

## **LIC POLICY ON UNATTENDED CHILDREN**

**Lewisham Islamic Centre and all its various departments requires that all children under the age of 14 be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times, unless during YMA or OTS hours where the relevant departments are responsible for them.**

**Parents should not view the centre as an alternative to daycare.**

**LIC Staff will not be able to supervise or oversee children who are left unattended.**

**For the safety and protection of all members, Lewisham Islamic Centre has developed the following policy.**

**LIC does not accept young children left alone or in the care of an older sibling or friend.**

**All CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 14 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN.**

**PARENTS SHOULD REALISE IN THEIR ABSENCE THEY ARE LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR CHILDREN'S BEHAVIOR.**

**All staff, volunteers, guests, visitors and members are required to abide by this policy and those who break this policy will be politely asked to leave the premises.**