

## **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 3 December 2020 we received concerns that the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 11 January 2021, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We are taking steps to cancel the provider's registration. The provider has a right to object to our intention to take these steps. We have served a welfare requirements notice. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the actions below within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 19 February 2021

- ensure all staff have a robust understanding of safeguarding and fully understand their roles and responsibilities regarding child protection
- implement robust medication procedures and ensure any medication is only administered to a child where written permission for that particular medicine has been obtained from the child's parent and/or carer
- ensure records of accidents or injuries contain sufficient detail to accurately identify the child concerned
- obtain information about any special dietary requirements, food allergies and any special health requirements that children may have, before they attend nursery
- provide children with planned outdoor activities on a daily basis
- ensure records are easily accessible and available for inspection, including evidence that

appropriate insurance is in place.

We will monitor the provider's response to ensure the actions are successfully completed.

We took steps to cancel the provider's registration. The provider objected to us taking this step. Having heard the provider's reasons for objecting to this step, we have cancelled the registration.

### **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).