

PCP Lice and Bed Bug Policy

Lice: In keeping with our policy of prioritizing the health, safety and wellbeing of all PCP students, we will be screening all arriving PCP students, both commuters and residential students, for head lice prior to completion of check-in on Opening Day. We have contracted with a reputable company, with whom we have prior experience, and screening is quick, painless, and discreet. All staff members will have been screened through the identical screening procedure.

Should an incoming PCP student be found to have nits, they will be asked to have treatment at a designated location at the family's cost prior to moving into the residence hall and attending class.

Bed Bugs: PCP is committed to an effective and efficient response to students who suspect they may have bed bugs. PCP's staff response to suspected bed bug infestation will be in accordance with the guidelines used by the Office of Residential Life for the College: <http://barnard.edu/reslife/policies/bed-bugs>. The College will assume no liability for any expenses related to bed bug infestation, including, but not limited to, costs for outside laundry or dry cleaning and alternate accommodations.