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Dear Parent/Guardian

Your child has been referred to the dermatology department at the Royal Hospital for Children with a problem affecting their scalp.

When assessing patients with scalp problems we often need to take small samples of skin or hair to look for infection. Taking the samples is usually easy in the clinic but to get good results it is important that no hair products or oils have been put on the hair.

We would be very grateful if no oil or hair products are used on your child's head during the week before their appointment with us.

Many thanks

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