Educational leadership

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Nominated Supervisor

Regulation 118 Educational leader

The approved provider ... must designate, in writing, a suitably qualified and experienced educator, co-ordinator or other individual as educational leader at the service to lead the development and implementation of educational program...

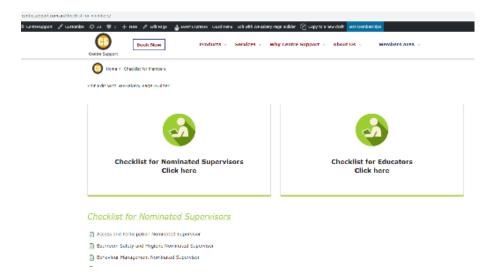
Regulation 148 Staff and educator records -centre-based services (Educational leader)

The staff record must include the name of the person designated as the educational leader in accordance with regulation 118.

Regulation 173 Prescribed information to be displayed

- (2) For the purposes of section 172(f) of the Law, the following matters and information are prescribed—
- (d) the name of the educational leader at the service

Remember: If you need to use a checklist go to the members area of Centre Support's website where every checklist imaginable is available.



7.2.2

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Compliance test for educators

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4.2.1

Professional collaboration

Week 36 – 14.11.22 Monday to Friday



Answers from last week - Compliance test for educators

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Miss Celeste says there are no regs covering element 4.2.1 professional collaboration. Is she correct?	Yes – there are no specific regs covering element 4.2.1 BUT the NQS is included in the Regs - Reg 8 National Quality Standard says the NQS is set out in Schedule 1.	
Mr Vishnu asks if not meeting element 4.2.1 is really that serious? Please respond.	It can be. If Standard 4.2 is rated as 'working towards', for example, the overall service rating can be 'working towards' – even if all the other NQS Standards are rated exceeding.	

7.1.2

Management Systems

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Fair Work

The Federal Government's Fair Work website https://www.fairwork.gov.au/ has a lot of simple, easy to understand information about employee entitlements as well as some useful templates. Each week we'll share information from the website. This week we're highlighting the new paid family and domestic violence leave.

On 27 October 2022, the Australian Government amended the Fair Work Act to give all employees an entitlement to paid family and domestic violence leave.

The changes mean that from next year, all employees will be able to access 10 days of paid family and domestic violence leave in a 12-month period.

Fair Work is in the process of providing updated information. We'll let you know when it's available.