

Complaint about childcare provision

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Date: 6 April 2022

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 childcentred 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', 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 25 March 2022 we received concerns that this provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 1 April, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have issued actions for the provider to take within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Action needed by 8 April 2022:

ensure agencies with statutory responsibilities are notified without delay of any concerns about a child's safety or welfare.

We have received a response from the provider within the appropriate timescales set out. The provider has improved their knowledge and understanding of child protection procedures and now fully understands their responsibilities.

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

Publication of complaints

We publish details of complaints made against childminders, home childcarers and childcare providers where we or the provider have taken action in order to meet legal requirements.

We publish details of complaints on our website for a period of five years.



For further information about the complaints process please view the Concerns and complaints about childminders and childcare providers leaflet.