

## **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 24 October 2023, the provider notified us of a serious accident. 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 serious accident.

On 15 November 2023, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We have served a welfare requirements notice. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the action below within the timescales set out. The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Action needed by 30 November 2023:

■ ensure that risk assessments are effective in the identification of potential risks to children and take all reasonable steps to reduce and/or eliminate those risks.

On 1 December 2023, we carried out a regulatory visit. We found that the provider had improved their knowledge and understanding of risk assessments as well as staff deployment and child supervision and now fully understands their responsibilities. We are satisfied the provider has met the safeguarding and welfare action 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.