



## Tiggers Nurseries Ltd

### Guidance on infection control in schools and other childcare settings Public Health of England [PHE]

Infection, Illness or Complaint	Minimum Exclusion Period
<b>Prescribed Medication or Medical Treatment</b>	
Prescribed antibiotics	24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur and child feeling better
Immunisation, vaccination, injection	24 hours from injection/ nasal spray in case of possible allergic reaction or side effects
<b>Rashes and Skin Infections</b>	
Athlete's foot	None
Chickenpox	5 days from the onset rash or until all the vesicles have crusted over and child is well <i>*Pregnancy Vulnerable*</i>
Cold sores [Herpes simplex]	None
Impetigo	Until lesions are crusted and healed over, or 48 hours after starting antibiotic treatment
German Measles & Measles	4 days from onset of rash <i>*Pregnancy Vulnerable*</i>
Hand, foot and mouth	None, unless child really unwell
Molluscum Contagiosum	None
Ringworm	None, unless medication required which will be 24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur
Roseola [infantum]	None
Scabies	Treatment required, 24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur and child feeling better <i>*Pregnancy Vulnerable*</i>
Scarlet fever	Treatment required, 24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur and child feeling better
Slapped cheek/fifth disease. Parvovirus B19	None once rash has developed
Shingles	Exclude only if rash is weeping and cannot be covered <i>*Pregnancy Vulnerable*</i>
<b>Diarrhoea and Vomiting Illness</b>	
Diarrhoea and/or vomiting	48 hours from last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting



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<b>E. Coli O157 VTEC Typhoid [and paratyphoid] [enteric fever] Shigella [Dysentery]</b>	48 hours from last episode of diarrhoea or vomiting. Further exclusion may be required for some children until they are no longer excreting
<b>Cryptosporidiosis</b>	48 hours from last episode of diarrhoea
<b>Respiratory infections</b>	
<b>Flu [influenza]</b>	Until recovered
<b>Tuberculosis</b>	Consult local PHE centre
<b>Whooping cough</b>	48 hours from starting antibiotic treatment, or 21 days from onset of illness if no antibiotic treatment prescribed
<b>Corona virus - Covid 19</b>	Stay at home and avoid contact until they no longer have fever or until they feel better.
<b>Other Infections</b>	
<b>Conjunctivitis</b>	None
<b>Diphtheria</b>	Exclusion essential, consult local PHE centre
<b>Glandular fever</b>	None
<b>Head lice</b>	Treatment requested where live lice have been seen
<b>Hepatitis A</b>	Exclude until 7 days after onset of jaundice or symptoms
<b>Hepatitis B, C, HIV/AIDS</b>	None
<b>Meningococcal meningitis/septicaemia</b>	Until fully recovered
<b>Meningitis due to other bacteria</b>	Until fully recovered
<b>Meningitis viral</b>	None
<b>MRSA</b>	None
<b>Mumps</b>	5 days from onset of rash/swelling
<b>Threadworm</b>	None, unless medication required which will be 24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur
<b>Tonsillitis</b>	None, unless medication required which will be 24 hours from first dosage administered to ensure no side effects occur

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