

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', which you can find at [Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage](#). If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we take action to ensure they put matters right.

On the 13 January 2021, the provider notified us that an incident occurred meaning a child was not supervised appropriately. The notification means the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage to notify Ofsted of a serious event.

On 18 January 2021, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have issued actions for the provider to take. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 3 February 2021

ensure the deployment of staff across the setting is effective so that children are safe and have their needs met

ensure you maintain accurate records when incidents occur and share them with parents

The provider has responded to the actions set. They have taken steps to ensure effective deployment is in place to ensure children are supervised and kept safe. Furthermore, the provider has an improved system in place to ensure they maintain records. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

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We publish details of any actions we take, or the childminder or childcare provider takes to bring about the compliance with requirements on our website for a period of five years commencing on the date we complete our investigation.

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