

Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

On 22 June 2014 we received a notification from the provider that a child had been able to leave the premises unsupervised. This was the third notification, from the provider that children had either been left outside unsupervised or been able to leave the premises unsupervised in a short period of time.

This means that the provider met their legal responsibility as set out in the Early Years Foundation Stage welfare requirements relation go 'suitable people'. In particular, to notify Ofsted particulars of any significant event which is likely to affect the suitability of the early years provider or any person who cares for, or who is in regular contact with children.

As a result of this notification, we issued a welfare requirement notice that required the provider to:

provide evidence of how you have considered all risks to children and how you are managing those risks (this particularly refers to ensuring that children are unable to leave the premises unsupervised)

ensure that all staff have a clear understanding of their roles and responsibilities.

It is an offence for a person who, without reasonable excuse, fails to comply with a welfare requirements notice. Failure to comply may result in a prosecution.

We carried out a monitoring visit and found that the provider had taken satisfactory action to ensure that they met these actions.

The provider 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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