



**Haverhill Public School Department
School Health Services
Head Injury Information**

Dear Parent/Guardian

Today _____ received an injury to the head. Your child was seen in the health office and had no problems at that time, but you should watch for any of the following symptoms:

1. Severe headache
2. Nausea and/or vomiting
3. Double vision, blurred vision, or pupils of different sizes
4. Loss of muscle coordination, such as falling down, walking strangely or staggering
5. Any unusual behavior such as being confused, breathing irregularly, or dizziness
6. Convulsion
7. Bleeding or discharge from an ear
8. If your child was a little dizzy or foggy, or vomited or showed any of the above signs, child should be checked carefully at bedtime and awakened at midnight (if bedtime is 8-9 pm) just enough to be sure he/she can be awakened and seems normal

**CONTACT YOUR DOCTOR OR EMERGENCT ROOM IF YOU NOTICE ANY OF
THE ABOVE SYMPTOMS**

Sincerely,

Doreen Swartz RN BSN. Nettle School Nurse