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Dear Parents/Guardians,

On the reverse side of this document, please find a letter from Dr. Robert Nolfo, North Branford Public School's Medical Advisor. This letter identifies protocols in diagnosing, treating and helping to prevent the outbreak of head lice infestation.

I assure you this occurrence is quite common especially with the younger school-age population as they tend to participate in behaviors that increase transmission. The two documents Dr. Nolfo has provided the district detail diagnoses, prevention, and treatment. Please take a moment to review this valuable information. Please visit our website at [www.northbranfordschools.org](http://www.northbranfordschools.org) and under District News and Announcements click on Information Regarding Head Lice and you will find links to documents labeled *Head Lice Fact Sheet* and *American Academy of Pediatrics Head Lice Publication*. Copies of these documents are also available in all school nurse offices.

We request the cooperation of families when an outbreak does occur to help contain and limit the exposure to as few students as possible.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Scott Schoonmaker  
Superintendent of Schools

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*(Letter from Dr. Nolfo on reverse side)*