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MANAGEMENT VISIT TO 387 WOODBOROUGH ROAD

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The outside of the house looked relatively clean and tidy. Following NCSC inspectors visit, work has been done to improve the environment.

I did a tour of the house which was appropriately clean and tidy but without homely touches.

The number of children's placements have been reduced to 8. The temporary manager was off sick and staff were anxious because of the current disciplinary process which was taking place in respect of the unit manager.

The unit was reasonably settled. The child who had a significant influence in some of the recent difficulties had moved on.

When the outcome of the disciplinary hearing is known it will be possible to create more certainties for the staff and children by putting in place permanent arrangements.

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