

Food and Insect Allergy Action Plan

Student's Name: _____ DOB: _____

School: _____ Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

ALLERGY TO: _____

Asthmatic: YES / NO High risk for severe reaction? Yes / NO

Signs of Allergic Reaction Include:

Systems:

Symptoms:

MOUTH	Itching and swelling of the lips, tongue or mouth
THROAT	Itching and/or a sense of tightness in the throat, hoarseness, and hacking cough
LUNG	Shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing
SKIN	Hives, itchy rash, and/or swelling about the face or extremities
STOMACH	Nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting
HEART	"Thready" pulse, passing out

*****The severity of symptoms can quickly change and can be life threatening!!!*****

INTERVENTION BY SCHOOL STAFF

1. STAY WITH STUDENT
2. DIRECT A STAFF MEMBER TO CALL 911 IF A LIFE THREATENING SITUATION IS DEVELOPING AND THEN CALL PARENTS.
3. CALL THE CRISIS TEAM
4. ADMINISTER MEDICATIONS AS FOLLOWS, AS INDICATED BY THE PHYSICIAN AUTHORIZATION FORM.

MEDICATION LOCATION: _____

ANTIHISTAMINE: _____

EPINEPHRINE: Inject intramuscularly and record time of administration. Circle one: (See reverse side for administration instructions)

Epipen Epipen Jr. Adrenallick

5. If stung, remove stinger, apply cool compress to site and elevate. (DO NOT SQUEEZE STINGER)
6. Monitor breathing
7. If school nurse is not present, please make certain to notify her/him of the event.

******DO NOT HESITATE TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION OR CALL 911 IF SEVERE REACTION******

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Your signature indicates that you are in agreement with this plan and we (school) will follow it in case of an emergency.)

