

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 Little Land Learning Centre Inc.	Licence Number 2018342	Inspection Date August 05, 2020	
Facility Name Little Land Learning Centre		Telephone Number (506) 458-5552	
Address 435 Brookside Drive Fredericton NB E3A 8V4			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Jennifer Godin		Position Title Inspector	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
12(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that a criminal record check or a vulnerable sector check, as the case may be, and a check with the Department of Social Development is conducted on each individual before he or she becomes a staff member.	12(2)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: As set out in the Early Childhood Services Act and Licensing Regulations, it is the Operator's duty to ensure each staff member has obtained a check with Social Development prior to employment, demonstrating no contraventions against the Family Services Act. During the inspection on August 5, 2020 it was found that an educator had a check with Social Development (SD Check) but was not dated. Educator may not return to work at the facility until new dated SD check is provided to the Inspector with no contraventions.			
12(3) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that a criminal record check or a vulnerable sector check, as the case may, and a check with the Department of Social Development is conducted on each staff member and associated person at least every five years.	12(3)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: See Regulation 12(2).			
13(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall not employ or otherwise engage a person as a staff member if the person (b) has been identified by a check with the Department of Social Development under paragraphs 12(4)(a) to (d).	13(2)(b)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: See Regulation 12(2).			
21 A licensee shall post the following documents in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility associated with the licence: (a) the licence; (b) a report provided under section 23; (c) an order issued under section 28; and (d) a probationary licence issued under section 29.	21(a) – (d)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: Inspection Reports are required to be posted within the facility in a visible, prominent location. Annual inspection reports are to remain posted until the next annual inspection is completed. Likewise, monitoring inspection reports are to be posted until the next monitoring inspection is conducted. It was observed during today's inspection that the last monitoring visit inspection reported dated January 23, 2020, was not posted. It was also observed that last year renewal inspection report dated June 27, 2019, was not posted.			

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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 (vi) a copy of a check with the Department of Social Development.	24(1)(c)(vi)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: See Regulation 12(2).			
25 An operator of a licensed facility shall post in a clearly visible and prominent place on the premises: (g) whether a child receiving services at the licensed facility has a life-threatening allergy and a description of that allergy.	25(g)	Aug 05, 2020	Aug 05, 2020
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
28(2) An operator of a licensed facility shall carry out emergency evacuation and fire drills monthly.	28(2)	Aug 14, 2020	
Comments: Monthly emergency evacuation/fire drill not completed for month of July.			
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)	Aug 05, 2020	Aug 05, 2020
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant A daily log must be kept for each self-contained group that would include the names (children and educators) of those in the group, the daily attendance record, and the date the group was established. Should you wish to keep all of the above-mentioned information plus daily temperature log on one sheet, please see Appendix C: ELCF and Summer Camp – Sample Daily Group Log in the COVID-19 Recovery Phase: Guidance to Early Learning and Childcare Facilities and Summer Camps document provided by the Department of Health/Department of Education and Early Childhood Development.			
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)	Aug 05, 2020	Aug 05, 2020
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant Observed a bottle of bleach in the kitchen area. Even though the kitchen is inaccessible to the children at all times, toxic products must be kept under lock and key. Operator was able to lock the bottle of bleach up during time of inspection.			

General Comments
Observed educators promoting a positive environment by engaging with the children at their level while interacting and speaking with them, and by using gentle voices and reminders with the children.
Observed educators effectively supervising the children to ensure proper hand washing.
A reminder that when children are resting on mats, but remain awake, that they are not required to stay on the mat for longer than 20/30 minutes.

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Jennifer Godin

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 05, 2020

Date

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Nicolle LeBlanc

August 05, 2020

Signature of Operator/Designate

Date