

# ANAPHYLAXIS ACTION PLAN

To be completed by physician

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergic To: \_\_\_\_\_

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. History of Asthma: Yes  (\*more risk for severe reaction) No

Student may self-carry/self-administer medications: Yes  No

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): \_\_\_\_\_

As the prescribing physician, in the event there is no school nurse or other licensed person to administer medication, I authorize a trained unlicensed assistive person/trained health care aid to administer this prescribed medication to the above student.

Physician Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_



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## ALLERGY/ANAPHYLAXIS ACTION PLAN

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Parent Consent and Authorization**

I (we), the undersigned, the parent(s)/guardians of the above named student, request my (our) student be assisted with or administered the following medication in accordance with the California Education Code. I agree to:

1. Provide all medications, supplies, and equipment.
2. Notify the school if there is a change in the student's health or attending physician.
3. Notify the school immediately and provide a new consent for any changes in the doctor's orders.
4. I acknowledge that if my student carries and administers their own medication it is my responsibility to ensure they have it prior to any field trips.

I authorize the school to communicate with the above health care practitioner when necessary in regards to this specific medication and medical condition.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Nurse's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_