

## 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 14th March 2023, the provider notified us that they are unable to provide childcare for a child with behavioural needs. 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 3rd May 2023, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. The provider failed to identify signs of possible abuse and neglect. Furthermore, children's behaviour was not managed in an appropriate way. The provider has reviewed their behaviour management policy to ensure children receive the support they need. They have improved their knowledge and understanding of child protection procedures so that they know when to make referrals to relevant professions. As a result, they now fully understand their responsibilities.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this. 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.