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## **HOME CARE INSTRUCTIONS FOR AFTER EAR PIERCING**

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Thoroughly cleanse hands with an antibacterial soap prior to any contact with your child's newly pierced ears. DO NOT remove the studs for six weeks.

Apply antibiotic ointment to the front and back of the ear lobe 3 times daily. Gently slide the studs back and forth in your child's ear so the antibiotic will enter inside the piercing. Gently rotate the studs (like winding a watch) 2 to 3 times a day.

After 6 weeks, the studs can be removed and other post type earrings can be inserted in your child's ears. Post earrings must be worn at all times for the entire first 6 months, to ensure that your child's ear piercing will remain the proper size.

If you have any questions, contact us at the phone number above.

**I have received and understand these instructions**

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