

# Childminder report

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Inspection date:

28 January 2022

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

**This  
inspection**

**Not met (with actions)**

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Previous  
inspection

Not Met (with actions)

## Summary of key findings

### This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder does not keep her safeguarding knowledge up to date. She does not have an understanding of some forms of abuse, such as female genital mutation. She does not understand how to identify a child who may be at risk of radicalisation.
- The childminder does not understand the process that she must follow if an allegation is made against her or her assistant.
- The childminder does not have a sufficient understanding of how to implement an effective early years curriculum. She does not understand what children need to learn at each age and stage of development or how to plan experiences to support them to make good progress.
- The childminder is unable to describe how she will assess children's learning and plan activities and experiences that meets their individual needs.
- The childminder is able to describe how she would manage children's behaviour in a positive way. She describes how she will communicate her expectations to children clearly and calmly. She explains that she would work hard to build strong relationships with children and their families.
- The childminder understands how to promote children's well-being. She demonstrates, through discussion, how she intends to provide daily opportunities for children to enjoy fresh air and exercise in the garden.
- The childminder has some understanding of how to identify children with possible special educational needs and/or disabilities. She is able to explain how she will work with external agencies to support these children.
- The childminder has a secure understanding of risks in her home and how to reduce any possible hazards to children.
- The childminder has an up-to-date paediatric first-aid certificate and public liability insurance.

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:**

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|  | <b>Due date</b> |
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| develop understanding of the process to follow if an allegation is made against the childminder or assistant                                               | 04/03/2022 |
| keep safeguarding knowledge up to date and develop understanding of issues, including female genital mutilation                                            | 04/03/2022 |
| improve knowledge of how to implement an effective curriculum that meets children's individual needs and ensures they make good progress in their learning | 04/03/2022 |
| improve knowledge of how to assess where children are in their learning in order to plan experiences to support their ongoing development.                 | 04/03/2022 |

## Setting details

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| <b>Unique reference number</b>                     | EY339871                                                                          |
| <b>Local authority</b>                             | Enfield                                                                           |
| <b>Inspection number</b>                           | 10104544                                                                          |
| <b>Type of provision</b>                           | Childminder                                                                       |
| <b>Registers</b>                                   | Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register |
| <b>Day care type</b>                               | Childminder                                                                       |
| <b>Age range of children at time of inspection</b> | 0 to 0                                                                            |
| <b>Total number of places</b>                      | 6                                                                                 |
| <b>Number of children on roll</b>                  | 0                                                                                 |
| <b>Date of previous inspection</b>                 | 16 March 2015                                                                     |

## Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2006. She lives in the London Borough of Enfield.

## Information about this inspection

### Inspector

Jenny Gordon

### Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the setting received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the setting and has taken that into account in their evaluation of the setting.
- Discussions were held between the childminder and inspector. This included discussions about her understanding of the early years foundation stage requirements.
- The inspector viewed the area where childcare is provided.
- Documentation was reviewed and discussed with the childminder.

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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