

Compliance action taken for 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 11 October 2021, we received concerns that the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 4 March 2022, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have issued actions for the provider to take within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 25 March 2022:

- improve knowledge and understanding of safeguarding policies and procedures, with particular regard to the procedures for reporting concerns about a child's welfare, or in the event of an allegation
- improve knowledge and understanding of how to monitor the ongoing suitability of every person living or working on any domestic premises from which childminding is being provided
- improve knowledge and understanding of the circumstances that could disqualify a person from working with children.

We reviewed the provider's response and found that they had had improved knowledge and

understanding of safeguarding policies and procedures, how to monitor the ongoing suitability of every person living or working on the premises and the circumstances that could disqualify a person from working with children. We are satisfied the provider has met the safeguarding and welfare actions raised. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Publication of compliance action

We aim to ensure that the welfare of children and young people is protected in the services we regulate. The Childcare Act 2006 and accompanying regulations set out our responsibilities to regulate childminders and childcare providers. This includes the enforcement powers we have in relation to those registered providers who do not comply with the requirements for registration.

We publish details of any actions we take, or the childminder or childcare provider takes to bring about compliance with requirements on our website for a period of five years.

For further information please read the Early years compliance handbook which can be found here at www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-provider-non-compliance-action-by-ofsted.