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Brent MacConnell
Superintendent

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Dear Parents,

Students shall be permitted to self administer medication for potentially life-threatening illnesses. Life threatening illness is defined ...”as an illness or condition that requires an immediate response to specific symptoms that if left untreated may lead to a potential loss of life”, such as, but not limited to, the use of an inhaler to treat asthma or the use of epinephrine to treat an anaphylactic reaction.

No student may possess medication for self administration unless the proper permission has been obtained and a record of the medication is on file in the health office. Pupils who are permitted to self administer medication must secure their medication in such a manner that the medication will not be available to other students. If the medication ceases to be in the student’s possession he/she must report this to the school nurse immediately.

Sincerely,

Eileen M. Trunk R.N.
School Nurse
732 747-0882 x 114

Please detach and return

I Dr. _____ certify that I am the physician of
_____ (student). This patient is diagnosed with
_____, a potentially life threatening
illness. He/she has been instructed in and is capable of the proper method of self
administration of medication for this illness.

Name of Medication _____
Dosage _____
Route _____
Time _____
Additional Instruction _____

Physician’s Signature

Date

Signature of Parent _____

