

Childminder report

Inspection date:

12 April 2022

The quality and standards of early years provision

This inspection

Not met (with actions)

Previous inspection

Outstanding

Summary of key findings

This provision does not meet requirements

- The childminder has failed to obtain and maintain a paediatric first-aid qualification as required.
- The childminder understands the importance of providing an environment that is safe and welcoming, where children will feel valued, secure, confident and form close attachments to her.
- The childminder understands the importance of working in partnership with parents, professionals, and other settings, to support children's learning and development.
- The childminder has good knowledge of safeguarding. She understands the signs that may indicate a child's welfare might be at risk of possible harm. The childminder knows the procedures to follow to report any concerns or allegations to the relevant authorities. She knows the importance of minimising risks to children's well-being, helping to prevent accidents.
- The childminder has a good range of toys and resources to help promote children's learning. She understands the importance of identifying children's starting points and assessing their progress in order to plan and build on what they already know and can do. The childminder clearly explains the two-year-old progress check and how to access additional information to further support children's learning.
- The childminder demonstrates how she intends to encourage children to be independent. For example, to put on their own shoes and coat, developing their self-care skills. The childminder describes how she will support children's physical health and well-being. She shares how she will encourage children to maintain a healthy lifestyle, such as having regular exercise, healthy meals and snacks.
- The childminder describes the importance of supporting children to be respectful of others, regardless of their culture, race, religious belief, gender, abilities, or status. She intends to teach children how to share, listen to others and care for their environment. She understands the importance of supporting children's positive behaviour.

There were no children in the early years age range present when this inspection took place. The findings in this report are based on evidence gathered from discussions with those who care for the children and an inspection of the premises, equipment and relevant documentation. Where there are no early years children present, no judgement is made on the quality of the early years provision as there is no reliable evidence on which to assess its impact on children. The report states whether the provider continues to meet the requirements of registration.

What does the setting need to do to improve?

To meet the requirements of the early years foundation stage and Childcare Register the provider must:

	Due date
obtain and maintain an appropriate first-aid qualification.	30/04/2022

Setting details

Unique reference number	EY398463
Local authority	Croydon
Inspection number	10137866
Type of provision	Childminder
Registers	Early Years Register, Compulsory Childcare Register, Voluntary Childcare Register
Day care type	Childminder
Age range of children at time of inspection	0 to 0
Total number of places	6
Number of children on roll	0
Date of previous inspection	6 June 2016

Information about this early years setting

The childminder registered in 2009 and lives in Croydon. The childminder works Monday to Friday from 7.30am until 6pm, all year round. She has a level 3 childcare qualification.

Information about this inspection

Inspector

Marvet Gayle

Inspection activities

- This was the first routine inspection the childminder received since the COVID-19 pandemic began. The inspector discussed the impact of the pandemic with the childminder and has taken this into account in their evaluation of the setting.
- The childminder and the inspector viewed the areas of the premises intended to be used for childminding.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to deliver the educational programmes for children.
- The inspector discussed with the childminder how she intends to promote children's welfare.
- The inspector looked at, and discussed the necessary documentations with the childminder, including the suitability of all household members and the paediatric first-aid certificate and public liability insurance.

We carried out this inspection under sections 49 and 50 of the Childcare Act 2006 on the quality and standards of provision that is registered on the Early Years Register. The registered person must ensure that this provision complies with the statutory framework for children's learning, development and care, known as the early years foundation stage.

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