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Subject: Notice About Impetigo

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Your child has been exposed to **impetigo**. It is a common infection of the skin. The skin will have small red spots, which become tiny blisters. These blisters will break and weep, leaving a yellow, honey colored crust. You will usually see it on the face, neck, arms, and legs. It can be very easily passed from child to child.

Ointments and creams are available for treatment of the skin. Antibiotics are sometimes given to treat impetigo. Please see your own health care provider for proper diagnosis and treatment if your child becomes infected.

If your child catches impetigo, the child may not come back to this child care facility until 24 hours after treatment has begun.

This is reported for your information.

Sincerely,



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