



## Early Childhood Education Directorate Convictions and Significant Enforcement Actions

Educator	Ms Me Gin Yi
Service Name	Baiden Family Day Care
Type of Service	Family day care service
Action Taken	Prosecution action against Ms Me Gin Yi for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• one offence of failing to ensure adequate supervision of children - section 165(3) of the <i>Children (Education and Care Services) National Law (NSW)</i>; and</li><li>• one offence of failing to ensure that a child does not leave the residence except in accordance with the regulations – clause 99(3) of the <i>Education and Care Services Regulations (NSW)</i>.</li></ul>
Date of conviction	15 February 2018
Sentence	Convicted at Parramatta Local Court and fined a total of \$2,250

### Proven offence:

Ms Me Gin Yi was an educator registered with Baiden Family Day Care. Between 8:30am and 3:30pm on 27 March 2017, Ms Yi was educating and caring for one child, who was almost three years old. At a time between those hours, the child escaped the premises through two gates, which were closed, but unlocked, and found his way onto New North Rocks Road, where he ran along the middle of the road for the equivalent of three house lengths. A driver of one of the cars on New North Rocks Road picked up the child and returned him to the premises. Ms Yi was unaware that the child had left the premises.

Ms Me Gin Yi, in her capacity as a family day care educator, failed to adequately supervise a child who was able to leave the family day care residence unnoticed.