

Head Lice Guidelines/Protocol

The School Nurses of the Old Saybrook School District will adhere to the following protocol for any and all occurrences of Head Lice. This protocol meets and exceeds all recommendations of the CDC and the American Academy of Pediatrics.

1. Exclude all students found to have live lice.
2. Examine the student upon re-entry into school.
3. Recheck the student in 7-10 days to ensure there is no recurrence and that the recommended and required second treatment has been completed.
4. Check any siblings in the district.
5. Send a letter informing parents of and outbreak of head lice affecting 10 percent or more of the individual school.