



Intimate Care Policy

September 2019

General Welfare Requirement: Safeguarding and Promoting Children's Welfare

The provider must take necessary steps to safeguard and promote the welfare of children

Promoting health and hygiene

Nappy changing

Policy statement

No child is excluded from Little Deers Apperley Pre-school who may, for any reason, not yet be toilet trained and who may still be wearing nappies or equivalent. We work with parents towards toilet training, unless there are medical or other developmental reasons why this may not be appropriate at the time.

We make necessary adjustments to our bathroom provision and hygiene practice in order to accommodate children who are not yet toilet trained.

We see toilet training as a self-care skill that children have the opportunity to learn with the full support and non-judgemental concern of adults.

EYFS key themes and commitments

A Unique Child	Positive Relationships	Enabling Environments	Learning and Development
1.2 Inclusive practice 1.4 Health and well-being	2.2 Parents as partners 2.4 Key person	3.2 Supporting every child	

Procedures

- All staff will already have enhanced DBS clearance or List 99
- Young children from two years should wear 'pull ups' or other types of trainer pants as soon as they are comfortable with this and their parents agree
- Changing areas are warm and there are safe areas to lay young children if they need to have their bottoms cleaned.
- We request that parents of children not yet toilet trained send in a named bag to every session, to include a supply of nappies/pull-ups, nappy sacks and wipes.

