



# West Irondequoit Central School District

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WICSD strongly recommends that all medications, prescription or otherwise be given at home. For all medications given in school, the State Education Department requires that physicians write a prescription for both prescribed and over-the-counter (OTC) medicines, along with parent(s) written permission.

For convenience, there are certain common OTC medications stocked in the health office. These are medicines that parents use at home, usually without significant side effects. With your physician's and your written permission, the school nurse might occasionally determine one of these medicines may comfort your child through the remainder of the school day. If this is something you elect to do, you and your child's primary care physician must sign and return the slip below giving permission to the school nurse to administer these certain limited stocked medicines.

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print name), give permission for the school nurse to administer as appropriate the following OTC medications or treatments **ONLY AS CHECKED** for my child without a phone call:

- ☐ Vaseline or Aquaphor topically as needed for chapped or dry lips or skin
- ☐ Calamine lotion topically as needed for an itchy rash or insect bite
- ☐ Unscented lotion topically as needed for chapped or dry skin
- ☐ Salt water gargles as needed for sore throat or rinses for mouth sores
- ☐ Ophthalmic saline as needed for contact lenses
- ☐ Cough drops as needed for sore throat/cough (parent to bring in cough drops)
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Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

\*Daytime Phone

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Medical Provider Name

Medical Provider Signature

Date

This document is valid for one school year. Family members who are medical providers cannot sign as a provider for their student.

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