

## Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:  
Follow-Up 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 2019533	Inspection Date August 16, 2021
Facility Name YMCA Regional Field House Child Care Centre		Telephone Number (506) 646-2102
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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
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 license issued under section 29.	21(a) – (d)	Jul 12, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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: (vi) daily information sheets on forms provided by the Minister for each child under the age of 24 months.	24(1)(b)(vi)	Jul 09, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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 (iv) a signed declaration confirming that the staff member has read and understood his or her obligations under the Act and this Regulation.	24(1)(c)(iv)	Jul 09, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Jul 09, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Jul 09, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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 17, 2021	

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<p>Comments: Educators are now hanging disinfectant spray for diapering on the wall above change table, out of children's reach. During today's inspection, educator shared that she brings the children to the sink within the classroom to wash hands following toileting/diapering. Discussed with educator and advised that this can not happen. Following toileting, hands must be washed within the washrooms to prevent contamination and spread of communicable disease. Recommended purchasing individual hand soap pumps if children can not reach soap dispensers. Previous comply by date of July 9/21.</p> <p>Inspector also recommends cleaning of guinea pig cage to occur on Monday morning prior to children's arrival rather than Monday afternoon. The cage was noted to be unclean today at time of inspection and dropping of guinea pig feces was brought to educators attention on the floor near the cage. This was cleaned up immediately.</p>			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Aug 31, 2021	
<p>Comments: Painting has not been completed to date. Administrator indicated this would be contracted out. Administrator to send proof of expected completion date to inspector.</p> <p>The floors have not been cleaned to remove the residue from tape noted in renewal inspection (2/3s room). To be completed immediately.</p> <p>Previous comply by date of July 23/21.</p>			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Aug 31, 2021	
<p>Comments: The slide within the outdoor play area has been re-attached to structure. Nails are still protruding from broken plant box (on wooden structure) on both sides. Previous comply by date of July 9/21.</p>			
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)	Jul 12, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
<p>Comments: Deficiency is now compliant</p>			
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (c) in compliance with the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act (Canada) and the regulations under that Act.	32(1)(c)	Aug 17, 2021	
<p>Comments: Containers of small decorative art materials are still being stored within children's reach. Containers have lids, but these should still be stored out of the children's reach as they are choking hazards for this age group. Creative art shelf to be replenished with developmentally appropriate materials. Previous comply by date of July 8, 21.</p>			
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)	Aug 31, 2021	
<p>Comments: Monkey bean bag pillow within infant room still has stains and the cover can not be removed to launder. This must be replaced with one that can be removed and laundered regularly.</p> <p>The wooden gate within the infant room is still wobbly, and an infant was observed holding and shaking the gate during time of inspection today. This must be secured or replaced with an alternative gate/partition.</p> <p>Previous comply by date of July 12/21.</p>			
33(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide outdoor play area materials and equipment that are varied and in sufficient quantity for the number and ages of the children receiving services at the licensed facility.	33(1)	Jul 12, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
<p>Comments: Deficiency is now compliant</p>			
39(2) A licensed facility shall have a separate locked storage space that is inaccessible to the children for each of the following: (b) medications.	39(2)(b)	Aug 17, 2021	
<p>Comments: Benadryl has been locked up since renewal inspection, however amoxicillin was discovered within the fridge in infant sleep room today. This must also be locked up. This was removed and sent to the kitchen to be stored in fridge where the kitchen door remains locked. Safe storage of toxic products/medications to be reviewed with all staff. Previous comply by date of July 9/21.</p>			

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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 (c) stored separately for each child.	40(1)(c)	Jul 09, 2021	Aug 16, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

<p>General Comments</p> <p>Follow up to renewal inspection completed today. Some orders for compliance remain. Hand washing and snack routines observed in some rooms. Preschool aged children were observed within outdoor play area engaged with their educators and outdoor equipment. Discussed infant outdoor play area with educators. Educators report that all toys/materials/equipment are taken out of outdoor play house when the children go outdoors as recommended at time of renewal inspection. Storage totes with lids have been added to outdoor play area to ease accessibility of outdoor play equipment. Licence will not be renewed until orders are in compliance. Another follow up inspection is required.</p>
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Breanne Jones

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Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

August 16, 2021

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Date

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Kara Fillmore

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Signature of Operator/Designate

August 16, 2021

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