

2594952

Artemis Support Limited

Monitoring visit

Inspected under the social care common inspection framework

Information about this children's home

A private company owns and manages the home. It is registered to provide care and accommodation for up to three children with emotional and/or behavioural difficulties and/or learning disabilities. The manager registered with Ofsted in September 2020.

Ofsted is aware of the challenges that COVID-19 is currently posing to those we regulate. During this visit, the inspector took into consideration the impact of any measures being taken to slow the spread of Coronavirus by the home. This has included the effect these have had on staffing arrangements and the current attendance of the children and young people.

Inspection date: 17 November 2020

This monitoring visit

This monitoring visit was undertaken due to an increase in safeguarding notifications received by Ofsted. The inspector subsequently found no failings in the way children are safeguarded in the home.

Safety plans and risk management processes are thorough and well written. Records show that children's presenting needs, such as autism, are challenging but well managed.

Physical interventions are only used to protect children and others from harm. However, isolated incidents have resulted in assaults on staff. The manager responds appropriately and reviews incidents to ensure that safeguarding procedures are followed.

Training for staff is ongoing and recorded on a matrix. Bespoke training is provided to ensure that the specific needs of children are met. This ensures that children are supported by informed staff, which helps to keep them safe.

Observations during the visit and discussions held with external professionals indicate that safe care is promoted in the home. The manager and her staff implement clear routines and boundaries to encourage positive behaviour. The child currently placed is making progress and is developing relationships with staff.

Recent inspection history

Inspection date	Inspection type	Inspection judgement
Not applicable		

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This monitoring visit was undertaken due to an increase in safeguarding notifications received by Ofsted. Regulatory activity was undertaken both on and off site.

This inspection was carried out under the Care Standards Act 2000.

Children's home details

Unique reference number: 2594952

Provision sub-type: Children's home

Registered provider: Artemis Support Limited

Registered provider address: 17 Queens Lane, Newcastle Upon Tyne,
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Responsible individual: Charles Tosan

Registered manager: Kirsty Donaldson

Inspector

Michael Dack, Social Care Inspector

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