

Proper Care for an Intact (not circumcised) Child:

Wipe gently from base to tip.

Never push a child's foreskin back to "clean" under it or for any reason, not even "a little." This is called forced retraction.

The foreskin is fused to the head of the penis, sometimes until puberty.

The only person who should **EVER** retract a boy's foreskin is **THE BOY HIMSELF**.

Forced retraction can be painful and can cause bleeding, infection, and other complications.



More information can be found at
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