

## **Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report**

Type of Inspection: Monitoring Inspection

Licence Number

Inspection Date

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.

Harveys Little Explorers Daycare Inc.	2020083		January 2	January 24, 2023	
Facility Name Telephone Number					
Harvey's Little Explorers Daycare			(506) 262	(506) 262-8668	
Address					
Unit 5 2306 3 Route Harvey NB E6K 2P2					
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff		Position Title			
Joanne Voye Page		Quality Assurance Monitor			
Order for Compliance		Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected	
24(1) For the purposes of subsection 20(1) of the Act, the follow records and documents shall be maintained on the premises of licensed facility: (g) attendance records of staff members.	a	24(1)(g)	Jan 25, 2023	Jan 24, 2023	
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant. Just a reminder that all staff must be signing in their arrival times and also if they leave the building during the day including the Operator. This was corrected during my visit.					
28(3) The premises of a licensed facility shall comply with (b) standards under the Fire Prevention Act.	codes and	28(3)(b)	Feb 07, 2023		
Comments: It came to licensing staff's attention that the front door was locked from inside and it was explained to the Operator, these doors if kept looked from the inside, children and staff must be able to exit out of the building using 1 step or motion. Please advise when the new hardware has been installed and is working when the door is locked. The back door also requires attention. The back exit door must be replaced with the proper opening handle so when locked the door can be pushed open with one step/motion.					
29 An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that the traffic the outdoor walk-ways of the licensed facility are free from obst and hazards.	area and	29	Jan 25, 2023		
Comments: The snow must be shoveled away from the door as the door cannot be opened. It is blocked from the snow that accumulated from yesterday and last evenings storm. Please advise when this has been corrected.					

## **General Comments**

Name of operator

## Monitoring report performed.

Administrative records were reviewed, and child attendance is tracked. See comment above regarding staff attendance. Fire drills are being practiced monthly, outdoor checklist is completed, and also incident reports are tracked and signed by parents, so they are aware.

Upon arrival all children were seated eating snack. The educators were also seated at the table which made for a pleasant eating experience.

All children were provided with a cot/mat and given an opportunity to nap. No child was forced to nap and after 20 minutes or so two children got up off their cot and moved to the other side and played quietly. Lots of wonderful positive interaction observed. Children were observed playing quietly and involved in dramatic play. The play was led by the children, and they were pretending to use debit cards while shopping in the store centre. They even made their own debit cards with numbers and printed their name on the card. Children are also learning about Pete the Cat.

Licensing staff has seen a huge improvement with the layout of the indoor play space. After submission of an

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application for change, the Operator reorganized and decluttered. The partition was removed in the preschool room which opened up the space making more toys and equipment accessible to all children. The Operator also moved the younger preschoolers to the small room across from the bathrooms which make it easier for children who are toilet training.

Children are enjoying all the snow and sliding on the hill the plow made while pushing the snow into a big hill. Just a reminder to update my new phone number to 506-429-2028. Licensing staff also wishes to acknowledge the Operator commences the Micro-credentialling ECE program on January 26. This is great news. Good Luck! Please post who is your assistant administrator when/if you plan to be off site while you are enrolled in training.

original signed by		
Joanne Voye Page		January 24, 2023
Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff	Date	
original signed by		
Alicia McKinney		January 24, 2023
Signature of Operator/Designate	Date	