Physician's Request and Parent Permission for Administration of Medication

Administration of medications will be permitted on school property only when medically necessary and under direct supervision of appropriate staff members. Administration of medication during school hours is discouraged; however, individual needs will be taken into consideration. For the safety of the students, the following guidelines must be enforced.

1. A written request using this form from a physician/practitioner detailing the **prescription** drug and the specific information below is required.
2. The prescription medication is to be brought to the school by the parent/guardian in the original container which is correctly labeled by the pharmacist with the name of the student, the name of the medication, dosage, name of physician, and time to be given.
3. Over the counter medications must be delivered by the parent/guardian in the original, unopened container. This form is completed but does not require physician's signature.

   Herbal remedies and over-the-counter supplements that are not approved by the FDA require a written order from a physician/practitioner
4. Written parent/guardian permission is required to administer any medication.
5. Any change of prescription requires a new written order from the prescriber. Schools are accessible by secure FAX for quick communication.

Section I: To Be Completed by Parent

Student's Name ______________________________ Grade________ Date of Birth________________

Address ____

I hereby request that my child be given the medication named below while in school and away from school for official activities. I understand that the medication may be given by trained non-medical personnel. I give my permission for appropriate personnel to communicate with my child's physician in matters related to medication and health supervision. I understand and agree that the School Board of the County of Roanoke, its officers, agents, and employees are not responsible for the effects of the medication administered.

I understand that I must notify the school of any changes in my child's condition, medication, or dosage. I further understand that I am responsible for ensuring the medication safely arrives at school and for getting refills of the medication as indicated.

I do ___ do not___ request that the designated school personnel give the above medication on school days of early dismissal/late schedule.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print)______________________________ Daytime Phone No.__________________

Parent/Guardian Signature ______________________________ Date____________________________

Section II: To Be Completed By Physician/Practitioner for prescription drugs and a Parent for OTC drugs

Name of Medication ______________________________ Dose______________________________

Times of Administration____

Reason for Medication Administration____

Beginning Date for Administration____________________________ Ending Date____________________________

Possible Side Effects / Special Instructions or Precautions______________________________

____

Trained, unlicensed assistive personnel (UAP) may administer ☐ Insulin ☐ Glucagon ☐ EpiPen/Epinephrine
(check all that apply)

Physician's/Practitioner's Signature______________________________ Phone No.__________________
(for prescription drugs)

Student______________________________ DOB______________________

Medication______________________________ Prescribed For______________________

Time to be administered______________________________

20___/20___	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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Code: A = Absent SC = School Closed LE = Leave Early H = Holiday R = Refused NS = No Show NM = No Medication

INSTRUCTIONS

1. School personnel administrating the medication should initial the appropriate box.
2. Sign full signature below (only once).
3. Use code to document reason for not giving medication.
4. If medication is given twice during one school day, document in one box.
5. If medication error or adverse reactions occur, complete the student accident report.

Example:

SIGNATURES
1.
2.
3.
4.
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6.

☐ Parent notified to pick up medicine at end of school year.

☐ Parent picked up medicine on ______________ (date)

______________________ ______________________
Parent Signature School Signature

MEDICAL COUNT			
Date	Number of Pills	Parent Initial	School Initial

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