

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. If we find that a provider is not meeting the requirements, we can take action to ensure they put matters right.

On 9 September 2022, the provider notified us about an incident that had taken place. 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 event.

On 5 December 2022, we conducted an unannounced visit to the setting. We found that the provider had taken appropriate action as a result of the issue. However, although not linked to the original concern, we also noted a further weakness. We have issued them with a Notice to Improve. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the action below within the timescale set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Action needed by 20 December 2022:

ensure there are suitable facilities for the hygienic preparation and eating of food

implement rigorous risk assessments to ensure that all potential hazards are clearly identified and removed to maintain children's safety.

The provider remains 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.