

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. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 10 July 2019, the provider notified us that there had been an incident involving the door to the setting being left open. This means that the provider has met the legal requirement to notify us of a significant event. A parent and children were able to freely access the building. We carried out an announced visit and found that there had been breaches of the requirements of the early years foundation stage welfare requirements in relation to risk assessment and the premises. The provider took prompt and effective action to comply with the early years foundation stage requirements by reviewing the procedures for the safe arrival and collection of children and ensuring that staff are deployed appropriately to supervise this. As a result, we have taken no further action.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. 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.

