

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 24 September 2025, we received concerns that the provider was not meeting requirements relating to the implementation of risk assessments to keep children safe when transitioning from the baby room into the outdoor area.

On 30 September 2025, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting the requirements. We have issued an action for the provider to take.

Actions needed by 14 October 2025:

- ensure risk assessments for children transitioning into the garden area are implemented effectively to ensure the health and safety of the children.

On 30 September 2025 and 7 October 2025, we received further concerns that the provider was not meeting requirements relating to staff: child ratios, accident or injury and safer eating. We carried out a regulatory visit on 14 October 2025 and found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have served a welfare requirements notice. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the actions below within the timescales set out.

Actions needed by 11 November 2025:

- ensure staff are deployed effectively to ensure robust supervision and engagement with children
- ensure staff provide emotional support and comfort to children to enable them to feel safe and secure

- implement effective procedures for the hygienic disposal of soiled nappies so that children are unable to access these

On 13 November 2025, we carried out an inspection and found the provider had met some of the safeguarding and welfare actions but not others. Hygienic disposal of nappies has been strengthened and new procedures put in place. We have served two further welfare requirements notices (WRN). These are legal notices that require the provider to take the actions below within the timescales set out[DG1] .

WRN 1- Actions needed by 5 December 2025:

- ensure staff: child ratios are implemented at all times to provide effective supervision and to keep children safe
- ensure staff responsible for safeguarding children understand who to contact and why, if an allegation is made against a member of staff
- ensure children are always within staff sight and hearing when eating to keep children safe from potential choking
- ensure strategies provided by external professionals to support children with SEND, are implemented into children's routines to enable them to make good progress
- provide parents of children with SEND with regular updates of their progress and a coordinated approach to children's learning and development to ensure support is directed where it will have the most impact
- ensure all parents know who their child's key person is to enable staff to build positive relationships and information sharing
- implement an effective training programme that will support staff to understand how children learn and develop their understanding of child development

WRN2 - Actions need by 8 December:

- ensure staff provide emotional support and comfort to children to enable them to feel safe and secure

The report and inspection outcome will be published in due course.

On 9 December 2025, we carried out a regulatory visit. The focus of the visit was to check whether the provider had met the safeguarding and welfare actions raised at their last inspection. We found the provider had met all the safeguarding and welfare actions raised. They have implemented robust procedures to ensure children are always supervised to promote positive engagement with the children. Leaders have provided extensive training to staff that has had a positive impact on children's well-being. Information sharing with parents and external professionals has improved with new strategies implemented for the consistent care of the children. Risk assessments around mealtimes have been strengthened to promote children's safety and their independence.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Publication of compliance action

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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.