

MEDICAL ACTION PLAN

Allergies

Student's

Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____ Teacher: _____

ALLERGY TO: _____

Asthmatic: Yes*: No: *Higher risk for severe reaction

► STEP 1: TREATMENT ◄

<u>Symptoms:</u>	<u>Give Checked Medication**:</u> **(To be determined by physician)	
•If a food allergen has been ingested, but <i>no symptoms</i> :	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Mouth: Itching, tingling, or swelling of lips, tongue, mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Skin: Hives, itchy rash, swelling of the face or extremities	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Gut: Nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Throat†: Tightening of throat, hoarseness, hacking cough	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Lung †: Shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Heart†: Weak or thready pulse, low blood pressure, fainting	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•Other†:	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
•If reaction is progressing (several of the above areas affected), give	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine

†Potentially life-threatening. The severity of symptoms can quickly change.

DOSAGE:

Epinephrine: inject intramuscularly (circle one): Epipen® Epipen Jr.® Twinject™0.3mg Twinject™

Antihistamine: give _____
medication/dose/route

Other: give _____
medication/dose/route

IMPORTANT: Asthma inhalers and/or antihistamines cannot be depended on to replace epinephrine in anaphylaxis.

► STEP 2: EMERGENCY CALLS ◄

1. Call 911. State that an allergic reaction has been treated, and additional epinephrine may be needed.
2. Call Dr. _____ Phone Number: _____
3. Call Parent _____ Phone Number: _____
4. Emergency Contacts:

<u>Name/Relationship</u>	<u>Phone Number(s)</u>
a.) _____	1) _____ 2) _____
b.) _____	1) _____ 2) _____

EVEN IF PARENT/GUARDIAN CANNOT BE REACHED, DO NOT HESITATE TO MEDICATE OR TAKE CHILD TO MEDICAL FACILITY!

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

Doctor's Signature _____ Date: _____

(required)

I give my permission to share this information with the lunchroom personnel.