

Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

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

On 20 April 2026, the childminder notified us about matters relating to safeguarding policies and procedures and concerns about children's safety and welfare. The notification means that the childminder met their legal responsibility as set out in the 'Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage' to notify Ofsted of a significant event that is likely to affect the suitability of the childminder to look after children.

On 21 April 2026, we received concerns that the childminder was not meeting requirements relating to safeguarding policies and procedures and concerns about children's safety and welfare.

On 17 and 18 June 2026, we carried out a regulatory telephone calls. We found that the childminder was not meeting one of the requirements. We have issued an action for the childminder to take. The childminder will be able to give parents further information about this.

Action needed by 17 July 2026:

- ensure knowledge and understanding of the government's statutory guidance 'Working Together to Safeguard Children' and policies and procedures for the local safeguarding partnership.

We will monitor the childminder's response to ensure the action is successfully completed.

The childminder 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.