

Food or Insect Allergy Action Plan

Student's Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____ Homeroom Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Allergic to: _____

Asthmatic Yes* No *Denotes higher risk for severe reaction.



◆STEP 1: TREATMENT◆

Symptoms:	Give Checked Medication**: ** (To be determined by physician authorizing treatment)
♦If a food allergen has been ingested, or insect has stung student 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 thread pulse, low blood pressure, fainting, pale, blueness	<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®0.3 mg Twinject®0.15 mg
Student has been trained to self-administer epi-pen and may carry on person: (check one) yes _____ no _____

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 (or Rescue Squad: _____). State that an allergic reaction has been treated, and additional epinephrine may be needed.
2. Dr. _____ Phone Number: _____
3. Parent(s) _____ Phone Number(s): _____
4. Emergency contacts:

Name/Relationship	Phone Number(s)
a. _____	_____
b. _____	_____

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

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____
 Doctor's Signature _____ Date _____

(Required)