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Our Reference EY314066

Dear Sian Nadine Hamilton

### **Monitoring for provision judged as inadequate**

An Ofsted inspector, Alison Weaver, monitored your provision on 17/09/2014 following your inspection where the provision was judged to be inadequate.

### **Outcome of monitoring**

As a result of our inspection on 04/06/2014, we sent you a notice to improve. If you were set actions at the inspection, or as a result of our subsequent monitoring or investigations, these are included at the end of this letter.

During the monitoring visit, the inspector discussed with you the steps you have taken to address the action raised in the notice to improve. She spoke to the manager and the deputy safeguarding officer about how the policies and procedures have been amended. The inspector looked at documentation relating to safeguarding procedures and accidents. You declined the opportunity to invite the local authority development team to attend the monitoring visit. You have had the full support of the local authority to help review and improve your practices. You have valued their support and advice and implemented this to make improvements.

You have developed a clear action plan to address the action raised at the last inspection and this has been successful in helping you move forward. You have reviewed and revised safeguarding procedures and ensured that all staff are fully aware of the need to inform the relevant agencies about any serious accidents to, or death of, any child in your care. There are now clearer reporting procedures and more defined roles for the lead and deputy safeguarding officers. This contributes to the safeguarding of children.

Having considered all the evidence, the inspector is of the opinion that the setting has taken prompt and effective action to address the points for improvement.

## **Next steps**

The next step will be a full inspection.

I hope that you have found the visit helpful in promoting improvement in your setting. If you have any further queries please contact us on the number at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely

Nick Hudson  
National Director, Early Education

## Actions

Action	Due date	Closed date
ensure the lead practioner responsible for safeguarding understands and implements the safeguarding and welfare requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage, with particular regard to informing the local child protection agency of any serious accident or injury to, or death of, any child in the care of the nursery.	11/06/2014	17/09/2014