

Inspection date	27 March 2015
Previous inspection date	19 November 2009

The quality and standards of the early years provision	This inspection:	Not met
	Previous inspection:	Good 2
The setting does not meet legal requirements for early years settings		

Summary of key findings for parents

The provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder has allowed her first-aid certificate to expire. This means she does not have up-to-date training and skills to deal with children's accidents effectively.
- The childminder demonstrates a secure understanding of the learning and development requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage. She knows how to assess children's development and plan activities to meet their individual needs.
- The childminder reviews and updates her risk assessments to promote children's safety. The garden is currently not accessible, but the childminder knows children need daily opportunities for outdoor play. She makes use of local parks and takes children for walks in the community.
- The childminder has updated her training in safeguarding children. She understands her responsibility to protect children from harm and she has useful information about local child protection procedures.
- The childminder knows how to build relationships with children, parents and other professionals, in order to promote children's well-being and learning.
- The childminder understands the importance of using self-evaluation to help bring about improvements. She has all required records and policies in place to support practice, including up-to-date public liability insurance.
- The childminder has a suitable range of resources to support children's learning and enjoyment.

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 the provider must:

- attend training in paediatric first aid and ensure this is monitored, so that training always remains current.

To meet the requirements of the Childcare Register the provider must:

- obtain an appropriate first-aid qualification (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)
- obtain an appropriate first-aid qualification (voluntary part of the Childcare Register).

Inspection activities

- The inspector checked indoor and outdoor areas used for childminding.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children and undertaken planning and assessment.
- The inspector checked evidence of the childminder's training and the suitability of adults living on the premises.
- The inspector looked at policies and documents the childminder will use when caring for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder her procedures for self-evaluation.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number	EY391356
Local authority	Stockport
Inspection number	859347
Type of provision	Childminder
Registration category	Childminder
Age range of children	0 - 12
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Name of provider	
Date of previous inspection	19 November 2009
Telephone number	

The childminder was registered in 2009 and lives in Stockport. She operates all year round from 6.30am to 5pm, Monday to Friday, except for bank holidays and family holidays. She holds an appropriate early years qualification at level 3.

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