

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

Ref: EY446332/4987364

Date: 6 January 2022

### **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 December 2021, we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements. On 14 December 2021 we carried out a visit to the setting. 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.

Actions needed by 7 January 2022

- ensure that people whose suitability has not been checked do not have unsupervised contact with children being cared for under any circumstances
- train all staff to understand the safeguarding policy and procedures so they know how to respond to concerns in a timely and appropriate way
- make sure staff recruitment processes are robust and implemented without delay to ensure adults working on the premises are deemed suitable to do so.

On 10th January 2022, we carried out a regulatory telephone call to check the actions were successfully completed. We found the provider had improved recruitment procedures and staffing arrangements to ensure they were robust. The provider also provided internal safeguarding training to ensure all staff know the procedures to follow in the event of a safeguarding concern.

We are satisfied the provider has met the safeguarding and welfare actions raised. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

### **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).