

## **Compliance action taken for childcare provision**

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### **Summary of outcome**

On 22 November 2013, we received a notification from the setting which raised concerns about child protection and the suitability of staff working with the children. We carried out an investigation visit to see whether the provider was meeting the Early years Foundation Stage safeguarding and welfare requirements for Child Protection, in particular the provider must have and implement a policy, and procedure to safeguard children. This must include an explanation of the action to be taken in the event of an allegation being made against a member of staff and Suitable people, in particular providers must have effective systems in place to ensure practitioners are suitable. We found the setting had followed appropriate safeguarding procedures as advised by the Local Authority Designated Officer. However, it was found that there were gaps in the implementation of the setting's recruitment procedures relating to the vetting process. Following our investigation, we sent the provider a notice to improve that asked them to: ensure information is recorded about all staff qualifications and the identity checks and vetting processes that have been completed (including the criminal records disclosure, reference number, the date a disclosure was obtained and details of who obtained it). The provider has responded appropriately to the action and remains 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 commencing on the date we complete our investigation.

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