# SYMPTOMATIC MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES FOR NON-HEALTH STAFF

# RASH

Authorized non-health staff may manage a rash as follows:

1. Determine the extent of the rash (e.g., is it localized to one area, such as the left arm, or is it generalized, such as “all over the body”).
2. Check the student’s temperature and ask about exposure to irritants.
3. Ask the student about shortness of breath or wheezing.
4. If the rash is localized, there is no fever and no shortness of breath or wheezing, reassure the student and have him/her report to the health and wellness center at the next open hours.

**WHEN TO CONTACT THE ON-CALL HEALTH AND WELLNESS STAFF**

* If the student has an extensive rash, has fever > 101°F, or has problems with breathing or wheezing
* If there are signs of secondary bacterial infection of the rash (redness, tenderness, drainage, fever)