

Health Profile on Immigrant and Refugee Children and Youth in Canada



Module Appendix: Intestinal Parasites – Summary of Guidelines.

| Guideline | Country | Applicable to Canada? | Evidence Based? | Recommendation | Areas of Discrepancy |
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| <p>(Pottie, 2011) Evidence-Based Clinical Guidelines for Immigrants and Refugees</p> <p>http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3168666/pdf/183e824.pdf</p> | Canada | Yes | Yes | <p>Strongyloides Screen refugees newly arriving from Southeast Asia and Africa with serologic tests for Strongyloides, and treat, if positive with ivermectin.</p> <p>Schistosoma Screen refugees newly arriving from Africa with serologic tests for Schistosoma and treat, if positive, with praziquantel</p> | |