

Inspection date9 March 2015
Previous inspection date
24 February 2012

The quality and standards of the early years provision

This inspection:

Not met

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 does not hold a paediatric first-aid certificate.
- The childminder does not have a clear understanding of when she has to notify Ofsted of any changes or significant events.
- The childminder has not updated her knowledge of the Early Years Foundation Stage learning and development requirements sufficiently so that she fully understands how to support children's development through play activities and experiences. She knows that she has a role to assess and monitor the children's progress
- The childminder has an adequate range of resources and play equipment for when she starts childminding. She has resources for children's differing abilities, ages and backgrounds.
- The childminder has a clear understanding of safeguarding issues and of her responsibility to provide a safe and secure environment for children.
- The childminder recognises the importance to work in partnership with parents to help her provide for children's individual needs. She knows by sharing information on a regular basis keeps the parents informed about their children's care and welfare.
- The childminder has an understanding of the importance to continue to review her childminding practice to help her improve her service.

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:

- obtain and maintain a current paediatric first-aid certificate
- increase knowledge and understanding of the learning and development requirements, to help plan challenging and interesting play activities for children in all areas of learning.

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

- obtain an appropriate first-aid qualification (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)
- inform Ofsted of any changes in circumstances (compulsory part of the Childcare Register)
- obtain an appropriate first-aid qualification (voluntary part of the Childcare Register)
- inform Ofsted of any changes in circumstances (voluntary part of the Childcare Register).

Inspection activities

- The inspector viewed the spaces, toys, resources and equipment available for use.
- The inspector talked with the childminder about her childminding responsibilities to keep children safe and healthy, and how she plans to provide activities for children to help them progress.
- The inspector read relevant documents, and checked the childminder knows what records she needs to keep, and the policies and procedures she must have.
- The inspector checked the childminder's understanding of how to improve her provision.

Inspector

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Setting details

Unique reference number EY285684

Local authority Hampshire

Inspection number 782990

Type of provision Childminder

Registration category Childminder

Age range of children 0 - 8

Total number of places 6

Number of children on roll 0

Name of provider

Date of previous inspection 24 February 2012

Telephone number

The childminder registered in 2004. She lives in the Bursledon area of Hampshire. At the time of the inspection, there were no early years children on roll.

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