

## Wee Childcare Illness Policy

<b>Symptom</b>	<b>May Return When</b>
Fever	May return to childcare after 2 calendar days symptom free. Child must be fever free (without being medicated) for 48 hours before returning to childcare.
Cough, Difficulty Breathing, Wheezing or Sore Throat	May return to childcare after 2 calendar days if no new symptoms have appeared.
Vomiting and Diarrhea	May return to childcare after 2 calendar days if no new symptoms have appeared.
Rash, Cold Sores	May return to childcare after rash or sores have cleared up
Unexplained fatigue, aches or cold/flu-like symptoms	May return to childcare after 2 calendar days if no new symptoms have appeared.
Runny Nose	May return to childcare after 1 calendar day if no new symptoms have appeared
Returning After International Travel	Children who have, or children with others living in the same home who have been identified as at-risk of potential Covid-19 exposure may return after self-isolating for 14 days and being symptom free. A COVID test is recommended.

\*Any combination of the above symptoms may result in a longer time away

For example:

If your child is sent home Monday morning at 10:30 am with a runny nose, they are not to return Tuesday at 10:30 am as they need a day of rest. After the assessment period, speaking with daycare staff to confirm no other symptoms have presented, the child may return to daycare on Wednesday.

