Transylvania County Schools

Information Regarding Medication Administration During School Hours

The staff of Transylvania County Schools will administer during school hours no prescription medication nor any non-prescription medication for more than three consecutive days unless it is deemed necessary by a physician or health care provider and that person as well as the parent/guardian completes the medication administration form. Transylvania County Schools will administer non-prescription medication for three consecutive or fewer school days provided the parent/guardian completes the medication administration form.

School staff will administer medication orally, topically, or through a breathing treatment, such as a nebulizer or inhaler. Transylvania County Schools will comply with the provisions of G.S. 115C-307(c), which states that non-medical personnel cannot be required to do medical procedures in the school setting. Injections will be administered only in cases of emergency, such as allergic reactions or diabetic crises.

Prescription medication will be administered only from an appropriate container, <u>properly labeled by a pharmacist</u>, including pertinent dosage information for the school situation. Non-prescription medication must be in the original container and clearly labeled with the student's full name. No medication will be administered that is not properly labeled.

Parents/guardians are responsible for providing medication to schools in appropriately labeled containers, as listed above, along with necessary administration supplies. The medication will be delivered by the parent/guardian to a school staff member. No medication will be transported on the school bus with the exception of emergency medications.

Guidelines for Proper Completion of the Form on the Back of This Sheet

- Students who require the administration during school hours of non-prescription medication for three consecutive or fewer school days must have the form on the other side of this sheet completed by the parent/guardian.
- * Students who require the administration during school hours of prescription medicine and/or non-prescription medication for more than three consecutive school days must have both the parent/guardian and health care provider complete the form on the other side of this sheet.

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Request for Medication To Be Given During School Hours

Please read important information on the other side of this form.

To be completed by the health care provider and the parent/guardian for the administration of prescription drug(s) and /or non-prescription drugs for more than three consecutive school days. Only the parent/guardian's signature is required for the administration of non-prescription drugs for three or fewer consecutive school days or when a high school student is self-medicating (Students at the high schools will be allowed to self-medicate for the remainder of the 2005-2006 school year).

Student Name		
Last Name	First Name	<u>Middle Initial</u>
School		
501001		
Medication and dosage		
Administration instructions		
Administration histractions		
Significant information		
Significant information		
Dates for duration of medication administrat	ion	
Health Care Provider's Signature		Date
Health Care Provider's Phone #	DEA#	
To be completed by the parent/guardian:		
I am aware of the Transylvania County Scho	ols medication policies. Laive my	v permission for the above
named student to receive this medication dur	ing school hours. I understand the	at the school undertakes n
responsibility for the administration of the m		
Education and their agents and employees from	om any and all liability that may re	esult from my child's
taking the medication(s) listed on this form.		
Signature of Parent/Guardian		Date
Phone #		
THORE II		
APPROVED BY BOARD		
AND EFFECTIVE 5/17/04		PROME TO HIGH
REVISED 7/19/04, 1/17/06		FRONT of Form JHCD-I