

Compliance action taken for childcare provision

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Summary of outcome

On 29 June 2016 the setting was inspected and judged to be inadequate. Actions were raised relating to the key person system, training, support and skills of staff and their safeguarding knowledge.

We carried out an unannounced visit on 8 September 2016 to monitor the provider's response to the actions. We found that there is a system in place to observe, train and support staff. A key person system is in place and staff demonstrate suitable safeguarding knowledge.

Although it was not part of the original complaint we identified that the setting does not have robust systems to ensure all staff are suitable because insufficient information is sought to assess whether they are disqualified from working with children. We sent the provider a notice of actions to improve that required the provider to: improve recruitment and on-going suitability procedures to assess whether staff members are disqualified from working with children.

The provider responded appropriately to the action set. 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.

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 .