

VOMITING AND DIARRHEA IN THE DAY CARE CENTRE

Call Environmental Health at (403) 943-8030 if:

- ◆ three (3) or more children/staff, in a 24 hour period, exhibit two (2) or more loose/watery stools above what is usual for the individual
- ◆ three (3) or more children/staff, in a 24 hour period, exhibit two (2) or more episodes of vomiting
- ◆ one (1) or more children/staff have bloody diarrhea
- ◆ one (1) or more children/staff have a stool culture positive for a pathogen (e.g. Salmonella, Shigella, E. coli 0157:H7, Campylobacter, viral pathogen etc.)

and

at least one symptom or sign compatible with gastrointestinal tract infection (nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhea)