

Medical issues, attendance and absences

It is important that the Centre has up to date information on any medical conditions (especially Asthma and allergies) and specific emergency situations that may arise.

Please let the Preschool know of any changes in:

- your address and/or home or daytime telephone number
- relevant family details
- stressful situations.

Please inform us if a health care plan is needed for all your child's medical conditions or treatment required.

No Medication can be left in your child's bag.

We provide first aid for all injuries at preschool but may call an ambulance if needed. More serious injuries are referred to you immediately via the telephone.

Please ensure that immunisations are up to date. Children of all ages, babies under 3 months and pregnant women visit our preschool regularly and children who are not immunised pose a risk.

Staff must be notified of infectious diseases without revealing personal details; we may post information regarding infectious outbreaks on our notice boards for community information.

Attendances and absences

Continuity is important. It is beneficial for your child's development and establishes a good routine in readiness for school. It is important to maintain regular attendance while at preschool.

However, please do not send your child to preschool if they are unwell. A child who is not feeling well is likely to have an unpleasant day at preschool. Such an experience is not beneficial to the child and we may need to call you to come and take your child home. Non-attendance for illness can be informed by calling the Preschool prior to the session.