

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.

Name of operator YMCA OF GREATER SAINT JOHN INC.	Licence Number 2019533	Inspection Date February 08, 2024	
Facility Name YMCA Regional Field House Child Care & After School Program		Telephone Number (506) 646-2102	
Address 129 McAllister Drive Saint John NB E2J 2S6			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Britta Garnett		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor	

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
21 The daily activities of a licensed facility shall be purposely planned in advance and documented and shall respond to the capabilities, needs and interests of each child.	21	Feb 26, 2024	
Comments: Twos Room: Purposeful planning not evident through documentation. Planning and documentation within environment not current during inspection. Purposeful planning to be visible through documentation throughout the environment. Examples of documentation to be added, but not limited to webs, learning stories, questions, children's words, planning, photos, etc.			
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)	Jan 15, 2024	Feb 08, 2024
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)	Feb 26, 2024	
Comments: Washing Machine - accumulating mold inside causing laundry to have an odor. Mold to be removed or washing machine to be replaced. Discussed with administrator during inspection.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Feb 19, 2024	
Comments: Twos Room: Back wall - screws protruding. To be repaired.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	Feb 08, 2024	
Comments: Infant and Preschool Outdoor Play Area: Outdoor play areas ice covered; hazard noted by QA Monitor during inspection. QA Monitor closed outdoor play area until the play area could be sanded. Ensure sand is accessible to staff when conditions become icy during outdoor play. Discussed with administrator during inspection.			
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)	Mar 04, 2024	

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Comments: Infants 1 & 2: Doll accessories not accessible. Doll clothes, bottles, beds (Infant 1), blankets, etc. to be added.			
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)	Feb 26, 2024	
Comments: Infant 1: Dramatic play kitchen in poor repair - to be replaced. Infant 2: Doll bed unclean - to be cleaned. Gate door between Infant Rooms unclean - to be cleaned. Twos: Dramatic play kitchen sink missing - to be replaced. Water table tub - broken has been removed however, water able tub has not been replaced. To be replaced.			
43 An operator of a licensed facility shall not permit hot beverages in areas that are occupied by the children receiving services at the licensed facility, including the outdoor play area.	43	Jan 08, 2024	Feb 08, 2024
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

<p>General Comments</p> <p>Monitoring Inspection - Infant and Twos Rooms:</p> <p>Children and educators observed engaged in a variety of activities this morning including painting, sensory opportunities, outdoor play, and dramatic play. Educators observed at children's level, engaging in meaningful conversations.</p> <p>Hand washing routines observed. Spaghetti was served for lunch.</p> <p>Follow Up to Monitoring Inspection (Jan 2024) - School-Age Program All orders for compliance now compliant in School-Age Program.</p>

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Britta Garnett

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

February 08, 2024

Date

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M. Cloney

Signature of Operator/Designate

February 08, 2024

Date