

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

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### **Summary of outcome**

On 7 July 2017, we received a notification from the setting about changes that may affect the suitability of an adult at the setting. We looked into this concern to see whether the setting was meeting the requirements of the early years foundation stage relating to 'suitable people' and 'changes that must be notified to Ofsted'. In particular, the requirements that state: providers must ensure that people looking after children are suitable to fulfil the requirements of their role; and, all registered providers must notify Ofsted of any significant event which is likely to affect the suitability of the early years provider or any person who cares for, or is in regular contact with, children on the premises to look after children.

We carried out an announced visit to the premises and found that the provider has not met the legal obligation to inform Ofsted of a significant event within 14 days of the event occurring. On this occasion we issued the provider with a warning letter. We also requested additional checks be carried out.

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](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/early-years-provider-non-compliance-action-by-ofsted) .