

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 BLG Consulting Ltd.	Licence Number 2021002	Inspection Date April 23, 2021	
Facility Name BLG Forest Of Dreams Daycare		Telephone Number (506) 214-0678	
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Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Lisa Green		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	Mar 22, 2021	Apr 22, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
22 The daily routine of a licensed facility shall include (a) outdoor play for at least one hour in each four-hour block of time when the majority of children receiving services are in attendance except in the following circumstances: (i) the wind chill is below -20 °C; (ii) the temperature is below -20 °C; or (iii) the temperature is 33 °C with humidity or above.	22(a)	Mar 19, 2021	Apr 22, 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: (f) daily attendance records of the children on forms provided by the Minister.	24(1)(f)	Mar 19, 2021	Apr 22, 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)	Apr 23, 2021	
Comments: Water beads in school age room. Water beads cannot be adequately sanitized and are not permitted in an early learning play environment.			
30(3) An operator shall maintain the indoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	30(3)	Mar 22, 2021	Apr 22, 2021
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	Apr 30, 2021	
Comments: In school age room- One baby doll- additional dolls and accessories needed. In 2 year old room- Accessories for dolls needed. Order for compliance carried over from previous monitoring inspection. Original comply by date; March 22, 2021.			

Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected
32(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide indoor play area materials and equipment that are (d) clean and in good repair. Comments: In school age room- Toy bins unclean. In 2 year old room- doll cradle and rugs in dramatic play and story corner unclean. Order for compliance carried over from previous monitoring inspection. Original comply by date; March 22, 2021. In 2 year old room- toy bins in dramatic play area dusty.	32(1)(d)	Apr 26, 2021	
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; Comments: Deficiency is now compliant	39(2)(a)	Mar 19, 2021	Apr 22, 2021
41(1) A licensed facility at which services are provided to children who wear diapers shall have a sturdy surface that is (b) covered with a non-absorbent layer. Comments: Deficiency is now compliant	41(1)(b)	Mar 22, 2021	Apr 22, 2021

General Comments
<p>Infant, toddlers and preschoolers were having snack and preparing for outdoor play during today's monitoring inspection. Please forward a copy of the updated menu to QA Monitor.</p> <p>Discussed open-ended art versus crafts with preschool educator. Providing opportunities for children to engage with art materials that are open-ended values children as creative and competent. It allows children to explore, express, investigate and represent ideas that are meaningful to them.</p> <p>School-age room: Educator and children who wished to participate were having a group time, while other children engaged in free play. Invitations set up on the table for children included a sensory activity and an invitation to paint with watercolour paints. Educator is documenting daily planning in a binder indicating the activity provided. QAM discussed documenting invitations that have been set up daily as well to allow the educator time to reflect on how children respond to the invitations and to expand on opportunities for learning.</p> <p>Ensure year is added to date on daily attendance records.</p>

original signed by
Lisa Green

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

April 23, 2021

Date

original signed by
Julia Hachey

Signature of Operator/Designate

April 23, 2021

Date