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Dear Parent/Carer,

Children's School Entry Health Screening in Schools

The School Nursing Service will be attending your child's school during their reception year to carry out a review of your child's health. This will include height, weight and vision screening.

The School Nursing Service will also carry out hearing screening. If your child does not pass their hearing screening they will **automatically be referred** to the audiology service for further hearing tests in line with the [School Entry Hearing Screening Pathway in Wales](#).



The Child Measurement Programme for Wales managed by Public Health Wales would like to use the height and weight measurements of your child to help give a picture of child growth in Wales. The information used by the Child Measurement Programme is completely anonymous. Please click on the link or scan the QR code for further information about the [Child Measurement Programme for Wales](#).



If you do not want your child to be included in the School Entry Health Screening **and/or** the Child Measurement Programme, please contact the School Nursing Service within **14 days** of receiving this letter.

Please inform the School Nursing Service if your child has a programmable shunt or is currently attending the audiology or ENT clinic.

School Nursing Service Contact Number: 0300 430 7777

You may find the included information sheet helpful if you have any concerns about your child's health.

For details on how we process your information please click on the [link](#) or scan the QR code.



Yours faithfully,

School Nursing Team Leader