as the case may be. | 24(1)(c)(v)  | May 17, 2024         |                |
| Comments:  |              |                      |                |
| 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 (vi) a copy of a check with the Department of Social Development.                     | 24(1)(c)(vi) | May 30, 2024         |                |
| Comments:  |              |                      |                |

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| <p><b>General Comments</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Visit to the learning center at the beginning of the afternoon for an unexpected monitoring inspection</li> <li>-Ratio was respected during the visit</li> <li>-Posted in a visible and prominent place in the facility are the following documents: The license, inspection report, orders for compliance, daily routine, evacuation procedures, name of administrator, name and telephone number of QA Monitor and inspector, Life-threatening allergies and a notice to inform parents of the existence of a communicable disease (if there are any)</li> <li>-Daily routine into the center includes; Outdoor play time at least once every 4 hour block time, when the weather is permitting. Meal and snacks are served at the recognized hours and a daily period of rest and/or quiet activities to balance their active play.</li> <li>-During the visit, a positive approach is observed in the guidance, care, and discipline of children</li> <li>-Outdoor play area has at least 10% shade and consists of more than one surface to permit different types of play</li> <li>-Material in the outdoor space is varied and in sufficient quantity for all children present</li> <li>-During the visit, the outdoor play area is maintained safe and free of hazard</li> <li>-Toxic products, and cleaning supplies are locked and inaccessible to children</li> <li>-All staff files were check, 2 files out of 6 were missing documents. 1 file is missing the renewal for the criminal record check and the second one was missing the renewal from Social Development check. Once both documents are received, they will be sent by e-mail.</li> </ul> |
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General Comments

Observations: When arriving at the center children were napping, they slowly woke up and played quietly while the others were waking up. They ate their snack and got ready to go play outside.

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Rachelle Roy Arseneau

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 14, 2024

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Date

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Jennifer Curtis

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Signature of Operator/Designate

May 14, 2024

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