

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 8 March 2023, we carried out an inspection and found the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

The report and inspection outcome will be published in due course. Following the inspection we served a welfare requirements notice on 20 March 2023. 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.

Actions needed by 27 March 2023:

- ensure that all staff understand the safeguarding policy and the procedures to follow if they have concerns about an adult working with children

- improve knowledge of the requirement to supply Ofsted with the necessary information in relation to any changes to the nominated individual and any committee member to enable suitability checks to be carried out

- people ensure that members of the management committee have a secure understanding of their roles and responsibilities

- ensure all adults that work with children or that have access to sensitive records have appropriate vetting checks in place, including a Disclosure and Barring Service check.

On 31 March 2023, 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. We found that all staff had improved their knowledge and understanding of the setting's safeguarding policy and now fully understand the steps they should take if they have concerns about an adult working with children. The provider has made good progress on providing Ofsted with the necessary information in relation to the changes in committee members and this includes the nominated individual. The management committee have improved their understanding of their roles and responsibilities. All staff that work directly with children, or access to sensitive records, have had appropriate vetting checks in process, including a Disclosure and Barring Service Check.

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