

DISTRICT PROTOCOL/WHOOPING COUGH

1. Students with a positive diagnosis from their provider should be out until five days of antibiotic course is completed (provider note to allow students in school will not be accepted in this case).
2. Students presenting with symptoms and with no positive diagnosis from the provider cannot be kept out of school. Instead, parents should be advised to follow up with their provider and encouraged to keep their child out of school until symptoms improve.
3. Students that are already on antibiotic courses and presented to school without the nurse's knowledge should remain in school and should complete their antibiotic course.
4. Contact the district nurse or your building nurse if needed

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