



**Jersey Care
Commission**

Summary Report

09 Children's Home

Children's Home Service

**The Office of the Minister for Children
and Families**

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SUMMARY OF INSPECTION FINDINGS

The following is a summary of what we found during this inspection. Further information about our findings is contained in the main body of this report.

4.1 Progress against areas for improvement identified at the last inspection

The service was registered with the Commission on 17 March 2026, and this is the first inspection.

4.2 Observations and overall findings from this inspection

The inspection found that the home provides a safe, welcoming, and well managed environment where children and young people receive high quality, age-appropriate care.

The home is well maintained, with comfortable communal areas, personalised en-suite bedrooms, and secure outdoor spaces that promote relaxation, recreation, and a sense of belonging. In addition, the home has a self-contained flat that provides opportunities for one young person aged 16 and over to develop independent living skills and prepare for a successful transition into adulthood.

Robust recruitment and safeguarding arrangements are in place, with safer recruitment processes, Disclosure and Barring Services (DBS) monitoring, comprehensive inductions, and ongoing staff development ensuring children and young people are supported by a suitably skilled workforce.

Staff training compliance was good, with additional specialist training completed to meet the diverse needs of children and young people.

Staffing levels were found to be sufficient, providing good support and continuity of care.

Health and safety arrangements were comprehensive, with regular checks, maintenance programmes, risk assessments, and monitoring in place.

Effective medication management systems are in place. Minor medication recording issues identified during the inspection were addressed immediately by the Registered Manager.

Children and young people benefit from positive and nurturing relationships with staff, who adopt a therapeutic and restorative approach to care as outlined in their Statement of Purpose. Young people are actively involved in decision-making, including menu planning, activities, and house meetings, ensuring their views, wishes, and feelings are listened to and acted upon.

Feedback from children and young people was positive, with individuals reporting that they feel safe, enjoy the activities available, appreciate the food provided, and value the supportive relationships they have with staff.

Care planning, risk management, health assessments, and daily recording systems were found to be comprehensive and regularly reviewed. Strong partnership working with external professionals supports positive outcomes in education, health, family relationships, and independence.

Leadership and management were identified as a key strength of the service. The Registered Manager provides effective oversight through regular supervision, quality assurance audits, staff meetings, and partnership working with other managers and service leads.

Independent visitor reports reflected the findings of this inspection and provided additional assurance regarding the quality of care provided.

Overall, the inspection found that the home provides a safe, welcoming and well-managed environment for children and young people. The evidence reviewed demonstrated positive practice across key areas of care and support, and the home was found to be compliant with relevant standards and regulations.

IMPROVEMENT PLAN

There were no areas for improvement identified during this inspection and an improvement plan is not required.

The full report can be accessed from [here](#).