

Permission for School Administration of Non-Prescription Medication

Non-prescription medications are medicines that you can buy without a written prescription from a health care practitioner. Non-prescription medications are sometimes called “over-the-counter” medicines.

In order for a child to be given non-prescription medicines at school, the child’s parent/guardian must sign a permission form. A permission form for non-prescription medicines is provided on the next page. Schools may have special rules for non-prescription medicines and may require parents or guardians to sign additional forms.

A responsible adult should deliver the medicine and the permission form to the school. The medicine must be in the original container with the label on it.



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For school use only:

Routine

PRN (As needed)

Start Date: _____

School District: _____

When possible, medications should be given to students before or after school by the parent or guardian. Over the counter medications may only be given within the limits and according to the instructions printed on the container or the package insert. Medications must be provided to the school by the parent or guardian in the original container. Please note that the school district may reject requests for certain medications to be given at school.

Please complete a separate form for each medication to be given at school. If the medication is to be given to more than one of your children, please complete a separate form for each child.

Child's Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Name of School _____

Grade _____

Is your child allergic to any food, medicines, or other items? No Yes (If yes, list allergies.)

Name of medication to be given at school:

Reason for medication:

Amount of medication to be given:

Time of day medication to be given at school:

How often can medication be given?

Note any special storage requirements:

Refrigerate Other (please specify)

Estimated number of days medication will be given at school (choose one):

_____ days _____ weeks

until the end of the current school year

Does your child take any other medications at home or at school? No Yes (If yes, what are the medications?)

Child's Health Care Provider's Name and Address (please print):

Office Phone Number:

Office Fax Number:

I give permission for the medication noted above to be given to my child during the school day. I give permission for the school nurse or school administrator to contact the health care provider named above to discuss this medication and my child's health. I give permission for the health care provider named above or his/her designated employees to provide information about this medication and my child's health to the school nurse or school administrator. I understand that the school may require that I agree to the school district's rules about medications before this medicine will be given at school. I understand that I am responsible for notifying the school if any of my child's medications change.

Signature of Parent / Guardian _____

Date _____

Print or Type Name of Parent / Guardian _____

Day Phone Number _____