

# ABINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Abington, Pennsylvania

## MEDICATION POLICY- MEDICATION PERMISSION FORM

Medication(s) should be given at home before and/or after school. However, when this is not possible, prior to medication being administered to a student during the school day, ***the parent/guardian or responsible adult must personally deliver to the school nurse the following:***

1. Written orders from a qualified health care provider giving the child's diagnosis and the dosage and frequency of its administration for each prescribed medication.
2. Written permission from the parent/guardian for the school to comply with the qualified health care provider's order.
3. An explanation of the reason the medication(s) must be taken during school hours.
4. Medication in its original container properly labeled by the pharmacy or qualified health care provider or the over-the-counter medication in its original container as purchased. **One month supply only.**

**School personnel may only administer medication prescribed by a qualified health care provider.**

### HEALTH CARE PROVIDER'S AUTHORIZATION TO BE COMPLETED BY PHYSICIAN

STUDENT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATION 1:** \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

Possible side effects \_\_\_\_\_

Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATION 2:** \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

Possible side effects \_\_\_\_\_

Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for medication during school hours: \_\_\_\_\_

**INHALER OR EPINEPHRINE AUTO-INJECTOR: Student is authorized to carry and self-administer? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

**FIELD TRIP: Daily Medications only.** The medication may need to be omitted or time changed during a field trip.

Please Indicate below:

- OMIT MEDICATION DURING THE FIELD TRIP: \_\_\_\_\_
- TIME OF MEDICATION MAY BE CHANGED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

**HEALTH CARE PROVIDER SIGNATURE (REQUIRED):** \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

### TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

I (print parent/guardian name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby give my consent for my child/student identified above to receive the above medication as prescribed and I release the Abington School District of all responsibility for any benefit and any and all adverse consequences of the medication. I also give consent for Abington School District Health Services Staff to communicate with the above Health Care Provider for the benefit of my child/student. I understand that a new order is needed each school year and that any medications not picked up at the end of the school year will be discarded.

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Parent/Guardian Signature** \_\_\_\_\_