

Permission to Administer Medication(s)

Student Name: _____

DOB: _____

Grade: _____

To Be Completed By Health Care Provider

Diagnoses _____

Medication Name	Dose	Route	Time	@ applicable boxes below
				AM _____ Bus _____ FT _____ SSA _____ SelfAdmin-SelfCarry _____
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Prescriber please use codes below for each medication ordered:

AM	Nurse may administer missed morning dose indicated after verbal or written notification from parent.
Bus	Medication must be available on bus
FT	Medication is needed on field trips
SSA	Medication is needed school sponsored extra-curricular activities
Self-Directed	I assess this student is self-directed regarding their medication. They understand the purpose, name, amount, dose, timing, and effect of taking or not taking the medication, can recognize the medication and refuse to take it inappropriately and can ingest, inhale, apply or calculate and administer the correct dose of the medication independently.
Self-Administer/Self-Carry	I have determined this student is consistent and responsible in taking their own medications (Self-Directed) and in addition, give them permission to self-carry and self-administer this medication. They will be considered independent in medication delivery and need intervention only during emergencies.

Name and Title of Licensed Prescriber (Please Print) _____
 Prescriber's Signature _____
 Date _____
 Phone _____

I give permission for the above medication to be administered to my child as ordered by my health care provider. I will furnish the medication in the original pharmacy container, properly labeled with directions and dosage, or original over-the-counter medication container/packaging with my child's name on it.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____
 Date _____
 Phone _____

Self-Administer/Self Carry

Parent permission and provider consent is required for students to self-administer and self-carry medication. Students with this designation are considered independent in taking their medication at school and require no supervision by the nurse. Parents assume responsibility for ensuring that their child is carrying and taking their medication as ordered. Schools may revoke the self-carry/ self-administer privilege if the student proves to be irresponsible or incapable. To request this option please sign below:

Parent/Guardian Signature _____
 Date _____
 Phone _____

Asthma Action Plan

[To be completed by health care provider]

Medical Record #.	Updated On.
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Name	Address	Health Care Provider Name
Date of Birth	Emergency Contact/Phone	Phone
	Fax	

Asthma Severity: ☐ Intermittent ☐ Mild Persistent ☐ Moderate Persistent ☐ Severe Persistent

Asthma Triggers: ☐ Colds ☐ Exercise ☐ Animals ☐ Dust ☐ Smoke ☐ Food ☐ Weather ☐ Other

If Feeling Well (Green Zone)

Take Every Day Long - Term Control Medicines

MEDICINE:	HOW MUCH:	WHEN TO TAKE IT:

5-15 minutes before exercise use this medicine

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If Not Feeling Well (Yellow Zone)

Take Every Day Medicines and Add these Quick-Relief Medicines

MEDICINE:	HOW MUCH:	WHEN TO TAKE IT:

Call doctor if these medicines are used more than two days a week

If Feeling Very Sick (Red Zone)

Take These Medicines and Get help from a Doctor NOW!

MEDICINE:	HOW MUCH:	WHEN TO TAKE IT:

SEEK EMERGENCY CARE OR CALL 911 NOW IF: Lips are bluish, Getting worse fast, Hard to breathe, Can't talk or cry because of hard breathing or has passed out

Make an appointment with your primary care provider within two days of an ER visit or hospitalization

Health Care Provider Signature _____ Date _____

Patient/Guardian Signature [I have read and understood these instructions] _____ Date _____



COPY FOR PATIENT

Citywide Asthma Initiative
Adapted from Finger Lakes Asthma Action Plan and NHLBI
Revised 10/13

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PINK - SCHOOL/DAY CARE COPY
YELLOW - PROVIDER COPY

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Student: _____ Grade: _____ School Contact: _____ DOB: _____
Asthma Triggers: _____ Best Peak Flow: _____
Mother: _____ MHome #: _____ MWork #: _____ MCell #: _____
Father: _____ FHome #: _____ FWork #: _____ FCell #: _____
Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

SYMPTOMS OF AN ASTHMA EPISODE MAY INCLUDE ANY/ALL OF THESE:

- **CHANGES IN BREATHING:** coughing, wheezing, breathing through mouth, shortness of breath, Peak Flow of < _____
- **VERBAL REPORTS of:** chest tightness, chest pain, cannot catch breath, dry mouth, "neck feels funny", doesn't feel well, speaks quietly.
- **APPEARS:** anxious, sweating, nauseous, fatigued, stands with shoulders hunched over and cannot straighten up easily.

SIGNS OF AN ASTHMA EMERGENCY:

- Breathing with chest and/or neck pulled in, sits hunched over, nose opens wide when inhaling. Difficulty in walking and talking.
- Blue-gray discoloration of lips and/or fingernails.
- Failure of medication to reduce worsening symptoms with no improvement 15 – 20 minutes after initial treatment.
- Peak Flow of _____ or below.
- Respirations greater than 30/minute.
- Pulse greater than 120/minute.

STAFF MEMBERS INSTRUCTED:

- ☐ Administration
- ☐ Classroom Teacher(s)
- ☐ Support Staff
- ☐ Special Area Teacher(s)
- ☐ Transportation Staff

TREATMENT:

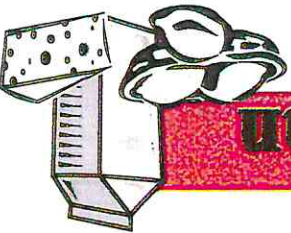
Stop activity immediately.
Help student assume a comfortable position. Sitting up is usually more comfortable.
Encourage purse-lipped breathing.
Encourage fluids to decrease thickness of lung secretions.
Give medication as ordered.
Observe for relief of symptoms. If no relief noted in 15 – 20 minutes, follow steps below for an asthma emergency.
Notify school nurse at _____ who will call parents/guardian and healthcare provider.

STEPS TO FOLLOW FOR AN ASTHMA EMERGENCY:

- ☒ Call 911 (Emergency Medical Services) and inform the that you have an asthma emergency. They will ask the student's age, physical symptoms, and what medications he/she has taken and usually takes.
- ☒ A staff member should accompany the student to the emergency room if the parent, guardian or emergency contact is not present and adequate supervision for other students is present. Preferred Hospital if transported: _____

Phone: _____

Healthcare Provider: _____



Emergency Care Plan

FOOD ALLERGY

Student: _____ Grade: _____ School Contact: _____ DOB: _____
Asthmatic: ☐ Yes ☐ No (increased risk for severe reaction) Allergen(s): _____
Mother: _____ MHome #: _____ MWork #: _____ MCell #: _____
Father: _____ FHome #: _____ FWork #: _____ FCell #: _____
Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

SYMPTOMS OF AN ALLERGIC REACTION MAY INCLUDE ANY/ALL OF THESE:

■	MOUTH	Itching & swelling of lips, tongue or mouth, "feels hot"
■	THROAT	Itching, tightness in throat, hoarseness, cough
■	SKIN	Hives, itchy rash, swelling of face and extremities
■	STOMACH	Nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea
■	LUNG	Shortness of breath, repetitive cough, wheezing
■	HEART	"Thready pulse", "passing out"

The severity of symptoms can change quickly – it is important that treatment is give immediately.

Student
Photo

STAFF MEMBERS INSTRUCTED: ☐ Administration ☐ Classroom Teacher(s) ☐ Support Staff ☐ Special Area Teacher(s) ☐ Transportation Staff

TREATMENT:

Treatment should be initiated ☐ with symptoms ☐ without waiting for symptoms
Benadryl ordered: ☐ Yes ☐ No Give _____ Benadryl per provider's orders
Call school nurse. Call parent/guardian if off school grounds.
Epinephrine ordered: ☐ Yes ☐ No Special instructions: _____

IF INGESTION OR SUSPECTED INGESTION OF ALLERGEN OCCURS, SYMPTOMS ARE PRESENT AND EPINEPHRINE IS ORDERED, GIVE EPINEPHRINE IMMEDIATELY AND CALL 911.

Preferred Hospital if transported: _____
Epinephrine provides a 20 minute response window. After epinephrine, a student may feel dizzy or have an increased heart rate. This is a normal response. Students receiving epinephrine should be transported to the hospital by ambulance. A staff member should accompany the student to the emergency room if the parent, guardian or emergency contact is not present and adequate supervision for other students is present.

Transportation Plan: ☐ Medication available on bus ☐ Medication NOT available on bus ☐ Does not ride bus
Special instructions: _____

Healthcare Provider: _____
Written by: _____
Date: _____
Phone: _____
☐ Copy provided to Parent ☐ Copy sent to Healthcare Provider

Anaphylaxis Emergency Action Plan

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____

Allergies: _____

Asthma ☐ Yes (high risk for severe reaction) ☐ No

Additional health problems besides anaphylaxis: _____

Concurrent medications: _____

Symptoms of Anaphylaxis

MOUTH	itching, swelling of lips and/or tongue
THROAT*	itching, tightness/closure, hoarseness
SKIN	itching, hives, redness, swelling
GUT	vomiting, diarrhea, cramps
LUNG*	shortness of breath, cough, wheeze
HEART*	weak pulse, dizziness, passing out

*Only a few symptoms may be present. Severity of symptoms can change quickly.
Some symptoms can be life-threatening. ACT FAST!

Emergency Action Steps - DO NOT HESITATE TO GIVE EPINEPHRINE!

1. Inject epinephrine in thigh using (check one): ☐ Adrenaclick (0.15 mg) ☐ Adrenaclick (0.3 mg)

☐ Auvi-Q (0.15 mg) ☐ Auvi-Q (0.3 mg)

☐ EpiPen Jr (0.15 mg) ☐ EpiPen (0.3 mg)

Epinephrine Injection, USP Auto-injector- authorized generic ☐ (0.15 mg) ☐ (0.3 mg)

☐ Other (0.15 mg) ☐ Other (0.3 mg)

Specify others: _____

IMPORTANT: ASTHMA INHALERS AND/OR ANTIHISTAMINES CAN'T BE DEPENDENT ON IN ANAPHYLAXIS.

2. Call 911 or rescue squad (before calling contact)

3. Emergency contact #1: home _____ work _____ cell _____

Emergency contact #2: home _____ work _____ cell _____

Emergency contact #3: home _____ work _____ cell _____

Comments: _____

Doctor's Signature/Date/Phone Number _____

Parent's Signature (for individuals under age 18 yrs)/Date _____