Exclusion Guidelines for Schools and Child Care Settings
Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington Counties

Does the student have any of the following?

- **Diarrhea:** At least 3 loose stools in 24 hours – OR – sudden onset of loose stools.
- **Vomiting:** At least one episode that is unexplained in the past 24 hours.
- **Fever:** A body temperature of at least 100.4
- **New skin rash, sores or wounds:** Not previously diagnosed by a health care provider

**NO**

**OK to attend school or day care**

**YES**

- **For Diarrhea or Vomiting**
  - Stay at Home --
  - Until symptoms are gone for 24 hours;
  - DO NOT handle any shared food until 72 hours after symptoms are gone.

- **For Fever**
  - Stay at Home --
  - Until fever is below 100.4 for 24 hours **WITHOUT** the use of fever-reducing drugs (*for example, Tylenol, acetaminophen, Advil, Motrin, ibuprofen*)

- **For Skin Rash, Sores or Wounds:**
  - Stay at Home –
  - If rash is increasing in size, or if new sores or wounds are developing day-to-day, – **OR** –
  - If rash, sores or wounds are draining and cannot be completely covered with a bandage.

  **No contact sports until sores or wounds are healed or no longer draining**

When to report to local health department

- **Report any suspected outbreak or reportable disease immediately.** A suspect outbreak means a higher than expected number of students or staff sick with similar symptoms around the same time.
- **Report any suspected outbreak or reportable disease to the school nurse.** If a school nurse is not available, contact the County Health Department.
- See Oregon Disease Reporting Guidelines Online for a list of diseases and reporting timelines. 

*Please contact the school nurse or county health department if you have questions.*

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