

# Health and Safety Policy

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My house has been inspected by Ofsted and has passed the safety standards which allow me to become a registered childminder.

My premises including the outside area are secure and children are not able to leave unsupervised

I have to adhere to these standards and ensure a safe and secure environment for the children in my house and also when we go out.

I have taken necessary steps to ensure that all hazards to the children on my premises both inside and out are minimised.

The shed and garage outside have been made inaccessible to the children and outdoor water activities are supervised.

A fire blanket is installed in the kitchen.

There are smoke alarms on all levels of my house.

All children have to have the appropriate safety restraints when in my car.

I have public liability insurance.

I do not permit smoking in my house or on my premises.

To practice good hygiene, children are asked to wash their hands before and after eating, as well as after touching the cats and going to the toilet.

My premises, toys and equipment are cleaned regularly.

All food is hygienically stored, prepared and served.

I have attended a first aid course which is updated every 3 years. There is a first aid box on my premises, in my car and when out and about. This is checked regularly