Safe and Healthy Diapering

to reduce the spread of germs

Keep a hand on the child for safety at all times!



1. PREPARE

- Bring your supplies (e.g., clean diaper, wipes, diaper cream, gloves, plasite or waterproof bag for soiled clothing, extra clothes) to the diapering area.
- Wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water.
- Cover the diaper changing surface with disposable liner, or the surface has been cleaned and disinfected.



2. CLEAN CHILD

- Place the child on diapering surface and unfasten diaper.
- Keep soiled diaper/clothing away from any surfaces that cannot be easily cleaned. Securely bag soiled clothing.
- Clean the child's diaper area with disposable wipes. Always wipe front to back!



3. REMOVE TRASH

- Place used wipes in the soiled diaper.
- Discard the soiled diaper and wipes in the trash can.
- Remove and discard gloves, if used.



4. REPLACE DIAPER

- Slide a fresh diaper under the child.
- Apply diaper cream, if needed, with a tissue or a freshly gloved finger.
- Fasten the diaper and dress the child.



5. WASH CHILD'S HANDS

- Use soap and water to wash the child's hands thoroughly.
- Return the child to a supervised area.



6. CLEAN UP

- Remove liner from the changing surface and discard in the trash can, if applicable.
- Clean with damp paper towels or a baby wipe.
- Wet the entire surface with disinfectant; make sure you read and follow the directions on the disinfecting spray, fluid or wipe. Choose disinfectant appropriate for the surface material.



7. WASH YOUR HANDS

• Wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water.



8. RECORD DIAPER CHANGE