

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 November 2023, the provider notified us child was left out of sight and sound of practitioners inside the premises. 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 any significant event which may impact on the suitability of those caring for children. On 12 December 2023, we received concerns that the provider was not meeting some of these requirements.

On 4 January 2024, we carried out a regulatory telephone call. We found the provider was not meeting some of the requirements and had taken action to put this right. Since the incident all staff have been reminded about the importance of ensuring that children are appropriately supervised. Leaders complete walks around the nursery to monitor practice and check that staff are aware of the numbers of children that they are caring for.

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.