

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 18 October 2023 we received concerns that the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 9 November 2023, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We issued actions for the provider to take. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 24 November 2023:

- help staff to implement the special educational needs code of practice and support children with special educational needs and/or disabilities to access the full curriculum
- ensure that hygiene procedures are put in place to prevent the spread of infection, in particular in relation to the washing of staff's and children's hands following nappy changing
- ensure that children's oral health is promoted to prevent dental health issues.

On 22 November 2023, the provider responded to the actions set. Training and meetings have taken place for staff to better understand children's emotions and behaviour and to improve hygiene protocols. These included strategies for inclusive education for children with special educational needs and/or disabilities and improved procedures of handwashing during children's toileting and nappy changing. The provider has also conducted a parent workshop to enhance awareness of oral health and supported parents to enrol with a dentist. The provider has planned in additional future training for staff and a visit to the setting from a dentist. The provider only offers milk or water to children.

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.