

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

Ref: EY398106/4264919

Date: 3 July 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 24 June 2019, we received a notification in relation to a child being left in the garden for fifteen minutes alone. This notification means that the provider met their statutory duty to let Ofsted know of any significant events. We conducted an unannounced visit on the 2 July 2019 and served 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.

Actions needed by 23 July 2019:

improve safeguarding practices to ensure all staff have a up to date knowledge and understanding of the procedures to follow in the event of a safeguarding concern, which is in line with the Local Safeguarding Children Board procedures (LSCB)

ensure that minimum adult-to-child ratios and space requirements are met, at all times

ensure staff are deployed effectively to meet the needs of the children

ensure all staff have effective support, supervision and coaching to ensure that they understand and implement the policies and procedures of the provision, to help them understand and fulfil their roles and responsibilities

improve knowledge, understanding and accuracy of the information that needs to be

notified to Ofsted.

On 25th July 2019, we conducted an unannounced visit and found that the provider had taken appropriate action to meet the actions raised.

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).