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COMMUNICABLE DISEASES UPDATE

The committee thought it might be useful to summarise exclusion criteria for our common infectious diseases but the document received from NHS Borders is very thorough so please ask to see it if you are interested.

This information is for your guidance only. If you are in any doubt at all about your child, please keep them off and if symptoms persist for 24 hours, please see your doctor.

Chickenpox

5 days from onset of rash or when vesicles dry out, whichever is longer

German Measles

5 days from onset of rash

Hand, Foot and Mouth disease

Whilst feeling unwell and until spots are healing

Impetigo

Until sores healed or on antibiotics for 2 days

Slapped cheek/fifth disease

Until feeling well

Any vomiting/diarrhoea

Until 2 days after last bout!

Conjunctivitis

During acute phase and until symptoms resolving

Fever

Exclude if over 38°C (98.4°F) until fever-free for 1 day

Remember it is for the good of all children, staff and parents. Please let the staff know if your child has any infectious disease.

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