



KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT

GUIDELINES FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION OF ASTHMA/ANAPHYLAXIS MEDICATIONS:

A student with asthma or anaphylaxis may possess and self-administer prescription asthma or anaphylaxis medicine while on school property or at a school-related event or activity if:

- 1) the medicine has been prescribed for that student as indicated by the prescription label on the medicine;
- 2) the student has demonstrated to his/her physician or other licensed health care provider and the school nurse, if available, the skill level necessary to self-administer the prescription medication, including the use of any device required to administer the medication;
- 3) the self-administration is done in compliance with the prescription or written instructions from the student's physician or other licensed health care provider; and
- 4) the parent of the student provides written authorization to the school, as follows:

I have instructed _____ in the proper way to use his/her medication.

Diagnosis/Purpose of Medication _____

Name of Medication _____

Dosage of Medication _____

Time/Frequency _____

Duration of Medication _____

It is my professional opinion he/she is capable of using the medication properly and should be allowed to carry and use the medication by him/herself.

Physician's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

School Nurse Signature _____ Date _____