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Dear Parent/Guardian

***INFORMATION REGARDING IMMUNISATION RECORDS AND EXCLUSION OF  
CHILDREN WITH INFECTIOUS CONDITIONS FROM SCHOOL/CHILD CARE***

When you enrol your child into an ACT primary school, preschool or child care centre you are required to provide the school or centre a copy of your child's immunisation record or a statement or declaration of their immunisation history. This information allows action to be taken to minimise disease spread when a vaccine preventable disease such as measles or pertussis (whooping cough) occurs at the school.

Comprehensive information about the public health requirements for immunisation, infectious disease notification and exclusion of unimmunised children is contained in the *ACT Immunisation Requirements for Entry into school, preschool and child care 2017: Parent Guide* (attached).

Please do not hesitate to contact the Health Protection Service Immunisation Information Line on 6205 2300 if you have any questions or require additional information. If you wish to have your child immunised please contact your general practice or the Community Health Intake line on 6207 9977.

Yours sincerely

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