

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 May 26, 2022
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
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)	May 18, 2022	May 24, 2022
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)	May 30, 2022	
Comments: Some previous outstanding orders for compliance have been corrected: Diaper changing procedure, trim and holes in cubby area, Wire protruding from wall, cold water taps in downstairs bathroom and hallway have been fixed. Change tables have been cleaned. Hole in wall in Kitchen at bottom of pipes and baseboard and tile missing from wall in second stall are still outstanding. Order for compliance carried over from previous monitoring inspection. Original comply by date: May 24, 2022. Soap and paper towel present at only one sink in downstairs hallway. Soap and paper towel are required to be easily accessible at both sinks. Step stools at sinks must be painted or sealed to ensure they are not porous and can be easily wiped clean.			
31(3) An operator shall maintain the outdoor play area of a licensed facility to ensure the safety of the children.	31(3)	May 30, 2022	
Comments: Infant play area: Deck block protruding from ground to be removed. Grass is very long and requires regular mowing to ensure the safety of the younger children.			
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)	May 30, 2022	
Comments: Preschool room downstairs- Some previous requirements have been corrected. Blocks for building (i.e unit blocks) and games still needed. Orders for compliance carried over from 3 previous monitoring inspections. Previous dates to be corrected: April 25, 2022, May 16, 2022 and May 20, 2022.			
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)	May 19, 2022	May 24, 2022

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Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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)	May 30, 2022	
Comments: Sand in preschool play area depleted.			
33(2) Stationary equipment in the outdoor play area shall be surrounded by a protective surfacing and installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.	33(2)	May 30, 2022	
Comments: Surfacing depleted in school-age play area. Order for compliance carried over from previous monitoring inspection. Original comply by date May 23, 2022.			
38(4) An operator of a licensed facility shall provide steps or platforms that allow the children to use regular-sized toilets and sinks.	38(4)	May 13, 2022	May 24, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
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;	39(2)(a)	May 18, 2022	May 24, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			
49(1) An operator of a licensed facility shall ensure that the guidance of the children receiving services at the licensed facility is positive and includes positive reinforcement, encouraging efforts and recognizing accomplishments.	49(1)	May 19, 2022	May 24, 2022
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments

Monitoring inspection completed today to follow-up on continuous outstanding orders for compliance.

Children and educators were observed during nap time, snack, and outdoor play. Outdoors, children were engaged in a variety of play and educators were observed interacting with children at their level.

As discussed, additional surfacing required in the preschool play area under the climbing dome and caterpillar climber.

Please forward a copy of updated snack menu to Quality Assurance Monitor.

Continued conversation regarding providing open-ended art opportunities for children and a variety of materials. Additional paper required in many of the classrooms. As discussed a variety of sizes, textures, colours and shapes of paper can inspire children.

Materials, equipment and props that inspire and support painting, drawing, mark making, construction and modelling should be accessible and available daily in both the indoor and outdoor play areas.

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Lisa Green

Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff

May 26, 2022

Date

original signed by
Tinisha Logan

Signature of Operator/Designate

May 26, 2022

Date