

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 1 April 2019, the provider notified us about an accident. The notification means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the early years foundation stage welfare requirements to notify Ofsted of any serious injury to a child while in their care, and of the action taken. In addition, we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements. We issued a Notice to Improve. This notice required the provider to take the action below within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. Action to be taken by 15 April 2019: ensure the child protection policy is in line with the guidance and procedures of the relevant Local Safeguarding Children Board. This is with particular regard to notifying the local child protection agency of any serious accident or injury to, or the death of, any child while in their care, and acting on any advice from those agencies. The provider has taken appropriate steps to meet the required action. 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.