

## 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>679028 N.B. INC.                                     | Licence Number<br>2015092 | Inspection Date<br>November 13, 2025        |
| Facility Name<br>Riverview Riddles and Rhymes Childcare                  |                           | Telephone Number<br>(506) 387-4989          |
| Address<br>567 Coverdale Road Riverview NB E1B 3K7                       |                           |                                             |
| Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff<br>Stephanie Hickey |                           | Position Title<br>Quality Assurance Monitor |

| Order for Compliance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Regulation | Date to be corrected | Date corrected |
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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 (a) labelled with the name of the child.                      | 40(1)(a)   | Nov 13, 2025         | Nov 13, 2025   |
| Comments: During the monitoring inspection, several water bottles were observed without labels indicating the child's name. The Quality Assurance Monitor brought this to the educators' attention, and they promptly labeled each bottle with the appropriate child's name. Deficiency is now compliant.                                       |            |                      |                |
| 41(3) An operator of a licensed facility shall (a) post diaper-changing procedures in diaper-changing areas.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 41(3)(a)   | Nov 13, 2025         | Nov 13, 2025   |
| Comments: During the monitoring inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed that the diaper-changing procedures were not posted in one of the changing areas. This was brought to the attention of the administrator and operator, who promptly printed the procedure and posted it in the designated area. Deficiency is now compliant. |            |                      |                |

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| General Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <p>The Quality Assurance Monitor was on site in the morning to conduct a monitoring inspection. Child-to-staff ratios were maintained throughout the visit.</p> <p>The Quality Assurance Monitor verified the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Washrooms</li> <li>-Storage spaces</li> <li>-Nutrition</li> <li>-Outdoor play area</li> <li>-Outdoor play area materials and equipment</li> </ul> <p>During the inspection, the Quality Assurance Monitor observed children engaged in various activities, including indoor play, outdoor play, and experimenting with "fake snow."</p> <p>A discussion took place between the operator and the Quality Assurance Monitor regarding two classrooms that did not go outdoors during the visit. The Quality Assurance Monitor observed that two out of five classrooms did not participate in outdoor play. The operator and administrator were reminded of Regulation 22, which states: The daily routine of a licensed facility shall include (a) outdoor play for at least one hour in each four-hour block</p> |

## General Comments

of time when the majority of children receiving services are in attendance, except in the following circumstances:

- (i) The wind chill is below -20°C
- (ii) The temperature is below -20°C
- (iii) The temperature is 33°C with humidity or above

The operator explained that each classroom has a scheduled outdoor play time and that educators are aware of their designated times. The Quality Assurance Monitor noted that educators had indicated their outdoor time was at 10:00 a.m.; however, it was well past that time and the group had not yet gone outside. The operator stated that a discussion would take place with educators to address this.

Another discussion occurred regarding a staff member whose Criminal Record Check/Vulnerable Sector Check has been expired since July. The operator stated that the staff member has been on vacation since September and is scheduled to return at the beginning of December. The Quality Assurance Monitor emphasized that the check should have been renewed immediately upon expiry. The operator confirmed that the staff member had been contacted and indicated they had completed a check in 2023 but was unsure why it was not in their file. The Quality Assurance Monitor reiterated that the updated Criminal Record Check/Vulnerable Sector Check must be completed before the staff member returns on site. The operator confirmed this will be done prior to the staff member's return.

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**Stephanie Hickey**

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

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November 13, 2025

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Date

original signed by  
**Kelley Collins**

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Signature of Operator/Designate

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November 13, 2025

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Date