

The things we can do to continue to help prevent the spread of MRSA are as follows:

1. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water or use an alcohol based hand cleaner **frequently**.
2. Keep cuts and scraps clean and covered with a bandage until healed.
3. Avoid contact with other people's wounds and bandages.
4. Avoid sharing personal items such as towels and razors.

Below are some links to the stories that have the information:

<http://www.cnn.com/2007/HEALTH/conditions/10/16/mrsa.cdc.ap/index.html?iref=mpstoryview>

<http://www.cnn.com/2007/HEALTH/conditions/10/16/staph.death.ap/index.html?imw=Y&iref=mpstoryemail>

Education and action is the key to the prevention of spreading this bug.