

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 May 2025, the provider notified us about matters relating to the safety and suitability of premises, environment and equipment. 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 significant event.

On 8 July 2025, we carried out a regulatory telephone call to explore this notification and other matters. We subsequently carried out a regulatory visit on 24 July 2025 to explore the notification and other matters in more detail. We found the provider had taken action to improve manual handling of children, particularly when staff were picking them up. However, we also found that the provider was not meeting some of the requirements. We have served a welfare requirements notice. This is a legal notice that requires the provider to take the actions below within the timescales set out.

The provider will be able to give parents further information about this.

Actions needed by 15 August 2025:

- improve the support in place for children with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND) to ensure that gaps in children's development are monitored more closely and to ensure they receive the timely help they require
- improve partnership working with other professionals and families to ensure that all children receive the specialist and/or early support they require.

We will monitor the provider's response to ensure the actions are successfully completed. The provider is still registered with Ofsted.

On 20 August 2025, we carried we carried out a monitoring visit. The focus of the visit was to check whether the provider had met the welfare requirements notice. We found that the provider had taken action to improve the support in place for children with SEND. Staff now monitor children's development more closely. They take action to ensure children receive the help and/or support they require in a timely manner. In addition, we found that leaders had

improved their knowledge and confidence of working in partnership with other professionals and families. This helps to ensure that children and receive the early and specialist help they require.

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.