

Littleton Public Schools Exhibit

Policy Code JLCDA-E
Policy Name Students With Food Allergies
 May 27, 2010

Allergy & Anaphylaxis Action Plan

Student's Name: _____ D.O.B. _____ Grade: _____
 School: _____ Teacher: _____

Place child's
photo here

ALLERGY TO: _____

History: _____

Asthma: YES (Higher risk for severe reaction) NO

◇ STEP 1: TREATMENT

SYMPTOMS: GIVE CHECKED MEDICATION(S)			
➤ Suspected ingestion or sting, but no symptoms	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine	
MILD SYMPTOMS: Itchy mouth, few hives, mild itch, mild nausea/discomfort		<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine	
MOUTH: Itching, tingling, or mild swelling of lips, tongue, mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine	
SKIN: Flushing, hives, itchy rash	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine	
STOMACH: Nausea, abdominal pain or cramping, 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"/> Inhaler	<input type="checkbox"/> Epinephrine	<input type="checkbox"/> Antihistamine	
‡ HEART: Weak or thready pulse, dizziness, fainting, pale, or blue hue to skin	<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	

‡ Potentially life threatening: give epinephrine first, then can give antihistamine!
Remember – severity of symptoms can quickly change!

DOSAGE

Epinephrine: inject intramuscularly using autoinjector (check one): 0.3 mg 0.15 mg

Administer 2nd dose if symptoms do not improve in 15–20 minutes

Antihistamine: give _____
 (medication/dose/route)

Asthma Rescue (if asthmatic): give _____
 (medication/dose/route)

Student has been instructed and is capable of self administering own medication. Yes No

Provider (print) _____ Phone Number: _____

Provider's Signature: _____ Date: _____

◇ STEP 2: EMERGENCY CALLS ◇

1. If epinephrine given, **call 911**. State that an allergic reaction has been treated and additional epinephrine, oxygen, or other medication may be needed.

2. Parent: _____ Phone Number: _____

3. Emergency contacts: Name/Relationship _____ Phone Number(s) _____

a. _____ 1) _____ 2) _____

b. _____ 1) _____ 2) _____

EVEN IF PARENT/GUARDIAN CANNOT BE REACHED, DO NOT HESITATE TO ADMINISTER EMERGENCY MEDICATIONS

I give permission for school personnel to share this information, follow this plan, administer medication and care for my child and, if necessary, contact our health care provider. I assume full responsibility for providing the school with prescribed medication and delivery/monitoring devices. I approve this Severe Allergy Care Plan for my child.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

School Nurse: _____ Date: _____

To be completed by the healthcare provider

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____

TRAINED STAFF MEMBERS

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____

- Room _____
- Room _____
- Room _____
- Room _____
- Room _____

Self-carry contract on file: Yes No

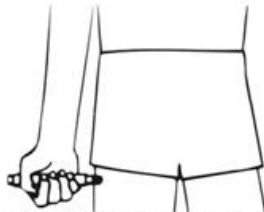
Medication located in: _____

EpiPen® and EpiPen® Jr. Directions
Expiration date: _____

- Pull off blue activation cap.



- Hold orange tip near outer thigh (always apply to thigh)



- Swing and jab firmly into outer thigh until Auto-Injector mechanism functions. Hold in place and count to 10. Remove the EpiPen® unit and massage the injection area for 10 seconds.

Twinject® 0.3 mg and Twinject® 0.15 mg Directions
Expiration date: _____

- Remove caps labeled "1" and "2."

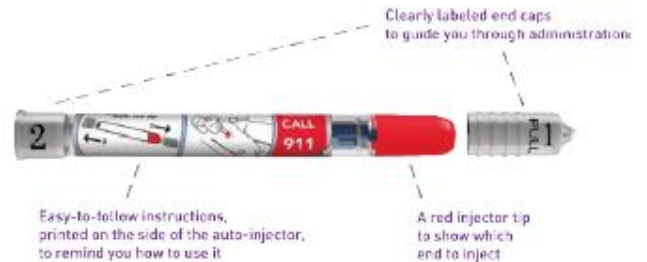


- Place rounded tip against outer thigh, press down hard until needle penetrates. Hold for 10 seconds, then remove.



Adrenallick 0.3 mg. and Adrenallick 0.15 mg.
Directions

Expiration date: _____



Once epinephrine is used, call 911. Student should remain lying down.

Additional information: _____
