Applying the product

Follow the product instruction leaflet carefully.

- Gently and thoroughly rub the treatment into the hair, making sure the whole head is treated.
- Keep treatment away from the eyes, cover with a towel or some other protection.
- recommended time. If in doubt, ask your pharmacist. Rinse, then wash with an ordinary shampoo. NB. Do not use a conditioner or shampoo with a built-in conditioner at this stage as this may reduce the effectiveness of treatment.
- 4. Comb and check the hair with a fine toothed comb daily.
- 5. One week later, repeat steps 1-4 again. 3-4 days after the second application recheck the head, if head lice are found consult your pharmacist.
- 6. Continue to comb daily to ensure all eggs are removed. If treatment (2 applications, 7 days apart) has not been effective you should contact your Pharmacist.



For more information call 0141 201 4945

Stick Head Lice Sample Here

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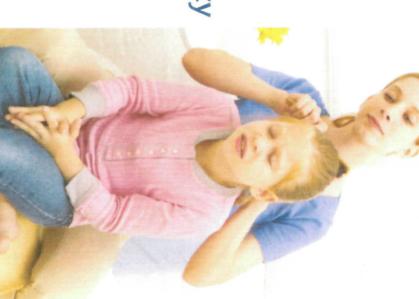
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Head Lice Service



Stop Nit Picking

Go Straight to the Pharmacy



Information on head lice and how your Pharmacist can help

assistant will provide treatment for you. proof of the infection, the pharmacist or trained leaflet. On returning to the pharmacy with comb. Follow the simple instructions on this pharmacies will give you a special free detector head lice, first pop into the pharmacy, some If you suspect that a family member(s) has service is available from your local pharmacy. prescription for head lice treatment. The same There is now no need to go to your doctor for a



The facts about Head Lice

- Head lice are small, wingless insects about the size of a sesame and are only spread by direct head-to-head contact seed. Contrary to popular belief, they do not jump, hop or fly
- problems Head lice are not dangerous and do not directly cause health
- Head lice lotions are the most effective ways of clearing head lice.
- only empty shells. if nits are stuck to the hair shafts. Nits are not head lice, not have head lice and you do not need treatment, even If you do not find living, moving lice on the scalp, you do
- nits. These can only be removed by hand or combing. Head When the head lice hatch, they leave empty egg cases called lice treatments do not remove them.

How to check the head for Head Lice

- Wash the hair as normal and comb through
- Divide the hair into layers while it is wet
- charge from the pharmacy). Comb each layer using a head lice comb (provided free of



- Comb from the roots, look closely around the neck and ears.
- If head lice are there, they will either fall out or get caught in the comb.
- pharmacy that gave you the special comb. it to a piece of paper with clear sticky tape and take it to the If you find any lice or something you are unsure about, stick
- Please advise the pharmacist of any known medical conditions

If Head Lice are found

each infected head, to the pharmacy. Bring a sample, attached to this leaflet or a piece of paper from

- options with you. The pharmacist or trained assistant will then discuss treatment
- Tell teachers and playground leaders
- started i.e. after the first application of the treatment. Children may go to school and nursery once treatment has
- If your child has head lice several times within school term, between 9am and 5pm, Monday - Friday. seek advice from the pharmacist or call 0141 201 4945

Remember

- a week. day with an ordinary comb and check damp hair at least once The best way to stop infection is to comb the hair well, twice a
- Examine damp hair carefully, combing with a fine tooth comb are informed that there has been a possible contact with an whenever you suspect a head lice infection or whenever you infected head
- Anyone can get head lice, whatever their age, hair colour or hair style.