

Prevent Re-infestation:

Avoid head –to-head (hair-to-hair) contact during play and other activities at home, school, and elsewhere (sports activities, playground, slumber parties, camp). Lice are spread most commonly by direct head-to-head (hair-to-hair) contact and much less frequently by sharing clothing or belongings onto which lice or nits may have crawled or fallen.

- Do not share clothing such as hats, scarves, coats, sports uniforms, hair ribbons or barrettes.
- Do not share infested combs, brushes, or towels.
- Do not lie on beds, couches, pillows, rugs, carpets, or stuffed animals that have been in contact with an infested person.
- To help control a head lice outbreak in a community, school, or camp, children can be taught to avoid activities that may spread head lice.

The students may return to school after he/she has been treated. Verification of treatment can be a physician’s note, health department note, or proof of purchase such as the box top from the lice product used.

The student may not ride the school bus until he/she has been treated and examined by the school nurse or designee to determine if live lice are present.

If you have any questions, please contact me @ 276-739-3604

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