## WEBSTER CITY SCHOOLS HEALTH SERVICES

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## **Dear Parents:**

We wish to inform you that your student has been exposed to a Communicable Disease. Having been informed, we hope it will aid you in detecting early symptoms.

## **Symptoms**

Chicken Pox	Possible low grade fever followed by blistery itchy rash. Usually lasts 5-7 days. May return to school when sores are scabbed over and no new ones forming.
Mumps	Fever, swelling and tenderness of the glands near the neck area.
Impetigo	Skin sores with pus and crusting. must be diagnosed and treated by a Doctor.
Pink Eye	Itchy, watery eye/eyes followed by redness, swelling and discharge. Must be diagnosed and treated by a Doctor. Student may return to school after 24 hours of treatment.
Ringworm	Circular reddish lesion can be scaly or blistery. Usually itchy. You may see clearing skin in the center of the lesion. can be found anywhere on the body. Needs to be treated by a Doctor.
Scabies	Small mite burrows under the skin causing itching and rash. Especially at night. Rash is most prominent in creases of arms, and waist area. Once treated by a Doctor, students may return to school.
5 <sup>th</sup> Disease	Brief low grade fever, followed by (slapped cheek appearance) of rash on cheeks and a net like rash on extremities lasting for a few days to a few weeks. Once rash appears child is usually no longer contagious.
Hand/Foot/Mouth	Starts with a fever, sore throat, and runny nose then a rash with tiny blisters may show up on the following body sites mouth, tongue, fingers, palms, feet, buttock. May return to school after 24hrs fever free without the use of any Tylenol/Ibuprofen/Acetaminophen.
COVID	Wide range of symptoms reported: fever, chills, muscle/body aches, cough, sore throat, nasal congestion, headache, vomiting, diarrhea