

SCHOOL ANAPHYLAXIS ACTION PLAN

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Student's
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Student's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Grade: _____
 School: _____ Phone #: _____ Fax #: _____

ALLERGY TO: _____ Weight: _____

STEP 1: TREATMENT

Symptoms:	Give Checked Medication as prescribed by physician authorizing treatment	
If a food allergen has been ingested, [or bee sting] but no symptoms yet: Treat:		
Mouth	Itching, tingling, or swelling of lips, tongue, mouth	Epinephrine
Skin	Hives, itchy rash, swelling of the face or extremities	Epinephrine
Gut	Nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea	Epinephrine
Throat †	Tightening of throat, hoarseness, hacking cough	Epinephrine
Lung †	Shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing	Epinephrine
Heart †	Weak or thready pulse, low blood pressure, fainting, pale, blueness	Epinephrine
Other		Epinephrine

† Potentially life-threatening. The severity of symptoms can quickly change.
IMPORTANT: Asthma inhalers and/or antihistamines cannot be depended on to replace epinephrine in anaphylaxis

PRESCRIBED DOSAGE

Epinephrine: Inject intramuscularly (Check ONE): Junior Dose [0.15mg] Regular Dose [0.30mg]

SECOND DOSE: After 5-15 minutes, if emergency services have not arrived and symptoms persist, administer 2nd dose.

Antihistamine or Asthma Inhalers: *Note to prescribing doctor: A nurse is not always present to distinguish symptoms of anaphylaxis from other allergic reactions. Pediatric allergists recommend that action plans be as simple as possible. Because a nurse will not always be present, it is advised that antihistamines not be part of the action plan. Rather, auto-injectors and calling 911 for support should occur immediately.*

Other Medication: Give: _____
medication / dose / route / indications

STEP 2: EMERGENCY CALLS

1. Call 911. State that an allergic reaction has been treated, and additional epinephrine may be needed
2. Parent: _____ Phone #: _____
3. Other emergency contacts:
 - A. Name/Relation: _____ Phone #: _____
 - B. Name/Relation: _____ Phone #: _____

Physician's Name (print): _____ **Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____

Office Telephone #: _____ **Office Fax #:** _____

I authorize the school nurse, or other appropriately assigned school staff, to administer the medication/perform the procedure, as prescribed here in by the authorized health care provider. I will notify the school immediately and submit a new form, if there are any changes in the medication, procedure or the prescribing physician. I understand that school health staff are obliged by law to clarify issues associated with this order with the prescribing provider as necessary.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

School Nurse Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

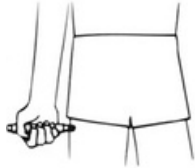
EpiPen® and EpiPen® Jr.

□ First, remove the EpiPen® Auto-Injector from the plastic carrying case.

□ Pull off the BLUE safety release cap.



□ Hold ORANGE tip near outer thigh (always apply to thigh).



□ Swing and firmly push orange tip against outer thigh.

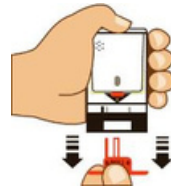
Hold on thigh for approximately 10 seconds. Remove the EpiPen® Auto-Injector and massage the area for 10 more seconds.



Auvi-Q 0.15 mg & Auvi-Q 0.3 mg



Remove outer case and follow voice instructions.



Remove red safety guard



Place BLACK end against outer thigh, then press firmly and hold in place for 5 seconds. (Will work even through clothing)

After Auvi-Q is used, place the outer case back on.

AdrenaClick 0.3 mg & AdrenaClick 0.15 mg



- Remove GRAY caps labeled “1” and “2.”
- Place RED rounded tip against outer thigh, press down hard until needle penetrates. Hold for 10 seconds, then remove.

