

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

Ref: EY278278/4133709

Date: 4 February 2019

### **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](http://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 16 January 2019 we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements. On 31 January 2019 we conducted an unannounced visit and as a result we have issued a Welfare Requirements Notice. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the actions below within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Action needed.

3.28 Ensure that staffing arrangements and deployment meet the needs of all children.  
20/02/2019

3.31 For children aged under two, ensure there is one member of staff for every three children. 20/02/2019

3.32 For children aged two, ensure there is one member of staff for every four children.  
20/02/2019

3.33 For children aged three and over, ensure there is one member of staff for every eight children or one member of staff for every 13 children where a person with an appropriate Level 6 qualification is working directly with the children. 20/02/2019

3.68 Maintain accurate records for the safe and efficient management of the setting, this is with particular reference to the record of the staff on the premises at any one time.  
20/02/2019

3.57 Ensure that the following indoor space requirements are met: Children aged three to five years: 2.3 m<sup>2</sup> per child. 20/02/2019

A monitoring visit was completed on 22 February 2019. The provider was found to have taken suitable action to meet the above notice. The provider is still 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](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-provider-non-compliance-action-by-ofsted).