

ASTHMA ACTION PLAN AND MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION AUTHORIZATION FORM

for Youth Camps in Maryland

Please complete both pages of this form if the child has an inhaler or other asthma-related medication

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Office of Healthy Homes and Communities
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1. CHILD'S NAME (First Middle Last)

2. DATE OF BIRTH (mm/dd/yyyy)

3. PEAK FLOW PERSONAL BEST:

4. ASTHMA SEVERITY (check one): Mild Intermittent Mild Persistent Moderate Persistent Severe Persistent Exercise Induced

5. ASTHMA TRIGGERS (check all that apply): Colds Exercise Animals Dust Smoke Food Weather Other

Section I. ASTHMA ACTION PLAN

6. THIS ASTHMA ACTION PLAN SHALL BE EFFECTIVE FOR AND MEDICATION SHALL BE ADMINISTERED

6a. FROM (mm/dd/yyyy)

6b. TO (mm/dd/yyyy)

GREEN ZONE - DOING WELL

You have **ALL** of these

Breathing is good

No cough or wheeze

Can walk, exercise, & play

Can sleep all night

If known, peak flow greater than _____ (80% personal best)

Exercise Zone

Rescue Medication

Dose _____

Route _____

Frequency _____

OK to Self-Administer Yes No

Prior to all exercise/sports

When the child feels they need it

Known side effects:

Yellow Zone - GETTING WORSE

You have **ANY** of these

Some problems breathing

Wheezing, noisy breathing

Tight chest

Cough or cold symptoms

Shortness of breath

Other: _____

If known, peak flow between _____ and _____ (50% to 79% personal best)

Red Zone - MEDICAL ALERT/DANGER

You have **ANY** of these

Breathing hard and fast

Lips or fingernails are blue

Trouble walking or talking

Medicine is not helping (15-20 mins?)

Other: _____

If known, peak flow below _____ (0% to 49% personal best)

Emergency Medication

Dose _____

Route _____

Frequency _____

OK to Self-Administer Yes No

Known side effects:

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CHILD'S NAME (First Middle Last)

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8. PRESCRIBER'S NAME/TITLE

Section II. PRESCRIBER'S AUTHORIZATION

This space may be used for the Prescriber's Address Stamp

TELEPHONE

FAX

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

9a. PRESCRIBER'S SIGNATURE (Parent/guardian cannot sign here)
(original signature or signature stamp only)

Section III. PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION

I request the authorized youth camp operator, staff member or volunteer to administer the medication or to supervise the camper in self-administration as prescribed by the above authorized prescriber. I certify that I have legal authority to consent to medical treatment for the child named above, including the administration of medication at the facility. I understand that at the end of the authorized period an authorized individual must pick up the medication; otherwise, it will be discarded. I authorize camp personnel and the authorized prescriber indicated on this form to communicate in compliance with HIPAA.

10a. PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

10b. DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)

10c. INDIVIDUALS AUTHORIZED TO PICK UP MEDICATION

10d. HOME PHONE #

10e. CELL PHONE #

10f. WORK PHONE #

Section IV. AUTHORIZATION FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION / SELF-CARRY (OPTIONAL)

THIS SECTION SHOULD ONLY BE COMPLETED IF ANY MEDICATIONS IN THE ASTHMA ACTION PLAN ABOVE ARE APPROVED FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION. Self-carry is only permitted for emergency medications such as inhalers and epinephrine. Both the prescriber and the parent/guardian must consent to self-administration below. However, youth camp operators are not required to permit self-administration or self-carry.

I authorize self-administration of all of the medications listed in Section I: Asthma Action Plan above that are checked as "OK to self-administer" or "OK to self-administer and self-carry" for the child named above under the supervision of the youth camp operator, a designated staff member or volunteer. If indicated in Section I: Asthma Action Plan, the child named above may self-carry emergency medications checked as "OK to self-administer and self-carry."

11a. PRESCRIBER'S SIGNATURE FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION/SELF-CARRY

11b. DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)

12a. PARENT/GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE FOR SELF-ADMINISTRATION/SELF-CARRY

12b. DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)

Section V. CAMP MEDICAL STAFF USE ONLY

Camp Medical Staff Notes:

Reviewed by:

DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)