

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 8 April 2021, the provider notified us that a child had left the premises while unsupervised by staff. The notification means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Statutory framework for the early years foundation stage to notify Ofsted of significant events.

On 12 April 2021 and 22 April 2021, we carried out regulatory telephone calls. We found that the provider was not meeting some of the requirements regarding safeguarding and the supervision of children. However, they had taken action to put this right. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Action taken by the provider:

- the collection of children policy and procedure has been improved
- staff now carry out more thorough risk assessments of the outdoor area
- staff have been retrained on the new safety procedures
- steps have been taken to improve children's security as they play outdoors, with improved fastenings fitted to gates.

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.