

Notice of Exposure to Contagious Disease

Center: _____

Date: _____

Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

A child in our program has: PINWORMS

Information about this disease:

The disease is spread by: Pinworms eggs being swallowed

The Symptoms are: Itching around the anus (especially at night), sleeplessness and irritability.

The disease can be prevented by: Good hand washing before eating or preparing food

When should children with this illness be excluded? Children with pinworms are excluded until the first dose of medication is taken.

What the program is doing to reduce the spread:

1. Teach children good hand washing
2. Caregivers wear gloves when changing diapers

What you can do at home to reduce the spread:

1. Good hand washing after using the bathroom or before preparing or eating food.

If your child has any symptoms of this disease, call your health care provider to find out what to do and be sure to tell them about this notice. If you do not have a regular health care provider to care for your child, ask staff here for a referral. If you have any questions please contact:

Family Worker/Home Visitor

Phone Number