



Ron Thiele, Superintendent

Welcome!

If your child has any health condition that could be considered life-threatening such as asthma, food allergies with an EpiPen™ prescription, seizures, diabetes, etc. please fill out the following form. According to the law, your child must have an emergency health plan, which includes medication orders from your child's health care provider in place before he/she can attend school. The emergency health plan with necessary orders and medications must be to your child's school on **August 18, 2021**, for this important information to be processed. Please return this form to your school nurse as soon as possible.

You may also fill out this form if your child has any health condition that you would like the school to be aware of, even if it isn't life-threatening.

Thank you,

School Nurse:
School Nurse 425-837-
School:

Student's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Contact Numbers: _____ (H) _____ (C) _____ (W)

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Contact Numbers: _____ (H) _____ (C) _____ (W)

Health Concern(s): _____

How long has your child had this problem? _____

Does your child see a health care provider for this problem? If so, who does he/she see and how often?

Does your child take medication for this problem? If so, what medication?

Do you think this will impact your child's transition to kindergarten? _____

Any other comments: _____



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To Parents of: Children with Special Health Care Needs

Regarding: Requirements for a medication or a treatment order and a health care plan before attending school.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you of Washington State Law RCW 28A.210.320, Children with life-threatening health conditions – Medication or treatment orders – Rules.

The law defines a life-threatening condition as, "A health condition that will put the child in danger of death during the school day if a medication or treatment order and a nursing plan are not in place". Some common life-threatening conditions are:

- **Allergies that have an Epipen™ prescribed**
- **Severe asthma**
- **Diabetes**
- **Epilepsy (seizures)**
- **Cardiac conditions**
- **Adrenal insufficiency**

Students with these conditions must have a medication or treatment order and nursing care plan in place before they start school. The medication or treatment order must be from the child's licensed health care provider.

If a medication or treatment order is not provided, the chief administrator of the school is required to exclude the child until such order has been provided. This requirement applies to students with a life-threatening condition who are new to the district, and students who are already attending the school. Our exclusion procedures are in accordance with the rules (WAC's) of the State Board of Education.

RCW 28A.210.330 requires that all children with diabetes have an individualized health care plan and supplies in place before entering school.

It is vital to your child's safety during the school day that **if your child has a one of the life-threatening health conditions listed above, immediately notify your School Nurse.**

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