

NURSING TEAM... NEWS

Doncaster **Special** School Nursing Team

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Hello... from the Doncaster Special School Nursing Team. We hope you found our last newsletter useful!

It has been great to see new faces and old at parent groups and meetings in school. A key focus for us over the past few months has been improving our understanding and contribution to Education Health Care Plans (EHCPs). It is important to us that we capture your child's 'voice', views and wishes where possible. In partnership with you, your child and other professionals involved in your child's education and care, we have been working hard to review and update pupils EHCPs and have sought the support of Kerry Friskney, Doncaster's Designated Clinical Officer to ensure our input is meaningful. If you have any questions in relation to this process, please contact us on the SPOC (Single Point of Contact) line on 01302 566776, Kerry is also contactable on this number.

I hope this Newsletter finds you all safe and well after the extreme weather conditions we have experienced in Doncaster.

This time of year brings in cold wet weather along with coughs, colds and infections. Washing your hands is one of the best and easiest ways to prevent illness yet we still need reminding

It is very simple , here's how



Wet your hands



Use soap and
rub your hands
together



Wash in between
your fingers and
backs of your hands
by placing one hand
on top of the other



Don't forget to
wash your palms,
thumb and finger
tips



Rinse your hands
and dry your hands
well.



Keep them bugs at bay!



Children will now have had a visit from the RDASH Immunisation Team to offer the Flu Nasal Spray in schools. Catch up sessions have been taking place but if you have any queries to be answered please contact them via the SPOC number.

Well this year is nearing its end and we look forward to meeting children, young people and families in the new year. I hope you all enjoy the festive period, but remember **eat well, move more and live longer.**