



Trumbull County Health
Department
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NEWSLETTER

REMINDER!!! REMINDER!!!

WE ONLY DO IMMUNIZATIONS BY APPOINTMENTS!!!

CALL 330-675-2590 #3 TO SCHEDULE

PLEASE DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WE MAY NOT HAVE ANY OPENINGS.

WE DO IMMUNIZATIONS ALL YEAR ROUND, DO NOT WAIT UNTIL SCHOOL STARTS.

HEAD LICE

Head lice occur in all socioeconomic groups and are not a sign of uncleanliness. Anyone can get head lice. They are spread during close personal contact with someone who has head lice. Itching is the most common symptom of head lice.

Medicated shampoos or cream rinses are used to kill lice. Always follow the directions for use.

Children, especially, should be taught not to share combs, brushes, hats or headgear.

Clean clothing, sheets, blankets and bedspreads in hot water for 5 minutes. Regular vacuuming of carpets, and mattresses.

WE WILL DO LICE CHECKS AFTER TREATMENT TO GET BACK IN SCHOOL FOR TRUMBULL COUNTY ONLY. CITY RESIDENTS NEED TO GO TO WARREN CITY, NILES CITY OR GIRARD CITY.

MRSA

A type of bacteria that causes "staph" infections

Protect yourself by: keeping your hands clean by washing with soap and water and immediately showering after exercising. Avoid sharing towels, razors, etc. Keep wounds covered that might come into contact with anyone.

In general it is **NOT** necessary to close schools. MRSA infections are primarily transmitted skin-to-skin.

Clean surfaces with detergent based cleaners.

NO EXCLUSION from school is necessary unless wound can not be covered.

ALWAYS CHECK WITH YOUR DOCTOR



FLU PREVENTION

AVOID CLOSE CONTACT

STAY HOME WHEN YOU ARE SICK

COVER YOUR MOUTH AND NOSE

WASH YOUR HANDS OFTEN

**AVOID TOUCHING YOUR EYES,
NOSE OR MOUTH**

GET A FLU SHOT!!!!!!!

**CALL 330-675-2590 #3 FOR MORE
INFORMATION**

BATS AND RABIES

**FINDING A BAT IN YOUR HOME
COULD MEAN EXPOSURE TO
RABIES**

**SAFELY CAPTURE THE BAT FOR
TESTING OR POST EXPOSURE
RABIES VACCINATION IS
RECOMMENDED.**

**CALL YOUR PHYSICIAN OR LOCAL
HEALTH DEPT. FOR ADVICE.**



**WEST NILE VIRUS
PREVENTION**

**USE INSECT REPELLENTS CONTAINING
DEET, WHEN YOU GO OUTDOORS. WEAR
LONG SLEEVES, LONG PANTS AND SOCKS
OUTDOORS, WEATHER PERMITTING
INSTALL OR REPAIR SCREENS ON
WINDOWS OR DOORS.**

**EMPTY STANDING WATER FROM FLOWER
POTS, GUTTERS, BUCKETS, POOL COVERS,
PET DISHES, TIRES AND BIRDBATHS.**

CRIBS FOR KIDS

**Through a funding made
available by ODH, the Trumbull County
Health Department has partnered with
CRIBS for KIDS for those families who
need a safe place for their baby to
sleep, under 12 months and who meet
WIC income guidelines. Classes are
being held at the Health Department
twice a month.**

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