

## Inspection framework for childcare

	THEME	KEY AREA
CHILDREN	1 Well-being	1.1 To what extent do children have a voice?
		1.2 To what extent do children feel safe, happy and valued?
		1.3 How well do children interact?
		1.4 To what extent do children enjoy their play and learning?
		1.5 How well do children develop, learn and become independent?
PRACTITIONERS	2 Care and development	2.1 How well do practitioners keep children safe and healthy?
		2.2 How well do practitioners manage interactions?
		2.3 How well do practitioners promote children's play, learning and development and meet their individual needs?
LEADERS	3 Environment	3.1 How well do leaders ensure the safety of the environment?
		3.2 How well do leaders ensure the suitability of the environment?
		3.3 How well do leaders ensure the quality of resources and equipment?
	4 Leadership and management	4.1 How effective is leadership?
		4.2 How effective is self-evaluation and planning for improvement?
		4.3 How effective is the management of practitioners, staff and other resources?
		4.4 How effective are partnerships?