

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, which you can find at www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-foundation-stage-framework--2. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 12 January 2022, we carried out an inspection and found the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

The overall effectiveness of the provision was judged to be inadequate. The inspection report sets out the actions the provider was required to take to meet the requirements.

On 8 February 2022, we carried out a regulatory visit. The focus of the visit was to check whether the provider had met the safeguarding and welfare actions raised at their last inspection.

On 8 February 2022, we found that the provider had not met the actions set in the welfare requirement notice. We have served another 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 22 February 2022:

implement the setting's medication policy and procedure in practice to ensure the safe

administration of medicines to children

do not allow staff to use e-cigarettes and vape on the premises when children are present, and consider the advice from Public Health England on the use of e-cigarettes in the workplace

ensure the facilities where foods and snacks are prepared and served to children are suitably hygienic, and that children and staff consistently follow good hygiene routines at mealtimes.

On 2 March 2022, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found that the provider had had taken steps to meet the actions raised at their last visit. However, we found the provider was not meeting some of the safeguarding and welfare requirements. We have issued actions for the provider to take.

Actions needed by 16 March 2022:

implement the settings risk assessment policies and procedures in practice to ensure the safe and effective management of the setting.

We will monitor the provider's response to ensure the action is successfully completed.

On 17 March 2022, the provider responded to the action set . 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.