

Complaint about childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

All early years providers must meet the legal requirements in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage, which you can find at www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-foundation-stage-framework--2. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 22 January 2025, we received concerns that the provider was not meeting requirements relating to staff taking medication/other substances, safeguarding policies and procedures, suitable people, complaints, safety of premises and risk assessment.

On 11 March 2025, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have issued an action for the provider to take. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Action needed by 4 April 2025:

- ensure the premises are kept secure at all times so that unauthorised persons cannot enter the premises and children cannot leave unsupervised.

On 31 March 2025, the provider responded to the action set. We found that the provider had improved security at the premises. We are satisfied the provider has met the safeguarding and welfare actions raised. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Publication of complaints

We publish details of complaints made against childminders, home childcarers and childcare providers where we or the provider have taken action in order to meet legal requirements.

We publish details of complaints on our website for a period of five years.

For further information about the complaints process please view the [Concerns and complaints about childminders and childcare providers leaflet](#).