

# Kingdom Kids Wellness Policy

In order to protect the health of the children in our care, Global Kingdom Children's Ministry has developed a strict wellness policy. A child exhibiting any of the following symptoms, or appears to be unwell, **will not be admitted** to their class. By adhering to this policy, we are ensuring that sick children get the care they need at home and that the children in our classrooms remain well.

## Symptoms:

Please do not check your child into class if he or she is currently experiencing any of the following symptoms, or has had these symptoms **within the past 48 hours**:

- Fever of **99.6** or greater
- Pale / Flushed skin color
- Diarrhea, vomiting, complaints of a stomach ache
- Watery / red eyes
- Ear infections, complaints of an ear ache
- Pink eye or other eye infections
- Persistent cough, Sore throat
- Excessive sneezing
- Stuffy / runny nose (yellow, green discharge)
- Any unexplainable rash
- Extreme fatigue / lethargy
- Any symptoms of common childhood diseases, such as Measles, Chicken Pox, Strep throat, Hand Foot and Mouth, Head Lice and Whooping Cough

Here are a few more details to be aware of:

## Recent Illness:

Children who have been ill **within the past 3 days** need to have had **at least 48 hours** of non-medicated recuperation time before coming to class.

## Possible Illness:

We will ask a parent to remove their child from class if we suspect they have a contagious illness or becomes ill during class.

## No Symptoms:

A child who complains of not feeling well needs to remain with their parent, even if no symptoms are present yet.

## Medication:

Please note that teachers cannot administer medication. If a child requires medication during the service, we ask that the parent administer it.

If you have a child-specific issue or question regarding this policy, please contact Pastor Patrice, Children's Pastor @ 416-438-1601 x 244 or [Patrice@globalkingdom.ca](mailto:Patrice@globalkingdom.ca)