



# FOOD ALLERGY & ANAPHYLAXIS EMERGENCY CARE PLAN

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergic to: \_\_\_\_\_

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. Asthma:  Yes (higher risk for a severe reaction)  No








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HERE

**NOTE: Do not depend on antihistamines or inhalers (bronchodilators) to treat a severe reaction. USE EPINEPHRINE.**

**Extremely reactive to the following allergens:** \_\_\_\_\_  
THEREFORE:  
 If checked, give epinephrine immediately if the allergen was LIKELY eaten, for ANY symptoms.  
 If checked, give epinephrine immediately if the allergen was DEFINITELY eaten, even if no symptoms are apparent.

FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:





## SEVERE SYMPTOMS

 <b>LUNG</b> Shortness of breath, wheezing, repetitive cough	 <b>HEART</b> Pale or bluish skin, faintness, weak pulse, dizziness	 <b>THROAT</b> Tight or hoarse throat, trouble breathing or swallowing	 <b>MOUTH</b> Significant swelling of the tongue or lips
 <b>SKIN</b> Many hives over body, widespread redness	 <b>GUT</b> Repetitive vomiting, severe diarrhea	 <b>OTHER</b> Feeling something bad is about to happen, anxiety, confusion	<b>OR A COMBINATION</b> of symptoms from different body areas.

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- INJECT EPINEPHRINE IMMEDIATELY.**
- Call 911.** Tell emergency dispatcher the person is having anaphylaxis and may need epinephrine when emergency responders arrive.
  - Consider giving additional medications following epinephrine:
    - » Antihistamine
    - » Inhaler (bronchodilator) if wheezing
  - Lay the person flat, raise legs and keep warm. If breathing is difficult or they are vomiting, let them sit up or lie on their side.
  - If symptoms do not improve, or symptoms return, more doses of epinephrine can be given about 5 minutes or more after the last dose.
  - Alert emergency contacts.
  - Transport patient to ER, even if symptoms resolve. Patient should remain in ER for at least 4 hours because symptoms may return.

## MILD SYMPTOMS

 <b>NOSE</b> Itchy or runny nose, sneezing	 <b>MOUTH</b> Itchy mouth	 <b>SKIN</b> A few hives, mild itch	 <b>GUT</b> Mild nausea or discomfort
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FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM MORE THAN ONE SYSTEM AREA, GIVE EPINEPHRINE.

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FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM A SINGLE SYSTEM AREA, FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS BELOW:

- Antihistamines may be given, if ordered by a healthcare provider.
- Stay with the person; alert emergency contacts.
- Watch closely for changes. If symptoms worsen, give epinephrine.

## MEDICATIONS/DOSES

Epinephrine Brand or Generic: \_\_\_\_\_

Epinephrine Dose:  0.1 mg IM  0.15 mg IM  0.3 mg IM

Antihistamine Brand or Generic: \_\_\_\_\_

Antihistamine Dose: \_\_\_\_\_

Other (e.g., inhaler-bronchodilator if wheezing): \_\_\_\_\_

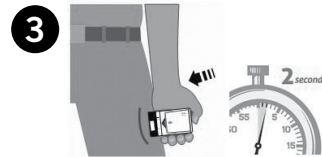
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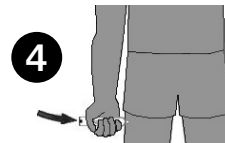
## HOW TO USE AUVI-Q® (EPINEPHRINE INJECTION, USP), KALEO

1. Remove Auvi-Q from the outer case. Pull off red safety guard.
2. Place black end of Auvi-Q against the middle of the outer thigh.
3. Press firmly until you hear a click and hiss sound, and hold in place for 2 seconds.
4. Call 911 and get emergency medical help right away.



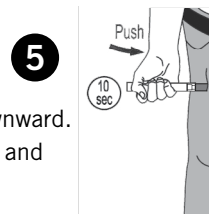
## HOW TO USE EPIPEN®, EPIPEN JR® (EPINEPHRINE) AUTO-INJECTOR AND EPINEPHRINE INJECTION (AUTHORIZED GENERIC OF EPIPEN®), USP AUTO-INJECTOR, MYLAN AUTO-INJECTOR, MYLAN

1. Remove the EpiPen® or EpiPen Jr® Auto-Injector from the clear carrier tube.
2. Grasp the auto-injector in your fist with the orange tip (needle end) pointing downward. With your other hand, remove the blue safety release by pulling straight up.
3. Swing and push the auto-injector firmly into the middle of the outer thigh until it 'clicks'. Hold firmly in place for 3 seconds (count slowly 1, 2, 3).
4. Remove and massage the injection area for 10 seconds. Call 911 and get emergency medical help right away.



## HOW TO USE IMPAX EPINEPHRINE INJECTION (AUTHORIZED GENERIC OF ADRENALICK®), USP AUTO-INJECTOR, AMNEAL PHARMACEUTICALS

1. Remove epinephrine auto-injector from its protective carrying case.
2. Pull off both blue end caps: you will now see a red tip. Grasp the auto-injector in your fist with the red tip pointing downward.
3. Put the red tip against the middle of the outer thigh at a 90-degree angle, perpendicular to the thigh. Press down hard and hold firmly against the thigh for approximately 10 seconds.
4. Remove and massage the area for 10 seconds. Call 911 and get emergency medical help right away.



## HOW TO USE TEVA'S GENERIC EPIPEN® (EPINEPHRINE INJECTION, USP) AUTO-INJECTOR, TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRIES

1. Quickly twist the yellow or green cap off of the auto-injector in the direction of the "twist arrow" to remove it.
2. Grasp the auto-injector in your fist with the orange tip (needle end) pointing downward. With your other hand, pull off the blue safety release.
3. Place the orange tip against the middle of the outer thigh at a right angle to the thigh.
4. Swing and push the auto-injector firmly into the middle of the outer thigh until it 'clicks'. Hold firmly in place for 3 seconds (count slowly 1, 2, 3).
5. Remove and massage the injection area for 10 seconds. Call 911 and get emergency medical help right away.



## HOW TO USE SYMJEPI™ (EPINEPHRINE INJECTION, USP)

1. When ready to inject, pull off cap to expose needle. Do not put finger on top of the device.
2. Hold SYMJEPI by finger grips only and slowly insert the needle into the thigh. SYMJEPI can be injected through clothing if necessary.
3. After needle is in thigh, push the plunger all the way down until it clicks and hold for 2 seconds.
4. Remove the syringe and massage the injection area for 10 seconds. Call 911 and get emergency medical help right away.
5. Once the injection has been administered, using one hand with fingers behind the needle slide safety guard over needle.



## ADMINISTRATION AND SAFETY INFORMATION FOR ALL AUTO-INJECTORS:

1. Do not put your thumb, fingers or hand over the tip of the auto-injector or inject into any body part other than mid-outer thigh. In case of accidental injection, go immediately to the nearest emergency room.
2. If administering to a young child, hold their leg firmly in place before and during injection to prevent injuries.
3. Epinephrine can be injected through clothing if needed.
4. Call 911 immediately after injection.

## OTHER DIRECTIONS/INFORMATION (may self-carry epinephrine, may self-administer epinephrine, etc.):

Treat the person before calling emergency contacts. The first signs of a reaction can be mild, but symptoms can worsen quickly.

### EMERGENCY CONTACTS — CALL 911

RESCUE SQUAD: \_\_\_\_\_

DOCTOR: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER EMERGENCY CONTACTS

NAME/RELATIONSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Preliminary Individualized Healthcare Plan

Name _____	D.O.B. _____		
Address _____	Homephone _____		
Parents/guardians _____	Grade _____		
School _____			
Healthcare provider(s) _____			
Insurance provider _____	ICD-10-CM _____		
IEP Date _____	504 Date _____	EAP Date _____	EEP Date _____

**Medical Diagnosis:** Anaphylaxis: Severe Allergic Reaction

## Nursing Assessment

See the master list in this chapter and *Chapter One: /HP Basics and Using /HPs with Other Educational, Health and Home Care Agency Plans* for additional assessment points.

- Diagnosis of an allergy from a healthcare provider?
- Student's known allergies
- Student's reactions to known allergies
- Age when allergy was first discovered
- Other risk factors (e.g., asthma)
- Current allergy management plan
- Other health conditions and/or take any other medication
- Student's ability to self-medicate?
- Student/family medical care and insurance
- Support systems

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Nursing Diagnoses

- Risk for allergy response related to exposure to allergen(s); list allergen(s)
- Noncompliance related to non-adherence behavior
- Risk for shock related to exposure to allergen

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Nursing Interventions

The school nurse will:

- determine potential sources of allergens in school setting. List allergens: \_\_\_\_\_
- collaborate with designated school personnel to eliminate potential sources of allergens in school setting
- provide in-service for designated school staff (including school bus driver, substitute teachers) about allergic reaction/anaphylaxis
- encourage student self-advocacy and immediate communication with school personnel
- monitor indoor and outdoor school environment for potential allergens

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Expected Student Outcomes

The student will:

- identify triggers that can cause potential severe reaction.
- identify his or her symptoms of an allergic reaction (from mild to severe).
- describe steps to take if an allergic reaction occurs.
- identify school personnel responsible for helping carry out the healthcare management and EAP.
- wear allergy alert bracelet/necklace.

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Plan initiated by \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# MEDICATION/TREATMENT CONSENT FORM

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

School Year \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis/Condition \_\_\_\_\_

## CONSENT FOR ADMINISTRATION OF HEALTH TREATMENT AND/OR MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

- Parents are urged to provide health treatments and give medication at home and on a schedule other than school hours if possible. If it is necessary that treatments and/or medication be provided during school hours, these regulations must be followed. *Please Note: "Medication" refers to any prescription, non-prescription, homeopathic, herbal, vitamin, or mineral preparation.*
- Health treatments and medications must be prescribed in writing by a physician or other licensed health care provider and must be renewed at least annually. Providers complete Part 1 below and must sign form-Part 2 and fax written instructions to school.
- All medication, prescription and non-prescription, must be brought to school in the original pharmacy container with a current label showing the name of the student, medication, strength, dosage, and time(s) to be given. Only the parent/guardian or other responsible adult or the pharmacy may deliver the medicine to school. Students are not allowed to bring their own medication to school.
- Health treatment supplies will be provided for school use for each student by parent/guardian as needed.
- Parent/guardian written permission is required to administer treatments and medications at school as directed by physician/licensed health care provider, including permission to contact provider as necessary. Parent must sign below-Part 2.

## PART I: PHYSICIAN/HEALTH CARE PROVIDER INSTRUCTIONS

TREATMENT/MEDICATION	STRENGTH	DOSAGE/ROUTE	TIME(S)/FREQUENCY	
			Home	School

Recommendations, Special Considerations, Side Effects, Precautions, Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

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## PART 2: AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES

The following signatures serve as written authorization for permission to administer health treatment and/or medication as directed at school. Authorization includes permission for school personnel and health care provider to contact each other if needed. Medication and Treatment information is kept confidential but it may be shared with appropriate staff for emergency care.

**Physician/Provider:** \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_



# MEDICATION/TREATMENT CONSENT FORM FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

School Year \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis/Condition \_\_\_\_\_

## CONSENT FOR ADMINISTRATION OF HEALTH TREATMENT AND/OR MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

- Parents are urged to provide health treatments and give medication at home and on a schedule other than school hours if possible. If it is necessary that treatments and/or medication be provided during school hours, these regulations must be followed. *Please Note: "Medication" refers to any prescription, non-prescription, homeopathic, herbal, vitamin, or mineral preparation.*
- Self-administration provisions are for high school students only with the exception of inhalers, epipens and glucagon.
- Health treatments and medications must be prescribed in writing by a physician or other licensed health care provider and must be renewed at least annually. Providers complete Part 1 below and must sign form-Part 2 and fax written instructions to school.
- All medication, prescription and non-prescription, must be brought to school in the original pharmacy container only with a current label showing the name of the student, medication, strength, dosage, and time(s) to be given. Metered dose inhalers must have a label attached to the container.
- Health treatment supplies will be provided for school use for each student by parent/guardian as needed.
- Parent/guardian written permission is required to administer treatments and medications at school as directed by physician/licensed health care provider, including permission to contact provider as necessary. Parent must sign below-Part 2.
- Any misuse of medication by a student, including selling or giving away the medication, that violates school district policy that will result in revocation of self-administration privileges and may result in a referral to law enforcement officials. Please see the student handbook for Waterford School District policies regarding medication at school.

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Recommendations, Special Considerations, Side Effects, Precautions, Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART 2: AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURES

The following signatures serve as written authorization for permission for student to self-administer health treatment and/or medication as directed at school. Authorization includes permission for school personnel and health care provider to contact each other if needed. Medication and Treatment information is kept confidential but it may be shared with appropriate staff for emergency care. *Please Note: School personnel will not supervise the medication administration or have responsibility in the process. Parent will be notified of any observed violation of the above guidelines.*

### Physician/Provider:

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent/Guardian:

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

### Student:

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_