

Summary of Pathogens With Links to National Guidance
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PATHOGEN	SINGLE ROOM REQUIRED?	PRECAUTIONS	LINEN	CLEANING	PATIENT LEAFLET
Body Lice	Risk assessment	Contact	NIPCM - Chapter 1 Safe Management of Linen	Daily & after discharge- domestic clean of room & shower with Tristel Fuse. Any soft furnishings should be thoroughly vacuumed.	N/A
Head Lice	Yes - Paediatric admissions Risk assess for all other areas	Contact			N/A
Pubic Lice	Risk assessment	Contact			N/A
Scabies	Yes - Atypical/Norweign & Paediatric scabies Risk assessment other types	Contact			Scabies Information Leaflet

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