

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

On 20 January 2020, we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements. We carried out a telephone call to the setting and found a significant event had occurred. On this occasion we do not intend to take any action. This is because at the time of the incident the provider took immediate action. They reviewed and improved their knowledge of the procedures in place of significant events that must be notified to Ofsted.

On 12 February and 5 March 2020 we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements. We carried out a telephone call and on this occasion we do not intend to take any action. This is because the provider took prompt and swift action. They improved their safeguarding policies and procedures, and recording of staff qualifications and recruitment checks.

The provider remains 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.

