

Childminder report

Inspection date:

22 April 2024

**The quality and
standards of early
years provision**

**This
inspection**

Not met (with actions)

Previous
inspection

Not applicable

Summary of key findings

This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder does not hold a current paediatric first-aid certificate, as required. She also has not maintained the appropriate insurance to cover her premises, such as public liability insurance. These are breaches of requirements for registration.
- The childminder has suitable knowledge of safeguarding matters and has appropriate procedures to follow if she has any concerns about a child's welfare. She has recently updated her knowledge of child protection through training.
- The childminder understands her responsibility to promote children's well-being, including providing for their care needs. She knows how to assess and minimise risks in the areas that she uses to help keep children safe.
- The childminder appreciates the importance of getting to know children and building strong relationships with them. She knows how to teach them about behaviour expectations to help them to play cooperatively and safely together.
- The childminder has plans to provide children with resources to support different areas of their learning as well as their varying ages and interests. She discusses observing children as they play and using the information from this to plan activities that support them to learn and make progress. She knows how important it is to work with parents to help provide a consistent approach for children's care and learning.
- The childminder discusses ways she would support children's healthy lifestyles, such as promoting healthy eating choices. She also has a range of equipment in her garden to promote their physical development.

There were no children in the early years age range present when this inspection took place. The findings in this report are based on evidence gathered from discussions with those who care for the children and an inspection of the premises, equipment and relevant documentation. Where there are no early years children present, no judgement is made on the quality of the early years provision as there is no reliable evidence on which to assess its impact on children. The report states whether the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

What does the setting need to do to improve?

To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage, the provider must:

	Due date
complete and maintain an appropriate paediatric first-aid qualification	25/05/2024
obtain public liability insurance.	25/05/2024

Setting details

Unique reference number	2654609
Local authority	Bristol City of
Inspection number	10332923
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2021 and lives in Shirehampton, Bristol. She operates all year round, a couple of days a week.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Rachel Howell

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection of the setting since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the provision.
- The inspector had a tour of the premises and viewed all areas that are used when caring for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she plans to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of the childminder's suitability and qualifications and discussed with the childminder her arrangements for self-evaluation and improvements.

We carried out this inspection under sections 49 and 50 of the Childcare Act 2006 on the quality and standards of provision that is registered on the Early Years Register. The registered person must ensure that this provision complies with the statutory framework for children's learning, development and care, known as the early years foundation stage.

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