

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 <u>www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-foundation-stage-framework--2</u>. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 5 May 2020, the provider notified us that a child had been able to leave the registered premises unsupervised. 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 a significant safeguarding incident. We have had discussions with the provider regarding the incident and reviewed the information provided. As a result of the provider's own investigation we are satisfied that they have thoroughly reviewed the incident and have taken suitable steps to minimise the risk of children leaving the premises unsupervised. They remain suitable for registration.

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.

