<u>Keeping It Clean</u>: Each week the nursery is cleaned and disinfected. The linens are washed and the toys are washed down. Our nursery staff wears smocks for the safety of the infants. Anyone entering the nursery area must remove their shoes in order to keep the floors clean from debris and outside germs. We wear gloves when changing diapers. Only parents or trained staff may enter the nursery area at any time.

Well Baby Policy:

For the protection of all the children in our ministry, we cannot accept children in our ministry with the following: vomiting within the last 24 hours, drainage from eyes, green or yellow runny nose, frequent cough, diarrhea, questionable rash, sore throat, any infectious disease symptoms, fever of any degree.

We will isolate and contact the parents immediately should a child become ill within our care.

NOTE: We do not apply any type of cream to a baby's bottom. Please notify the staff member at check-in that you will need a beeper in order to be contacted during diaper change for you to apply the cream.

*The above recommendations are taken from the Report of the Committee for the Control of Infectious Diseases of the American Academy of Pediatrics.