

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. In September 2019, it came to our attention that a new individual was involved in the company. We were notified about this which meant requirements had been met. However, the individual had not completed and submitted appropriate forms to Ofsted to allow suitability checks to be carried out. Despite our requests the forms were not forthcoming. As a result we issued the provider with a notice of action to improve requiring them to take the action below within the timescales set out:

ensure members of the organisation who have not yet undergone suitability checks, provide Ofsted with the necessary information so that these essential checks can be completed by 6 July 2020.

The provider has recently given us an update that the individual has now left the company. In light of this, no further action is required.

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.

