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Hello,

My child is currently attending an early childhood service My Little Star Early Learning at Giralang. The director is P01P01

I would like to raise my concern. On some occasions, I have seen that there are mice in the preschool room and raised my concern to the educators.

However, following up from there the service hasn't arranged for a professional pest control to come in instead they are planning to set up a mice trap in the classroom which I don't think it's appropriate and safe not only for the children but the educator's health. One of the educators told me this and I don't know what to do.

In this case, what are the guidelines for ensuring the correctness of pest control in an early learning environment? I personally don't feel it's right to set a mouse trap without getting a professional pest control to come in regularly. Please advise me if my concern is valid and if this is okay. I don't think it's fair for the children to not have their classroom environment safe from pests. I don't feel comfortable revealing my identity but please if this is your concern as well check the centre and follow up with this complaint.

Thank you