

MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION FOR ASTHMA MANAGEMENT AT SCHOOL

_____ School District Fax _____
 Student Name: _____ Birth date: _____ Grade: _____

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| Parent Section | I request that the school nurse, or designated staff member, administer the medication prescribed below, in accordance with the healthcare provider instructions. I understand that this information will be shared with school staff on a "need to know" basis. | |
| | I give permission for my child to carry this medication. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| | I give permission for my child to self-administer this medication. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| | I give permission for the nurse to initiate a 504 plan. (see Parent and Student Rights Attached) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Signature | Date | Phone |

LICENSED HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO COMPLETE SECTION BELOW

Asthma Severity: Intermittent Persistent Mild Moderate Severe
 Usual Symptoms _____
 Student's Asthma Triggers _____
 Home Controller Medications _____
 Any severe Allergy No Yes To What? _____

Quick Relief Medication Orders Spacer Yes No
 Albuterol (ProAir, Ventolin, Proventil) Levalbuterol (Xopenex)
Medication side effects: restlessness, irritability, nervousness, rarely tremor, increased or irregular heart rate

Yellow Zone: Asthma symptoms (cough, wheeze chest tightness, difficulty breathing)
 If symptoms persist, repeat after 5-10
 Give _____ Puffs quick-relief inhaler _____ minutes

If no improvement after repeated dose, follow RED Zone instructions below but give not more than _____ Additional puffs of the inhaler.
 May administer quick relief inhaler every _____ hours PRN
 Until symptoms resolve, restrict strenuous physical activity

Red Zone: Severe symptoms (very short of breath, ribs visible during breathing, trouble walking or talking color poor)
CALL 911 and School Nurse if available and do not leave student unattended

Give 4 to _____ Puffs quick-relief inhaler If symptoms persist repeat after 5-10 minutes
EXERCISE PRETREATMENT Yes No (If yes, check all that apply)
 Give 2 to _____ puffs quick- relief inhaler 15-30 prior to PE Recess Sports

Consistently or PRN

Pretreatment should not be given more often than every _____ hour.

May repeat _____ puffs of quick-relief inhaler if symptoms occur during activity

Medication order is valid for duration of _____ school year (which includes summer school)

This student may carry this emergency medication at school. Yes No

This student is trained and capable of self-administering this emergency medication. Yes No

Licensed Health Care Provider Signature

Printed LHCP Name

Date

Health care provider phone

Health care provider FAX