

Physician's Orders for Administration of Epinephrine

Student's Name: _____ DOB _____

Allergy to: _____

Asthmatic Yes* _____ NO _____ *Higher risk for severe reaction

<u>Symptoms:</u>	<u>Give Checked Medication**:</u> **(To be determined by physician authorizing treatment)	
▪ If a food allergen has been ingested, but <i>no symptoms</i> :	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Mouth Itching, tingling, or swelling of lips, tongue, mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Skin Hives, Itchy rash, swelling of the face or extremities	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Gut Nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting, diarrhea	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Throat Tightening of throat, hoarseness, hacking cough	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Lung Shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Heart Weak or thready pulse, low blood pressure, fainting, pale, blueness	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine
▪ If reaction is progressing (several of the above areas affected), give:	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine

TREATMENT

Epinephrine: IM (circle one) EpiPen EpiPen Jr. Twinject 0.3mg Twinject 0.15mg

_____ May repeat dose in 15 minutes, if there is an inadequate response to initial dose.

_____ Student is both capable and responsible for administering this Epinephrine.

Antihistamine: give _____

Other: give _____

IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SCHOOL NURSE, THE ORDER FOR ANTIHISTAMINE SHOULD BE DISREGARDED AND EPINEPHRINE IS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DESIGNEE.

ACTION

1. CALL: RESCUE SQUAD: Alert 911 to possible allergic reaction/epinephrine emergency.

2. CALL: Parents/Guardian or emergency contacts

3. CALL: Dr. _____ at _____

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

1. Mother's Name _____ Phone# _____

2. Father's Name _____ Phone# _____

3. Other _____ Relation _____ Phone# _____

4. Other _____ Relation _____ Phone# _____

Parent's Signature Date

Physician's Signature Date