

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 23 June 2023 the provider notified us of an incident that occurred where a child left the premises unsupervised and without being noticed. The notification means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the early years foundation stage welfare requirements to notify Ofsted of significant events.

On 14 July 2023, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting one of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. The provider has reviewed the procedures for managing the times when children are collected to go home. The policy for collection times has been made clearer for staff and changes have been made to reduce the numbers of children who are collected at the same time. Staff have completed refresher training about the policies and procedures to ensure they understand the changes that have been made.

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.

