

## When Can My Child Return to School?

\*\* Doctor's note must accompany child prior to re-entering school.

<b>Chickenpox</b>	Excluded from school until 6th day of rash appears or until sores are dry
<b>Common Cold</b>	Feels well and has not had a fever for 24 hours
<b>Conjunctivitis (Pink Eye)**</b>	Return 24 hours after treatment is started
<b>Cough</b>	Cough is not severe or persistent; other symptoms of illness have stopped
<b>Diarrhea</b>	24 hours after the last occurrence without taking diarrhea medication
<b>Fever</b>	No fever greater than 100.0°F for 24 hours without taking fever medication
<b>Fifth Disease**</b>	Once diagnosed, only excluded from school if currently having a fever; may still have rash
<b>Hand/Foot/Mouth**</b>	Excluded if sores present in mouth, drooling, weeping blisters on hands
<b>Head Lice</b>	Excluded from school until after pesticide treatment is applied & no live lice found
<b>Impetigo**</b>	Excluded from school until 24 hours after treatment has begun & all sores are dry.
<b>Pinworms**</b>	Excluded from school until after treatment is given
<b>Rash**</b>	Excluded from school until seen by doctor & note from doctor stating when child may return: areas must be kept covered upon returning to school
<b>Ringworm**</b>	Excluded from school until after 24 hours of treatment for scalp & skin lesions; areas must be kept covered upon return; excluded from contact sports until lesions are gone
<b>Scabies**</b>	Excluded from school until 24 hours after application of scabicide
<b>Strep Throat**</b>	Excluded from school until on antibiotics for 24 hours; no fever for 24 hours
<b>Vomiting</b>	24 hours after the last occurrence without taking medication