

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

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### **Summary of outcome**

Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education, Children's Services and Skills is leading Ofsted's work into how regulated early years and childcare providers in England have delivered child-centred practice and care within the context of the restrictions placed on society during the COVID-19 (coronavirus) pandemic.

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 9 July 2020, we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 13 July 2020, we carried out a regulatory telephone call to discuss the concerns. We found the provider had not complied with the requirement relating to suitable people. Consequently, we are taking steps to cancel the provider's registration. The provider had the right to object to our intention to take this step.

We confirmed our decision. The provider had the right to appeal against Ofsted taking this step to an independent external tribunal, the Health, Education and Social Care First-tier Tribunal. The provider did not appeal.

The provider's registration is cancelled.

### **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.

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).