




LFPA guidance for accidents and illnesses

<p>Phone call to parent/carer & accident slip</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allergic reaction. ● Higher usage of prescribed inhaler. ● Severe injury - big visible bump to the head / deep cut where the blood continues to flow. ● Severe head lice infestation. ● Persistent toothache/earache. ● High temperature. ● Vomiting. ● Diarrhoea (loose motions)
<p>Accident slip</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Minor injury: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cuts, bruises, small bump to the head. ○ Swelling of the joints. ● Insect bite. ● Loss of tooth due to an accident in school. ● Removal of clothing to inspect injury.
<p>No accident slip</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Splinter removed with a plaster with no visible mark. ● Grazed area with no visible mark but cleaned with medical wipe or cold compress. ● Paper cut. ● Plaster applied. ● Cold compress applied. ● Sharp pencil gone into an area of the skin. ● Existing injury from home. ● Wobbly tooth fallen out naturally (no accident). ● Nosebleed due to natural causes (no accident).

Note:

- Depending on the severity of the accident the Welfare team will make a judgement and call the parent/carer.
- No action will be taken if the child has not informed any adult of an accident, incident or illness.
- In the case of vomiting or loose motions, the child can return to school only 48 hours after their last sickness or loose motion.
- The Welfare team are not medical professionals and we strongly encourage you to seek medical advice where appropriate.