

TAMSIN'S LITTLE ACORNS

Child Sickness Policy

I appreciate that as a working parent you need to be able to go to work. However, if your child is unwell then they will be better cared for in their own home, with a parent. I am happy to care for children with minor coughs and colds but will not care for children who are very unwell, infectious or running a high temperature. I need to consider the welfare of all children in my care.

If your child has had diarrhoea or sickness in the last twenty-four hours please do not bring them, but do call and let me know.

If your child becomes ill whilst in my care, I will make them as comfortable as possible, isolate them from the other children if necessary and reassure them. I will contact you immediately and continue to care for your child until you arrive.

I am happy to administer prescribed medication after obtaining a signed consent form (see separate policy)

I will contact you if one of my own children is not well, inform you of the illness/symptoms and if I am able to work. This then allows you to make an informed decision as to whether to bring your child or not.

If you have any questions about my Child Sickness Policy please do not hesitate to ask.