

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 Double Blossoms Daycare Inc.	Licence Number 2020104	Inspection Date October 12, 2022
Facility Name Little Blossoms Learning Centre		Telephone Number (506) 847-5053
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Jodi Hennessey		Position Title Quality Assurance Monitor

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
10(1) The number of educators that are required for a group of children of mixed ages receiving services at a full-time or part-time early learning and childcare centre is calculated as follows: (a) by multiplying the number of children of the same age by the corresponding factor set out in Schedule A; and (b) by adding the results obtained under paragraph (a).	10(1)	Oct 12, 2022	
Comments: During follow up to the renewal inspection on October 12, 2022 it was noted that in the two year old room there were: 5 children who were 2 years old and 2 children who were three years old. There was one educator and one support worker. Discussed with administrator and educators in the room that this exceeds child-to-staff ratio for one educator. The child(ren) who require support are counted in ratio, however their support worker is not counted in this ratio. Administrator stepped in to be counted in ratio until children started to leave and the child-to-staff ratio was met.			
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	Dec 13, 2021	Oct 12, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Dec 03, 2021	Oct 12, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Dec 01, 2021	Oct 12, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Nov 24, 2021	Oct 12, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments

A monitoring inspection was generated during the follow up to the renewal inspection due to the Two year old exceeding child-to-staff ratio for one educator.
Going forward ensure that educators who are hired as support workers are not counted in ratio and the children who require the support are counted in ratio.

original signed by
Jodi Hennessey

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

October 12, 2022

Date

original signed by
Vicki Newell

Signature of Operator/Designate

October 12, 2022

Date