



General Safeguarding and Welfare Requirement: Safety and Suitability of Premises, Environment and Equipment

Providers must have a no-smoking policy, and must prevent smoking in a room, or outside play area, when children are present or about to be present

8.7 No-smoking, alcohol and drugs **Legal framework**

The Smoke-free (Premises and Enforcement) Regulations (2006)

The Smoke-free (Signs) Regulations (2012)

Policy statement

We comply with health and safety regulations and the Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage in making our pre-school a no-smoking environment - both indoors and outdoors.

Procedures

- All staff, parents and volunteers are made aware of our No-smoking Policy.
 - No-smoking signs are displayed.
 - The No-smoking Policy is stated in information for parents.
 - Staff who smoke do not do so during working hours.
 - Our No-smoking policy includes electronic cigarettes, vaping etc.
 - Other hall users who smoke outside are asked to dispose of their remains appropriately.
- Any carer who appears to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol will be asked to call another adult to ensure children the children's safety. Should the carer attempt to drive the pre-school will notify the police immediately.
- Pre-school will notify the Local Safeguarding Children Board should they believe the child is at risk.

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Signed on behalf of Bagshot Pre-school *Susan Michel*

Role within the Pre-school Manager