Dear Parent/Guardian:

Someone in your child’s classroom has the health issue below. This note is to tell you signs to watch for in your child. Call your doctor if your child has any of these signs.

If you have questions call the Head Start Health Manager, at 748-7336.

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MRSA: A wound looks infected. It is red, swollen, hot to the touch, and draining pus. Your child may be tired or have a fever or aches and pains. A doctor needs to test the fluid to see if it is MRSA infection.

If your child has MRSA, he/she can come to school if there isn’t a fever more than 100°. All sores must be covered.

Call your Head Start teacher or the Health Manager right away if a doctor says your child has MRSA.

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