

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

Ref: EY553803/4418107

Date: 20 January 2020

### **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 December 2019, we received notification from this provider about a significant event.

This notification means the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Early years foundation stage welfare requirements, to notify Ofsted of any significant event which is likely to affect the suitability of the early years provider or any person who cares for, or is in regular contact with, children on the premises.

On 16 January 2020 we visited the provider and found they were not meeting some of the requirements. We served a notice of action to improve that requires the provider to take the action below within the timescales set out. On 9 February 2020, we received a suitable response from the provider outlining how the actions have been addressed. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

#### **Actions needed:**

ensure that local safeguarding procedures are always followed, especially in relation to dealing with allegations

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ensure that records are kept of any occasions where physical intervention is used to help

keep children safe.

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## **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).