



ASTHMA MANAGEMENT AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN

Name		Year	
Date of Birth		Home Room	

Section A – Asthma Management

List known trigger(s): Dust Pollen Smoke Exercise Animal Fur Common Cold

Other:

Section B - Daily Management Planning (if required)

List strategies that would minimize the risk of exposure to known allergens:

Section C – Management instructions in the event of an asthma attack

Steps	Instructions
Step 1	Sit the student upright, provide reassurance, and remain calm. Remain with the student.
Step 2	Give 4 puffs of blue reliever inhaler. Use spacer if available. Use one puff at a time and ask the student to take 4 breaths after each puff.
Step 3	Wait 4 minutes. If there is no improvement give another 4 puffs.
Step 4	Emergency Instructions: Little or no improvement a) Call an ambulance immediately (dial 000) b) Call parent/guardians. c) Keep giving 4 puffs of blue reliever inhaler every 4 minutes, until the ambulance arrives. d) Go with the student in the ambulance if his/her parents/guardians have not arrived when the ambulance is ready to leave for the hospital.





Section D – Medication Instructions (Note: Medication must be provided by parents/guardians)

	Medication 1		Medication 2		Medication 3	
Name of Medication						
Expiry date						
Dose/frequency (may be as per pharmacist's label)						
Duration (dates)	From: To:		From: To:		From: To:	
Route of administration						
Administration Tick appropriate box	By self <input type="checkbox"/>	Requires assistance <input type="checkbox"/>	By self <input type="checkbox"/>	Requires assistance <input type="checkbox"/>	By self <input type="checkbox"/>	Requires assistance <input type="checkbox"/>
Storage instructions Tick appropriate box(es)	Stored at school <input type="checkbox"/>	Kept & managed by self <input type="checkbox"/>	Refrigerate <input type="checkbox"/>	Keep out of sunlight <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Kept & managed by self <input type="checkbox"/>	Refrigerate <input type="checkbox"/>	Keep out of sunlight <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>		
		Kept & managed by self <input type="checkbox"/>	Refrigerate <input type="checkbox"/>	Keep out of sunlight <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
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				Other <input type="checkbox"/>		

Section E – Authority to Act

This asthma management and emergency response plan authorizes College staff to follow my/our advice and/or that of our medical practitioner. It is valid for one year or until I/we advise the College of a new change in my/our child's health care requirements.

Parent/Guardian Name:	Medical Practitioner (if required):	Review Date:
Signature:	Signature:	
Date:	Provider Number:	
	Date:	

When complete please return this form to the College Reception.





Staff Acceptance - Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

NOTE:

For **College staff** to administer medication they must be familiar with the medical needs of students for whom they have a duty of care.

The following points are for security and safety purposes.

- The parent/guardian notifies the school in writing to administer medication. This may include written guidelines from the prescribing health practitioner, including potential side effects or adverse reactions.
- Provide medication in **original pharmacy labelled container** to the College.
- Ensure any prescribed medication is not out of date and has an original pharmacy label which includes the student's name, dosage and time/s to be taken.
- Notify the College in writing when a change of dosage is required. This instruction is to be accompanied by a letter from a prescribing health practitioner or a new prescription dispensed by pharmacy.
- The student has received a dose at home without ill effect.
- Advise the College in writing and collect the medication when it is no longer required at school.
- Where parents/guardians are working with a prescribing health practitioner to determine a dose for that day (e.g. insulin, Rivotril) parents/guardians will provide a letter from the prescribing health practitioner instructing that parents will be responsible for notifying the College of the adjusted dose.

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Names of person/s to be trained:	
Date of training:	

