

## **Compliance action taken for childcare provision**

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### **Summary of outcome**

On 14 October 2015 an inspection took place and the setting received an inadequate judgement. The reasons for the inadequate judgement and actions required by the provider are outlined in the inspection report.

On 10 November 2015 we carried out a compliance visit to see whether the provider had taken appropriate steps to improve sufficiently. We found that the setting had undertaken a risk assessment and implemented steps to improve the security of the premises. The provider now uses a separate entrance and the door between the pre-school room and the main hall is kept locked. A new fence has been erected in the outdoor area. These steps mean that children cannot leave the premises unsupervised and unauthorised persons cannot gain access to the pre-school room. A smoke detector has been fitted in the pre-school room and the staff and children practice their evacuation procedure every month. The setting has also introduced paper towels to minimise the risk of cross infection when children are washing and drying their hands. Records for staff and children have been organised and stored confidentially. The setting is making progress in updating their policies and procedures to cover the use of cameras and what to do if a child goes missing. They are seeking parental permission regarding the use of photographs of children and are implementing procedures to monitor the ongoing suitability of staff. Children have each been assigned a key person and work has begun on observing the children and assessing their stages of development. This information can then be used to plan activities that focus on what the children need to learn next.

During the visit we also found that the staff rotas do not take account of which members of staff hold current first aid certificates. Consequently, the provider had not ensured that there is a person who is qualified in first aid present at all times.

Following our visit, we served a welfare requirements notice on the provider that requires them to:

ensure that at least one person who has a current paediatric first aid certificate is on the premises and available at all times when children are present, and accompanies children on outings. Paediatric first aid training must be relevant for workers caring for young children.

We carried out another visit on 26 November 2015 and found that the setting had completed all the actions discussed on 10 November 2015. They had also amended their staff rotas to ensure there is always at least one person present who holds a current paediatric first aid certificate. They had also arranged additional first aid training so that all staff will be appropriately trained in first aid. We are satisfied with the actions taken. The provider remains registered with Ofsted.

### **Publication of compliance action**

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