

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 5 March 2024, the provider notified us that a child was left alone in the pre-school room when the group transferred to the main building at the end of the day. 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 significant events.

On 3 April 2024, 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. Staff have been retrained on the procedures for completing attendance records accurately and for counting children when moving between areas of the nursery. We are satisfied with the actions taken by the provider.

On 5 April 2024, the provider notified us that a child with an allergy had eaten food that they are not allowed. 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 significant events.

On 2 May 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. Staff had failed to follow the provider's policies on healthy eating and managing allergens. Following the incident, staff have been retrained on the policies and two staff have been retrained on food allergy awareness. We are satisfied with the actions taken by the provider.

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.