

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	Licence Number		Inspection	Inspection Date				
Brother Bear's Daycare Inc.	2021003		May 16, 2024					
Facility Name					Telephone Number			
Brother Bear's Daycare			(506) 674-2327					
Address				1				
218 820 Route Upper Loch Lomond NB E2S 2H9								
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff			Position Title					
Cathleen LeBlanc			Quality Assurance Monitor					
Order for Compliance		Reg	ulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected			
11 The qualifications and training requirements for administrator	s and	11(a)		Jun 30, 2023	Sep 20, 2023			

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11 The qualifications and training requirements for administrators and educators are as follows: (a) an administrator and educators must hold a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate;	11(a)	Jun 30, 2023	Sep 20, 2023
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: (c) staff member records that include (vii) a copy of a valid first aid certificate and a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation certificate for each administrator and educator.	24(1)(c)(vii)	Jun 30, 2023	Sep 20, 2023
Comments: Deficiency is now compliant			

General Comments

A Monitoring Inspection was completed this morning.

Upon entry, QAM noticed a bright new entry way - new inside 1/2 doors and a beautiful mural, that was painted by one of the parents. These additions created a bright, welcoming entry.

Children were observed during inside play and snack. Children were observed washing their hands, before snack.

Infants - educator stated that the infant group are presently interested in trucks, construction, and music & movement. Educator stated that the children love the book "Noisy Noisy Digger". Educator was observed sitting with a child, during snack. Educator was observed assisting the child with washing their hands / face, after snack.

- 2/3's Educator stated the children love stickers and that they also love to paint. Educator was observed sitting with the children, prepping seeds and soil, for the windowsill.
- 3-5 Children were observed washing their hands before snack. Children were observed sitting in the cozy corner, listening to an educator read a story. Educator stated that children are presently very interested in bugs.

General Comments

Well defined learning / play centers were observed throughout the facility.

Open ended art was observed in all areas of the facility. It was evident that educators and children take pride in their art creations. Several pieces of artwork, learning stories, and individualized binders full of documentation, were observed.

Positive child guidance techniques were observed in all groups - educators at the children's level, educators using positive language, and educators providing proper supervision.

A conversation was had with administrator regarding the current sensory room. This room is not measured space, and if operator no longer wants to use it as a sensory room, they can switch it to something else, i.e. a staff room and or an office.

A conversation was had regarding "Circle Time", in the 3-5 room. Circle Time works if children are interested in it, but if children are not interested, they are to be provided with another activity. Scheduled "Circle Time" is not recommended.

A conversation was had regarding incident reports and how and when to send incident reports to licensing. Please review section 6.6.2, Incident Reports, on pages 46 - 48, in the Operator's Manual.

A conversation was also had in regard to Communicable disease control - outbreak management. Please review section 5.0, Communicable disease control - outbreak management, on pages 227-228.

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Cathleen LeBlanc		May 16, 2024
Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff	Date	•
original signed by Heidi Wilson		May 16, 2024
		May 10, 2024
Signature of Operator/Designate	Date	