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IMPORTANT! SCHOOL NURSING SERVICE HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE

Dear Parent/Carer

As you are probably aware, now that your child is in school, the school nursing service has taken over responsibility from the Health Visiting service.

Your school nursing team is here to offer health advice and support you regarding your child's physical and emotional health.

You can find out more about the service by visiting our webpage and for frequent health concerns for reception aged children Click here

Health Questionnaire

This questionnaire is very important as it enables us to identify support we can offer you and your child. The questionnaire will also help us plan the hearing screening that will take place in school during the spring and summer terms. In the meantime, if you have an urgent concern regarding your child's hearing, please see your GP.

General themes sometimes emerge from information received from the questionnaire and we may also use this information to plan larger group health promotion sessions in your child's school.

Please complete the health questionnaire for your child following This link For Spurcroft Primary School, the school code you will need to insert is: BK109937.

We ask for your child's NHS number as this allows your child's health questionnaire to be recorded on their health records if it contains significant health information. If not, Berkshire Healthcare will delete the information in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018. For further information please see our Trust Data Privacy Notice Protecting your data (Privacy notice) | Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

Find your NHS number - www.nhs.uk

ChatHealth

If you are a parent or carer of a child aged 5-19 years you can use our new ChatHealth confidential and anonymous texting service. We can offer advice and support on many topics such as: bedwetting, sleeping, growing up, emotional health & wellbeing, dealing with medical conditions at school, healthy eating.

Text **07312 263194**

General Child Health & Development

Please ensure your child is registered with a GP How to register with a GP surgery - NHS (www.nhs.uk)

As part of a child's healthy development, we recommend that all children and young people have regular check-ups with an Optician and Dentist. These services are available free of charge. To find a dentist in your area Find a dentist - NHS (www.nhs.uk)

The School Nursing Team

Your school nursing team is here to support you and your child. If you would like further advice or information, please contact your school nursing team.

Yours faithfully,

The West Berkshire School Nursing Team

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