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1. Infection in School: A Manual for School Personnel (most recent edition 2005).

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2. Management of Infectious Disease in Childcare Facilities and Other Childcare Settings (<http://www.hpsc.ie/hpsc/A-Z/LifeStages/Childcare/>)

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