

Authorization for the Administration of Medication by School Personnel

In Connecticut schools, administering medications to children shall comply with all requirements regarding the Administration of Medications described in the State Statutes and Regulations. Parents/guardians requesting medication administration to their child shall provide the school with appropriate written authorization(s) and the medication before any medications are administered. Medications must be in the original container and labeled with child's name, name of medication, directions for medication's administration, and date of the prescription.

Authorized Prescriber's Order (Physician, Dentist, Optometrist, Physician Assistant, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse or Podiatrist):

Name of Child/Student _____ Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____ Today's Date ____ / ____ / ____

Medication Name/Generic Name of Drug _____ Controlled Drug YES NO

Condition for which drug is being administered: _____

Specific Instructions for Medication Administration _____

Dosage _____ Method/Route _____

Time of Administration _____ If PRN, frequency _____

Medication shall be administered: Start Date: ____ / ____ / ____ End Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Relevant Side Effects of Medication _____ None Expected

Explain any allergies, reaction to/negative interaction with food or drugs _____

Plan of Management for Side Effects _____

Prescriber's Name/Title _____ Phone Number (____) _____

Prescriber's Address _____ Town _____

Prescriber's Signature _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Prescriber's authorization for self-administration: YES NO

Parent/Guardian Authorization:

I request that medication be administered to my child/student as described and directed above

I hereby request that the above ordered medication be administered at school, I and I give permission for the exchange of information between the prescriber and the school nurse that is necessary to ensure the safe administration of this medication. I understand that I must supply the school with no more than a three (3) month supply of medication (school only.)

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Relationship _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Parent /Guardian's Address _____ Town _____ State _____

SELF ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION/APPROVAL

Self-administration of medication may be authorized by the prescriber (when applicable) and must be authorized by a parent/guardian in accordance with board policy. In a school: 1. inhalers for asthma and cartridge injectors for life-threatening allergies require authorization by the prescriber and a parent/guardian only; 2. students may possess, self-administer or possess and self-administer medications for medically-diagnosed life-threatening allergies; and 3. students who are six years of age or older may possess and self-supply an over-the-counter sunscreen product with only the parent/guardian written authorization.

Student to self-administer medication specified on this form: YES NO

Parent/Guardian authorization and signature: _____
Signature Date

School nurse, if applicable, approval for self-administration: _____
Signature Date

Note: This form is in compliance with Section 10-212a, Section 19a-79-9a, 19a-87b-17 and 19-13-B27a(v.)