

**PHYSICIAN AUTHORIZATION FORM FOR PRESCRIPTION  
AND NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION**

Whenever possible medication should be administered at home. If a medication is to be administered by school personnel, a Physician's Authorization Form must be completed and signed by the prescribing physician and the parent. Prescription medication must be in the most current pharmacy labeled container. Over-the-counter medication must be provided in the original container with possible side effects listed. A new form must be completed each school year and anytime the dose or instructions change. Medication cannot be returned home with a student.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher/Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Medication: \_\_\_\_\_  
(one medication per form)

Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to meals: Before  After  N/A

Type of Medication (circle): tablet/capsule inhalation liquid ointment injection other: \_\_\_\_\_

Directions for use of medication \_\_\_\_\_

Time(s) medication is to be given at school: \_\_\_\_\_

Date medication is to start: \_\_\_\_\_ Date medication is to end: \_\_\_\_\_

Possible side effects (expected or predictable) \_\_\_\_\_

Time medication is administered at home: \_\_\_\_\_

**SELF ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS  
(FOR PHYSICIAN'S USE, ONLY)**

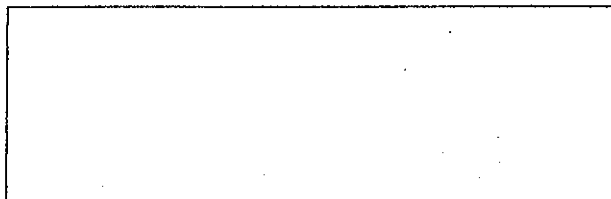
**Asthma inhalers, epi-pens and diabetic supplies may be carried & self-administered according to North Carolina law with a physician's signature.**

\_\_\_\_\_ (physician's initials) I agree this student demonstrates the knowledge & skill necessary to self-medicate (limited to asthma inhalers, epi-pens and diabetic supplies)

To maintain this student's optimum health and to maximize educational performance and attendance, it is necessary that this medication be given during school hours according to the above instructions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Physician's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number                      Date



Clinic Stamp

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I request that my child (named above) receive this medication as instructed above. I understand it is my responsibility to furnish this medication in the appropriate container to school. I give permission for the school nurse to contact my child's physician regarding their medication or health condition if necessary. I understand if any remaining medication is not picked up by the last day of school, it will be disposed of.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature  
Parent: see back of form, please

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number  
(Revised 2/8/12)

## FOR PARENT REVIEW

In order to protect your child's health:

- ▶ Your consent and written authorization from a licensed healthcare provider are required when it is necessary for your child to receive either prescription or nonprescription medication in the Rowan Salisbury School System.
- ▶ No medication will be given to your child until this authorization form has been received.
- ▶ A separate form is required for each medication.
- ▶ New authorization forms are required each school year, whenever the dose or directions change, or if a new medication is prescribed.
- ▶ It is your responsibility to furnish all medication to be given at school.
- ▶ Each prescription medication must be in the appropriately labeled pharmacy container. Most pharmacies will provide a second container for school if asked.
- ▶ Non-prescription medication must be in the original manufacturer's container with recommendations and side effects listed.

## SELF MEDICATION SECTION

LIMITED TO APPROVED MEDICATION UNDER THE ROWAN SALISBURY SCHOOL MEDICATION POLICY

### Parent Section

I give consent for my child to possess & self-administer this medication at school. I understand that my child and I assume responsibility for the proper use and safekeeping of this medicine. I absolve the school board, its agents and employees from any and all liability whatsoever that may result from my child possessing or taking this medicine at school.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Student Section

I am capable of taking this medicine as recommended and accept this responsibility. I will keep it secure at all times and will not share it with others. I understand that I will be subject to discipline under the Student Code of Conduct if I abuse the privilege of being allowed to carry and self-medicate while at school or during school sponsored activities.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### School Nurse Section

I have reviewed this request & agree that this student has demonstrated he/she understands when & how to self-administer this medication.

School nurse or designee signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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