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Treat head lice as soon as you spot them. Check everyone in the house and treat them on the same day if they have head lice. The first step is to try the wet combing method with everyday conditioner. Treatments to buy over the counter from your local pharmacy include head lice combs and medicated lotions or sprays. Always read the information leaflets provided with the medicine before using the treatment on your family. For more information, search 'head lice' at [www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk)

### **When should you see a GP?**

If you or someone in your family has enlarged glands in the neck and/or a sticky, weeping scalp. Or, if after many attempts, you cannot clear the head lice.

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