

**Individualized Health Care Plan for Life-Threatening Allergies
Including Food Allergies**

To be completed by the student or parent if the child is too young:

Students Name _____ Grade _____

I have allergy/s to _____ . I know I need to avoid _____

The reaction/s I have are: _____

I know my care is _____

The medication I need is _____

How is the medication given? _____

The medication located (where) _____ . The back up location for my medication is _____

I do have/do not have permission to carry my medication. _____

I will carry the medication (where) _____ . The back up location for my medication is _____

I will tell the responsible adult immediately if I have come in contact with the allergen or I am having a reaction.

Student signature _____ Date _____

To be completed by the Parent

_____ (Student's Name) has severe allergies to _____. This allergy may cause

in my child. I have provided to the school the physician's medication permission and instructions. I want these instructions carried out. I have instructed my child of about his/her allergy, how to avoid exposure to the allergen, care to take if exposure occurs. I will provide the medication with proper pharmacy label and be aware of the expiration date to replace the medication. I hereby request treatment of the medication specified above to be given to the above named student, and that someone may give the medication other than a medically trained person. I know 911 will be called with the use of epinephrine. Such agreement by the school is adequate consideration of my agreements contained herein. In consideration for the school agreeing to allow the medication to be given to the student as requested herein. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Archdiocese of Galveston – Houston, its servants, agents, an employees, including, but not limited to the parish, the school, the principal, and the individuals giving the medication, of and from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of or in any way connected with the giving of the medication or failing to give the medication to the student. Further, for said consideration, I, on behalf of myself and the other parent of the student, hereby release and waive any and all claims, demands, or causes of action against the Archdiocese of Galveston – Houston, its agents, servants, or employees, including, but not limited to the parish, the school, the principal, and the individual giving or failing to give the medication.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

To be completed by the school

- _____ Instruction has been given on the medication order and the parent's instruction of care.
- _____ The students' responsible adults are instructed in the allergy, symptoms, and avoidance, care, and treatment.
- _____ Epinephrine auto injected device locations are known.
- _____ If the EpiPen is used, 911 with advance life support will be called.

Principal _____ School Nurse or Health Consultant _____

Teacher _____ PE _____

(If appropriate) Before & After Program Coordinator _____

Coach _____ Date _____

Physician _____ Date _____



Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____

Allergy to: _____

Weight: _____ lbs. Asthma: [] Yes (higher risk for a severe reaction) [] No

PLACE
PICTURE
HERE

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

Extremely reactive to the following foods: _____

THEREFORE:

[] If checked, give epinephrine immediately for ANY symptoms if the allergen was likely eaten.

[] If checked, give epinephrine immediately if the allergen was definitely eaten, even if no symptoms are noted.

FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:
SEVERE SYMPTOMS



LUNG

Short of breath,
wheezing,
repetitive cough



HEART

Pale, blue,
faint, weak
pulse, dizzy



THROAT

Tight, hoarse,
trouble
breathing/
swallowing



MOUTH

Significant
swelling of the
tongue and/or lips



SKIN

Many hives over
body, widespread
redness



GUT

Repetitive
vomiting, severe
diarrhea



OTHER

Feeling
something bad is
about to happen,
anxiety, confusion

OR A
COMBINATION
of symptoms
from different
body areas.



- 1. INJECT EPINEPHRINE IMMEDIATELY.**
 - 2. Call 911.** Tell them the child is having anaphylaxis and may need epinephrine when they 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 them to ER even if symptoms resolve. Person should remain in ER for at least 4 hours because symptoms may return.

MILD SYMPTOMS



NOSE

Itchy/runny
nose,
sneezing



MOUTH

Itchy mouth



SKIN

A few hives,
mild itch



GUT

Mild nausea/
discomfort

FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM MORE THAN ONE
SYSTEM AREA, GIVE EPINEPHRINE.

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

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

MEDICATIONS/DOSES

Epinephrine Brand: _____

Epinephrine Dose: [] 0.15 mg IM [] 0.3 mg IM

Antihistamine Brand or Generic: _____

Antihistamine Dose: _____

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

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURE

DATE

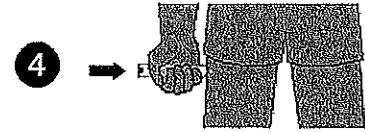
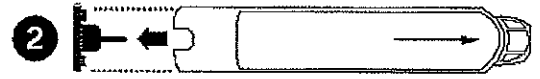
PHYSICIAN/HCP AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURE

DATE



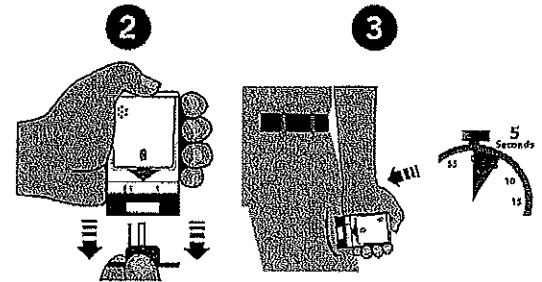
EPIPEN® (EPINEPHRINE) AUTO-INJECTOR DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the EpiPen Auto-Injector from the plastic carrying case.
2. Pull off the blue safety release cap.
3. Swing and firmly push orange tip against mid-outer thigh.
4. Hold for approximately 10 seconds.
5. Remove and massage the area for 10 seconds.



AUVI-Q™ (EPINEPHRINE INJECTION, USP) DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the outer case of Auvi-Q. This will automatically activate the voice instructions.
2. Pull off red safety guard.
3. Place black end against mid-outer thigh.
4. Press firmly and hold for 5 seconds.
5. Remove from thigh.



ADRENACLICK®/ADRENACLICK® GENERIC DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the outer case.
2. Remove grey caps labeled "1" and "2".
Place red rounded tip against mid-outer thigh.
4. Press down hard until needle penetrates.
5. Hold for 10 seconds. Remove from thigh.



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 get worse quickly.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS — CALL 911

RESCUE SQUAD: _____

DOCTOR: _____ PHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____ PHONE: _____

OTHER EMERGENCY CONTACTS

NAME/RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE: _____

NAME/RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURE

DATE

Medication Permission Form for Life-Threatening Allergies

ALLERGY TO: _____

Student's

Name: _____ D.O.B. _____ Teacher _____

Asthmatic: _____ Yes* _____ No *High risk for severe reaction

THIS CHILD'S SIGNS OF AN ALLERGIC REACTION

Systems _____ Symptoms _____

·MOUTH* itching & swelling of the lips, tongue, or mouth
·THROAT itching and/or a sense of tightness in the throat, hoarseness, and hacking cough
·SKIN hives, itchy rash, and/or swelling about the face or extremities
·GUT nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, and/or diarrhea
·LUNG* shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, and/or wheezing
·HEART* "thread" pulse, "passing-out"

The severity of symptoms can quickly change. * All above symptoms can potentially progress to a life-threatening situation.

ACTION FOR MINOR REACTION

If only symptom(s) are: _____, give _____
medications/dose/route

Then call:

1. Mother _____, Father _____, or emergency contacts.

2. Dr. _____ at _____

This child may/ may not carry this medication. Name where; school, sports events, out of school activities.
If condition does not improve within 10 OR ___ minutes follow the steps for "Action for Major Reaction" below:

ACTION FOR MAJOR REACTION

If ingestion is suspected and/or symptom(s) are: _____ give

_____ IMMEDIATELY!

Medications/dose/route

Then call:

1. 911 (ask for advanced life support)

2. Mother _____, Father _____, or emergency contacts.

3. Dr. _____ at _____

This child may/may not carry this medication. Name where; school, sports events, out of school address activities.

DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL 911!

Physician's Signature

Date

Parent's signature

Date

EMERGENCY CONTACTS		TRAINED STAFF MEMBERS	
1.	Relation: _____ Phone: _____	1.	Room _____
2.	Relation: _____ Phone: _____	2.	Room _____
3.	Relation: _____ Phone: _____	3.	Room _____

EPIPEN® AND EPIPEN® JR. DIRECTIONS

1. Pull off blue safety cap
2. Place orange tip on outer thigh (always apply to thigh)
3. Swing and firmly push the orange tip for 10 seconds against the mid outer thigh, The EpiPen® unit should then be removed and discarded.

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 "Allergy Medication Permission Form" may be given to appropriate Teachers, Substitute Teachers, and Staff.