



# Bumped Head Form

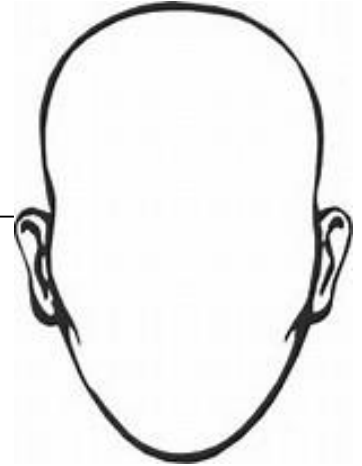


Dear Parent/ Carer/ Guardian,

(Child's name)..... has sustained a head injury at nursery today at approximately.....am/pm and has been monitored since the accident and we have not identified anything that caused concern up to the time of them going home.

Brief details of accident (mark on diagram of location of injury)

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(a full photocopy of the accident form can be give if requested)

**Please observe your child closely for 24 hours** if any of these symptoms below are present, particularly loss of consciousness (even for a short period of time), you should call an emergency ambulance (999) or NHS Direct on 111

- Lasting headache that gets worse or is still present over six hours after the injury;
- Extreme difficulty in staying awake, or still being sleepy several hours after the injury. It is fine to let children go to sleep after a slight bump to the head, but you should check on them regularly and make sure you are able to wake them.
- Nausea and vomiting several hours after the injury;
- Unconsciousness or coma;
- Unequal pupil size;
- Confusion, feeling lost or dizzy, or difficulty making sense when talking;
- Pale yellow fluid or watery blood, coming from the ears or nose;
- Bleeding from one or both ears
- Bruising behind one or both ears
- Bleeding from the scalp that cannot be quickly stopped;
- Not being able to use part of the body, such as weakness in an arm or leg;
- Difficulty seeing or double vision;
- Slurred speech; and
- Having a seizure or fit.
- Any signs of skull damage or a penetrating head injury
- Balance problems or difficulty walking
- Unusual behaviour

**If you have any concerns about your child please seek medical advice**

Regards

Child's Play Private Nursery