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If head lice management in this country is to succeed, health professionals and parents must acknowledge nit removal as an integral part of total treatment. In the past, nit removal has often been difficult and unpleasant, but recent interest in developing well-designed, effective combing tools (such as the metal/plastic INNOMED Comb or the all-plastic comb packed with RID) now makes it possible for parents to screen and treat their children thoroughly. Nit removal need no longer be an insurmountable task.

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