

Childminder Report

Inspection date

22 February 2016

Previous inspection date

17 May 2011

The quality and standards of the early years provision**This inspection:****Not met**

Previous inspection:

Good

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Summary of key findings for parents

The provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder has failed to maintain a current paediatric first-aid qualification. This compromises her ability to deal effectively with minor accidents and injuries and to help her promote children's well-being.
- The childminder has limited knowledge of child protection procedures. She is not aware of the correct procedures to follow if she has concerns about a child, or if an allegation is made about herself or a household member. Therefore, she cannot promote children's welfare effectively.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents to support children's learning. She discusses her plans to share information with parents about children's development and the progress they make.
- The childminder has a suitable knowledge of how to promote children's learning. She discusses the importance of planning appropriate activities for children which interest them and motivate them to learn.
- The childminder understands the importance of providing a safe environment for children to play in. She identifies potential hazards and demonstrates how these are minimised to keep children safe.
- The childminder plans to promote children's awareness of how to adopt healthy lifestyles. She intends to help them understand the importance of eating healthily and taking regular exercise.
- The childminder understands the importance of being a good role model to children. She plans to teach them to value and respect others. She understands how to promote children's good behaviour in a positive manner.
- The childminder holds valid public liability insurance as required.

There were no children 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 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 the setting needs to do to improve further

To meet the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage and the Childcare Register the provider must:

	Due Date
■ obtain a current paediatric first-aid qualification	22/03/2016
■ gain an up-to-date knowledge of safeguarding procedures in line with the relevant Local Safeguarding Children Board, including how to report concerns that a child is at risk of harm, and the procedure to follow if an allegation is made against the childminder or a family member	22/03/2016
■ keep and implement a written statement of procedures to be followed for the protection of children, intended to safeguard the children being cared for from abuse or neglect.	22/03/2016

Inspection activities

- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to support children's play and learning.
- The inspector looked at policies, procedures and documents the childminder plans to use when caring for children.
- The inspector had a tour of the premises and viewed all areas that are used when caring for children.
- The inspector checked evidence of the suitability and qualifications of the childminder, and the suitability of other adults in the household.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	EY273400
Local authority	Norfolk
Inspection number	860849
Type of provision	Childminder
Day care type	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Age range of children	0 - 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	17 May 2011
Telephone number	

The childminder was registered in 2003 and lives in Gorleston. She operates all year round from 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. The childminder holds an appropriate childcare qualification at level 3.

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