

# Wall ISD Medication Policy

We realize that there are times that a student may need to take medication at school. If your student must take medication at school the following policy must be followed:

## Prescription Medication

Prescription medication will be administered to a student if:

- Medication is provided by the parent/guardian and accompanied by a medication administration form
- Medication must be in a prescription bottle from a pharmacy, with a legible label which includes:
  - A. Student's name
  - B. Name of medication
  - C. Instructions for administration, including dosage and route to be given
  - D. Prescribing physician

## Over the Counter Medication

Over the counter medication will be administered to a student if:

- Medication is provided by parent/guardian and accompanied by a medication administration form.
- Must be in the ORIGINAL container, DO NOT send unlabeled medication in a baggie, envelope or lunch box.
- Must be age appropriate. If the box states "do not use in children under 12", it will not be administered to students under 12 without a doctor's consent.
- Medication is current and not expired

## Other Important Information

- Medication administration form can be found on the Wall ISD website under Health Information, or contact your campus nurse for a copy.
- Parents are responsible for providing medications. Tylenol or other over the counter medications including ointments such as Benadryl cream are NOT dispensed to students, unless the medication has been sent from home for that student and is accompanied by a medication administration form.
- All medications will be stored in a locked cabinet in the nurse's office with the exception of those with asthma or severe allergies who have an action plan completed by their physician.
- Students are allowed to carry and self-administer asthma inhalers and EpiPens provided an updated Action Plan is signed by their physician.
- All unused medication will be sent home at the end of the school year. New requests for medication administration are required each school year.
- The nurse and/or designated staff member has the right to and will refuse to administer medication if the above policy is not followed.

**Thank you for your cooperation and adherence to the Wall ISD Medication Policy. If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact your campus nurse.**

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