

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 18 February 2025, we received concerns that the childminder was not meeting requirements relating to: safeguarding policies and procedures, safeguarding training and training and supervision of assistants' skills.

On 26 March 2025, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found that the childminder was not meeting a requirement of the 'Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage'. In relation to this area of concern we issued an action for the provider to take.

Action needed by 23 April 2025:

- implement arrangements for the supervision of assistants that identify areas for improvement, so that relevant support, coaching and training can be provided.

On 23 April 2025, the childminder responded to the action raised. The childminder has implemented supervision arrangements for assistants. These focus on identifying areas for improvement and providing coaching and training to support continuous improvement.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

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.