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DOH-MONROE ENCOURAGES HEALTHY HAND WASHING HABITS

(Monroe County, Fla) — *Handwashing.jpg:* Natalie Aguilar, Operations and Management Consultant for the Florida Department of Health shows Vera Esquinaldo, age 3, at Saint Mary Star of the Sea Preschool, the proper way to use hand sanitizer at the Silverliner's North Pole event yesterday at Key West International Airport. December is Handwashing Awareness Month; Cleaning hands at key times with soap and water or hand sanitizer is one of the most important steps you can take to avoid getting sick, spreading germs to those around you, and staying healthy. For more information, visit www.cdc.gov/handwashing.