



# Little Blue Tots Daycare

## Cleaning and Sanitizing Policy



In daycare, children can spread an infection or illness in a variety of ways, but the most common is putting dirty toys in their mouths. Cleanliness is a major concern for both parents and providers so it's important that we minimize the possibility of an outbreak occurring.

Toys that children have placed in their mouths are set aside and placed in our **“Toys in Mouth”** bin until they are cleaned by hand with water and detergent, rinsed, sanitized, and air-dried.

Other ways an illness may spread is by coughing, sneezing, direct skin-to-skin contact, or touching a contaminated object or surface.

Children are taught to cover their mouths while sneezing, coughing and to also utilize hand sanitizer, tissue and wash their hands frequently.

