

Childminder report

Inspection date:

26 June 2025

**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 an up-to-date paediatric first-aid qualification, which is a breach of statutory requirements. This means that she does not have an up-to-date knowledge of first-aid procedures in the event of an emergency.
- The childminder shows a secure understanding of child development. She explains how she will plan a balanced range of activities, such as sensory play, to support children's learning. The childminder explains how she will monitor children's progress closely, using observations to identify and address their individual needs. She describes how this will help to ensure that all children make good progress from their starting points.
- The childminder understands the importance of completing the required progress check when children are aged between two and three years. She explains how she will use this to identify any emerging concerns, which she will share promptly with parents and carers. The childminder discusses how this will help children to benefit from early intervention and continuity of support, contributing positively to their future outcomes.
- The childminder explains how she will plan activities that build on what children know and what they need to learn next. She discusses how she will work with parents to identify children's starting points and offers activities based on children's interests. The childminder describes how she will use observation and open-ended questions to extend and assess children's understanding.
- The childminder discusses the benefits of taking children outdoors daily. She describes how she will take children to visit a variety of local parks, the library and places of interest. The childminder discusses how this will support children's social development, physical well-being and help them to develop an awareness of the local community.
- The childminder discusses how she will find out about children's individual needs. She describes how she will spend time helping children to settle and feel comfortable when they first attend. The childminder explains she wants every child to feel welcome and have a sense of belonging in her home.
- The childminder discusses the importance of building good partnerships with parents. She describes how sharing ongoing updates with them and working closely together helps to provide children with good levels of consistency across her setting and their home.
- The childminder explains how she will create an inclusive environment. She understands how to support children with special educational needs and/or disabilities. The childminder discusses how she will make sure every child can access her provision and enjoy the experiences she offers.
- The childminder outlines the strategies she will use to promote children's positive behaviour, positive relationships and respect for differences. She explains she will support children to recognise and express their emotions, helping them to manage their behaviour effectively.

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 and Childcare Register the provider must:

	Due date
obtain and maintain a valid paediatric first-aid certificate.	17/07/2025

Setting details

Unique reference number	2714444
Local authority	Harrow
Inspection number	10388570
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	2
Number of children on roll	2
Date of previous inspection	Not applicable

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2022. She lives in Harrow. The childminder operates during term time, from 9am to 6pm, Monday to Friday. She offers government funded childcare.

Information about this inspection

Inspector
Shahin Khan

Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the spaces within the home that are intended to be used for childminding purposes.
- The inspector and childminder discussed how she will promote children's learning, safety and welfare.
- The childminder spoke to the inspector about how she will support children's learning, to help them to build on what they already know and can do.
- The childminder discussed with the inspector her understanding of the safeguarding and welfare requirements.
- The childminder provided the inspector with a sample of key documentation on request.
- The inspector considered how the childminder plans to work in partnership with parents and other professionals.

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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