

**Disease: Pink Eye (Conjunctivitis)**

**Symptoms: Redness of conjunctiva (white of eye). May or may not have drainage. Eye irritation.**

**Time from Exposure to Illness: 24-27 hours**

**School Action and Comments on Communicability:**

- 1. Refer for medical diagnosis.**
- 2. Communicability depends on cause.**
- 3. Exclude from school until doctor's verification of diagnosis and treatment or clear.**

**Source of Infection and How It Spreads: Most are caused by virus: some bacterial. May be spread through hand-eye contact.**