

Student Support Services MEDICATION CONSENT FORM

Parents are requested to give medication at home and on a schedule other than during school hours. When it is necessary for prescription or over-the-counter (OTC) medication to be given during school hours, written parent and health care provider authorization is required. This authorization is provided by the completion of both pages of the Medication Consent Form. The following procedures are required:

- 1. Permission is granted to the school nurse to contact the health care provider if necessary.
- 2. All unused medications <u>shall</u> be picked up by the parent no later than 5 working days following the last day of the school year, or it will be destroyed per safety regulations.
- 3. Parents **shall** sign the "parent/guardian authorization" below, which grants designated school personnel permission to administer **prescription or OTC** medication.
- 4. Health care provider shall complete and sign the Health Care Provider Authorization (on the reverse side) for **prescription or OTC** medication.
- 5. Prescription or OTC medication **shall** be brought to the school by an adult in the <u>original container</u> with the appropriate label. Medication in baggies, envelopes, or other containers will not be accepted. (Upon request, pharmacists will divide the medication into two containers, one for school use and one for home use).
- 6. Instructions on the health care provider authorization form shall match those on the medication label. Parent may terminate the consent to administer medication via a written note only.
- 7. The school staff will not accept medication delivered by the student. The <u>parent or a designated adult</u> shall deliver the medication to the school site.
- 8. A new consent form shall be completed each time there is a change in medication strength, dosage, or time.
- 9. For long-term medication, the consent form **MUST** be completed by the parent and health care provider each **new school year**.
- 10. A student may carry and self-administer medication **only** when the health care provider **initials** the appropriate section of the consent form. This privilege may be revoked if the student is known to misuse the medication and thus be of harm to self or others.
- 11. Students attending summer school are covered by consent forms completed during the current school year. The parent is responsible for providing the medication and a **copy** of the authorization form as part of summer school registration.

^{*}Administration of Prescribed Medication for Pupils (Education Code) E.E. 49423...any pupil who is required to take, during the regular school day, medication prescribed for him/her by a physician, may be assisted by the school nurse or other designated school personnel if the school district received (1) a written statement from such physician detailing the method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication is to be taken and (2) a written statement from the parent or guardian of the pupil indicating the desire that the school district assist the pupil in the matters set forth in the physician's statement.



Student Support Services HEALTH CARE PROVIDER AUTHORIZATION

Name of child (print):	Bi	rth Date:
Name of medication (one medic	cation per form):	
Reason for medication (diagnos	sis):	
Strength (mg, etc.):	ngth (mg, etc.): Dosage (amount):	
Time of day or frequency to be	given at school:	
For "as needed" (prn) medicatio	ons, describe indications (symptoms) wh	en to be used:
Method of administration (oral, t	topical, eye drops, etc.) and directions:	
Possible side effects of medicat	ion:	
SELF-MEDICATION		
Student may carry and administ initialed by the physician/dentise	ter his own medication ONLY if ALL the st:	items below are
Medication is needed by (i.e. diabetes, asthma, ar	student for immediate emergency cond naphylaxis, migraines).	ition
It appears that the studer (initials) assume responsibility.	nt is physically, mentally, and behaviora	lly capable to
(initials) provider.	demonstrated self-medication procedu	
	ons:	
Health Care Provider (Print)	Health Care Provider Signature	Date
License #:		
Address	Telephone Number	Fax Number
School Site: MBHS	School Year: 2022-2023 School Fax: 805-772-5944	