

**Disease: Ringworm Body (Tinea Corporis)**

**Symptoms:** Ring-shaped or irregular skin patch with raised pimple-like or scaly borders. May show central clearing. May become inflamed and crusted.

**Time from Exposure to Illness:** 1 to 3 weeks

**School Action and Comments on Communicability:** 1. Exclude from school until doctor's verification of treatment or clear. 2. Communicable until clear

**Source of Infection and How It Spreads:** Contact with man or animal infected with the fungus or its spores, and by contact with contaminated articles.