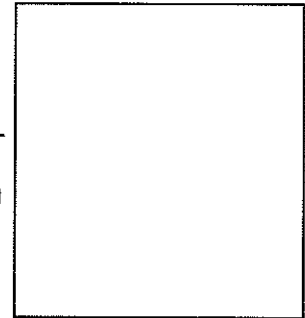


MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
OFFICE OF CHILD CARE
MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION AUTHORIZATION FORM

Child Care Program: _____

This form must be completed fully in order for child care providers and staff to administer the required medication. A new medication administration form must be completed at the beginning of each 12 month period, for each medication, and each time there is a change in dosage or time of administration of a medication.

- Prescription medication must be in a container labeled by the pharmacist or prescriber.
- Non-prescription medication must be in the original container with the label intact.
- Parent/Guardian must bring the medication to the facility.
- Must pick up the medication at the end of authorized period, otherwise it will be discarded.



Child's Picture (Optional)

PRESCRIBER'S AUTHORIZATION

Child's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Condition for which medication is being administered: _____

Medication Name: _____ Dose: _____ Route: _____

Time/frequency of administration: _____ If PRN, frequency: _____
(PRN=as needed)

If PRN, for what symptoms: _____

Possible side effects & special instructions: _____

Medication shall be administered from: _____ to _____

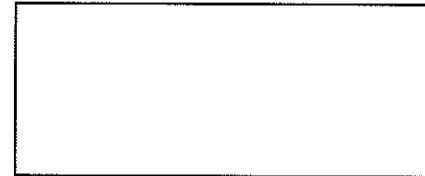
Known Food or Drug: Allergies? Yes No If Yes, please explain _____
Month / Day / Year Month / Day / Year (not to exceed 1 year)

Prescriber's Name/Title: _____
(Type or print)

Telephone: _____ FAX: _____

Address: _____

Prescriber's Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Original signature or signature stamp ONLY)



This space may be used for the Prescriber's Address Stamp

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION

I/We request authorized child care provider/staff to administer the medication as prescribed by the above prescriber. I attest that I have administered at least one dose of the medication to my child without adverse effects. I/We certify that I/we have legal authority, understand the risk and consent to medical treatment for the child named above, including the administration of medication. I agree to review special instruction and demonstrate medication administration procedure to the child care provider.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____ Work Phone #: _____

SELF CARRY/SELF ADMINISTRATION OF EMERGENCY MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION/APPROVAL
(Only school-aged children may be authorized to self carry/self administer medication.)

Self carry/self administration of **emergency** medication noted above may be authorized by the prescriber.

Prescriber's authorization: _____
Signature Date

Parental approval: _____
Signature Date

FACILITY RECEIPT AND REVIEW

Medication was received from: _____ Date: _____

Special Health Care Plan Received: YES NO

Medication was received by: _____
Signature of Person Receiving Medication and Reviewing the Form Date

Allergy Action Plan

Must be accompanied by a Medication Authorization Form (OCC 1216)



CHILD'S NAME: _____ Date of Birth: _____

ALLERGY TO: _____

Is the child Asthmatic? No Yes (If Yes = Higher Risk for Severe Reaction)

TREATMENT

Symptoms: The child has ingested a food allergen or exposed to an allergy trigger: But is <i>not</i> exhibiting or complaining of any symptoms	Give this Medication	
	Epinephrine	Antihistamine
Mouth: itching, tingling, swelling of lips, tongue or mouth ("mouth feels funny")		
Skin: hives, itchy rash, swelling of the face or extremities		
Gut: nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea		
Throat*: difficulty swallowing ("choking feeling"), hoarseness, hacking cough		
Lung*: shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing		
Heart*: weak or fast pulse, low blood pressure, fainting, pale, blueness		
Other:		
If reaction is progressing (several of the above areas affected)		

*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.

Medication	Dose:
Epinephrine:	
Antihistamine:	
Other:	

Doctor's Signature _____

Date _____

EMERGENCY CALLS

1) Call 911 (or Rescue Squad) whenever Epinephrine has been administered. 2) Call the parent. State that an allergic reaction has been treated and additional epinephrine may be needed. 3) Stay with the child.

Doctor's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Contact(s)	Name/Relationship	Phone Number(s)	
		Daytime Number	Cell
Parent/Guardian 1			
Parent/Guardian 2			
Emergency 1			
Emergency 2			

*EVEN IF A PARENT/GUARDIAN CANNOT BE REACHED, DO NOT HESITATE TO MEDICATE AND CALL 911.

Health Care Provider and Parent Authorization for Self/Carry Self Administration
I authorize the child care provider to administer the above medications as indicated. Students may self carry/self administer [school-aged only] yes No

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____

Date _____

Allergy Action Plan (Continued)

Must be accompanied by a Medication Authorization Form (OCC 1216)



CHILD'S NAME: _____ Date of Birth: _____

ALLERGY TO: _____

Is the child Asthmatic? No Yes (If Yes = Higher Risk for Severe Reaction)

The Child Care Facility will:

- Reduce exposure to allergen(s) by: (no sharing food, _____)
- Ensure proper hand washing procedures are followed. _____
- Observe and monitor child for any signs of allergic reaction(s). _____
- Ensure that medication is immediately available to administer in case of an allergic reaction (in the classroom, playground, field trips, etc.) _____
- Ensure that a person trained in Medication Administration accompanies child on any off-site activity. _____
- _____

EPIPEN[®]
EpiPen (epinephrine) Auto-Injectors 0.15/0.3mg

1 Pull off the blue safety release cap.

2 Swing and firmly push the orange tip against the outer thigh so it clicks. **HOLD** on thigh for approximately 10 seconds to deliver the drug.

Plasma meter: As soon as you release pressure from the thigh, the protective cover will extend.

Each EpiPen Auto-Inject contains a single dose of a mixture containing epinephrine, which is used to treat severe allergic reactions. DO NOT INJECT INTO YOUR BUTTOCK as this may increase the risk for severe allergic reactions. In case of wild animal injuries, please seek medical attention immediately.

3 Seek immediate emergency medical attention and be sure to take the EpiPen Auto-Injector with you to the emergency room.

To view an instructional video demonstrating how to use an EpiPen Auto-Injector, please visit epipen.com.

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The Parent/Guardian will:

- Ensure the child care facility has a sufficient supply of emergency medication.
- Replace medication prior to the expiration date
- Monitor any foods served by the child care facility, make substitutions or arrangements with the facility, if needed.
- _____
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