

## New HPB skit to help reinforce personal hygiene in kids

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SINGAPORE: What is a good way to drive home the message of good personal hygiene to children?

Through a skit of course!

Launched by MP for Marine Parade GRC Seah Kian Peng, a new Health Promotion Board (HPB) skit aims to reinforce the message of good hygiene practices to 4,800 children in 60 pre-schools from now until March next year.

The short play titled "Germs Go Away" will show the children how they can wash their hands thoroughly in eight steps, as well as instil the need to cover one's nose or mouth when coughing or sneezing.

A group of children at PCF Braddell Heights were the first to catch the show.

Children will also be taught to stay home if they are unwell to prevent infections like the H1N1 flu from spreading.

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