

Appendix A to Rule 5101:2-14-05

Handwashing

The in-home aide shall wash his or her hands with soap and water or hand-sanitizer at the following times:

- Upon arrival for the day, after breaks and upon returning from outside, and prior to leaving for the day.
- After toileting or assisting a child with toileting.
- After each diaper change or pull-up change.
- After contact with bodily fluids or cleaning up spills or objects contaminated with bodily fluids.
- After cleaning or sanitizing or using any chemical products.
- After handling pets, pet cages or other pet objects that have come in contact with the pet.
- Before eating, serving or preparing food or bottles or feeding a child.
- Before and after completing a medical procedure or administering medication.
- When visibly soiled (must use soap and water).

Children in care shall wash their hands with soap and water or hand-sanitizer (if twenty-four months or older) at the following times:

- After toileting/diaper change.
- After contact with bodily fluids.
- After returning inside after outdoor play.
- After handling pets, pet cages or other pet objects that have come in contact with the pet before moving on to another activity.
- Before eating or assisting with food preparation.
- After water activities.
- When visibly soiled (must use soap and water).