

Carlisle Public Schools

83 School Street, Carlisle Massachusetts 01741

To: Parents of Students in Grades 4-8

From: School Nurse

Re: Addition to the School Medication Policy for Students with Asthma

Students in grades 4-8 will be allowed to carry medically prescribed inhalers for asthma on their person during the school day. This is the ONLY medication a student may carry on his/her person.

Parents need to carefully instruct their son/daughter as to the correct usage. If respiratory symptoms persist, the student MUST report to the school nurse for further evaluation.

All other medication must be kept in the nurse's office and may only be administered by the school nurse.

Please return the lower portion of this letter if your child is allowed to carry an inhaler.

Release Form for Students Carrying Inhalers at School

I hereby give permission for my son/daughter _____
To carry an inhaler for respiratory difficulty on his/her person while at school. He/she is fully aware of the appropriate use of this inhaler and will report to the school nurse if respiratory difficulties persist after usage.

I understand that this permission does not apply to any other medication that my child may be taking.

I will also _____ will not _____ keep an inhaler in the Nurse's Office for emergencies.

(Name of Medication)

(Parent Signature)

(Date)