

Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

On 5 October 2017 we received information from an outside agency raising concerns about the suitability of a household member.

We met with that agency gain additional information, and then undertook an unannounced visit to the provider on 17 October 2017. This was to establish if there were any breaches of requirements related to the concerns raised.

As a result of our visit, at this stage, we do not feel that any risk is posed by any household member.

However we did establish that the provider had failed on a number of occasions to tell Ofsted about a number of historic incidents relating to the health of a household member, a low level domestic incident, and the families' engagement with outside agencies.

As a result of this we issued them with an Initial Warning Letter, as we feel that they now understand that they must inform us of matters in the future.

The provider remains 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 commencing on the date we complete our investigation.

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 .