

## Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Date: 23 July 2021

## 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 14 July 2021 the provider notified us of an incident that occurred where three children managed to leave the pre-school unnoticed. 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 a significant incident.

On 15 July 2021 we carried out an unannounced regulatory visit. We found that the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. Risk assessment procedures have been revised and staffing arrangements have been reviewed to ensure children are adequately supervised.

Additionally, during the visit on 15 September 2021 we found that the provider was not meeting one of the requirements. 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. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

Action needed by 8 September 2021

■ ensure policies and procedures to safeguard children are implemented effectively.

On 9 September 2021 we completed a monitoring visit. We found that the provider had taken action to meet the welfare requirements notice.



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## **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.