

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 29 January 2026, the provider notified us about matters relating to safeguarding policies and procedures, concerns about children's safety and welfare and accident or injury. The notification means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage to notify Ofsted of a significant event.

On 18 March 2026, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. The provider had implemented staff refresher training and guidance on recording accident and injuries, safeguarding escalation procedures and room-based supervision arrangements. These actions have helped strengthen staff understanding of expected safeguarding processes to keep children safe.

However, during the regulatory visit, we found the provider was not meeting some of the other requirements. We have issued actions for the provider to take. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 1 April 2026:

- ensure risk assessments are used effectively to help staff identify and remove hazards across the setting
- ensure there is effective supervision of staff and managers, so they are supported to fulfil all aspects of their roles and responsibilities, including managing pressures that are affecting staff morale and oversight.

On 1 April 2026, the provider responded to the actions set. We found that the provider had implemented staff risk assessment training and increased monitoring to review the effectiveness of risk assessments. The provider had strengthened supervision and oversight by implementing structured staff monitoring, increased leaders' visibility and put support in place to improve staff morale. This supports staff wellbeing and helps to keep children safe.

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.