

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 28 March 2023, the provider notified us of a significant event relating to the supervision of a child. 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 significant changes or events.

On 4 April 2023, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and have issued actions for the provider to take. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 11/04/2023:

- ensure staffing arrangements during transition times, such as moving from outside to inside, meet the needs of children and keep them safe
- ensure risk assessments are robust, and identify and minimise potential risks to children, with particular regard to transporting children between the garden and indoors.

On 12 March 2023, the provider responded to the actions set. We found that the provider had thoroughly reviewed and improved the staffing arrangements during transition times to keep children safe. The provider has also completed a thorough risk assessment which identified potential risks to children when moving between the garden and into the nursery. The provider has ensured that identified risks are reduced by introducing improved procedures to keep children safe. 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.