Lesson 3: Vaccine-preventable Diseases

Activities

Writing activities:

• Healthy Habits Poster: Create a poster depicting correct and incorrect methods for preventing disease. Instructions for this activity can be found on the Parents of Kids with Infectious Diseases (PKIDs) website (www.pkids.org): Click on “Infection Protection,” then “Infectious Disease Workshop,” then scroll down to “Unit 2: Disease Prevention — Activities.” Click on “Ages 13-18,” and select “Activity 3: Healthy Habits Posters.”

• Do a report or presentation on vaccine-preventable diseases.

Hands-on activities:

• Handwashing Experiment: This instructional activity for teens can be found on the PKIDs website (www.pkids.org): Click on “Infection Protection,” then “Infectious Disease Workshop,” then scroll down to “Unit 2: Disease Prevention — Activities.” Click on “Ages 13-18,” and select “Activity 2: Handwashing Experiment.”