

# MCHS HEALTH OFFICE

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## POLICY FOR STUDENT MEDICATION DURING SCHOOL

*All medications must be authorized by physician, parent, and school nurse. This authorization is only valid for the current school year. The appropriate forms must be completed by the guardian and the prescribing physician. A copy of the prescriber's order and instructions must be provided to the Health Office.*

*Medication forms and Action Plan Forms for common conditions are found on the school's website. Student may only possess and self-administer emergency medication if the following conditions are met:*

- The healthcare provider must formulate a written treatment plan for managing episodes of the student and for use of medication during school hours. The Health Office must be provided with a copy of the treatment plan.
- A healthcare provider must instruct the student in the correct and responsible way to use the medication. The school must be provided with a copy of this verification of competence.
- Backup rescue medication should be provided by the guardian and the guardian will assure that backup rescue medication is available to the student after school hours and traveling to/from during school-sponsored events.
- A student's authorization to possess and self-administer medication may be limited or revoked by the building principal after consultation with the school nurse if the student demonstrates an inability to responsibly possess and self-administer such medication.
- Medication must be picked up by the end of the school year or it will be disposed of.

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