



HEALTHCARE PROVIDER STATEMENT FOR FOOD SUBSTITUTION

This form must be completed if a parent/student is requesting menu substitutions be made in the dining center for a student's food allergy or intolerance

CHILD'S NAME:	DATE:
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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your child's school participates in a federally-funded School-Based Child Nutrition Program that requires CPS to offer meals and/or milk to students. However, when a disability (for example, a food allergy) or special dietary need or restriction documented by a healthcare provider exists, reasonable menu accommodations must be made. Please provide your contact information and ask your child's healthcare provider to complete this form. **Please return the completed form to your child's School Nurse along with a Food Allergy Action Plan** (found at cps.edu/OSHW). Contact food@cps.edu with any additional questions:

Parent/Guardian Name	School Name
Parent/Guardian Phone Number	Address (Street)
	Address (City, State, Zip Code)

*Healthcare providers' note: **Food allergies** are a "disability" under the Americans with Disabilities Act. If the child has a food allergy, please check "Yes" for question 1 below.*

PHYSICIAN STATEMENT

1. Does child have a disability that requires food accommodation?
 - No If **no**, go to item 2 below.
 - Yes If **yes**, provide the follow information and complete items 3, 4, and 5
 - a) What is the disability? _____
 - b) What major life activity is affected? _____
 - c) What does the disability mean for the child's diet? _____

2. Child has no disability, but requires a special diet. Identify the medical problem that warrants the child's special diet and complete item 3, 4, & 5 below.

3. List **specific** foods to be omitted:

4. List **specific** acceptable food substitutions. Please attach a menu if applicable:

5. _____

Signature of Health Care Provider
Date

Parent/Guardian: Return this form to your School Nurse

FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY: Please scan and email this form to food@cps.edu.

School Nurse Signature: _____

Date reviewed: _____

Date scanned to food@cps.edu: _____

PLEASE GIVE A COPY TO THE SCHOOL NURSE AND LUNCHROOM MANAGER



Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____

Allergy to: _____

Weight: _____ lbs. Asthma: [] Yes (higher risk for a severe reaction) [] No

PLACE
PICTURE
HERE

NOTE: Do not depend on antihistamines or inhalers (bronchodilators) to treat a severe reaction. USE EPINEPHRINE.

Extremely reactive to the following foods: _____

THEREFORE:

[] If checked, give epinephrine immediately for ANY symptoms if the allergen was likely eaten.

[] If checked, give epinephrine immediately if the allergen was definitely eaten, even if no symptoms are noted.

FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

SEVERE SYMPTOMS



LUNG

Short of breath, wheezing, repetitive cough



HEART

Pale, blue, faint, weak pulse, dizzy



THROAT

Tight, hoarse, trouble breathing/swallowing



MOUTH

Significant swelling of the tongue and/or lips



SKIN

Many hives over body, widespread redness



GUT

Repetitive vomiting, severe diarrhea



OTHER

Feeling something bad is about to happen, anxiety, confusion

OR A COMBINATION of symptoms from different body areas.



1. INJECT EPINEPHRINE IMMEDIATELY.

2. **Call 911.** Tell them the child is having anaphylaxis and may need epinephrine when they arrive.

- Consider giving additional medications following epinephrine:
 - » Antihistamine
 - » Inhaler (bronchodilator) if wheezing
- Lay the person flat, raise legs and keep warm. If breathing is difficult or they are vomiting, let them sit up or lie on their side.
- If symptoms do not improve, or symptoms return, more doses of epinephrine can be given about 5 minutes or more after the last dose.
- Alert emergency contacts.
- Transport them to ER even if symptoms resolve. Person should remain in ER for at least 4 hours because symptoms may return.

MILD SYMPTOMS



NOSE

Itchy/runny nose, sneezing



MOUTH

Itchy mouth



SKIN

A few hives, mild itch



GUT

Mild nausea/discomfort

FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM MORE THAN ONE SYSTEM AREA, GIVE EPINEPHRINE.

FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM A SINGLE SYSTEM AREA, FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS BELOW:

- Antihistamines may be given, if ordered by a healthcare provider.
- Stay with the person; alert emergency contacts.
- Watch closely for changes. If symptoms worsen, give epinephrine.

MEDICATIONS/DOSES

Epinephrine Brand: _____

Epinephrine Dose: [] 0.15 mg IM [] 0.3 mg IM

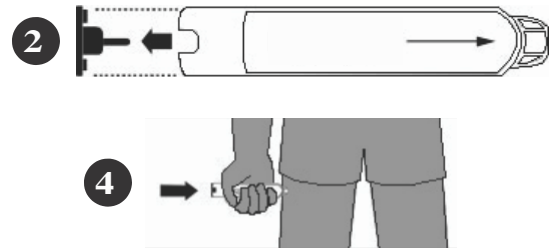
Antihistamine Brand or Generic: _____

Antihistamine Dose: _____

Other (e.g., inhaler-bronchodilator if wheezing): _____

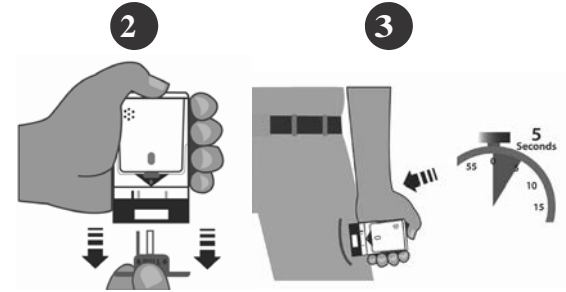
EPIPEN® (EPINEPHRINE) AUTO-INJECTOR DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the EpiPen Auto-Injector from the plastic carrying case.
2. Pull off the blue safety release cap.
3. Swing and firmly push orange tip against mid-outer thigh.
4. Hold for approximately 10 seconds.
5. Remove and massage the area for 10 seconds.



AUVI-Q™ (EPINEPHRINE INJECTION, USP) DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the outer case of Auvi-Q. This will automatically activate the voice instructions.
2. Pull off red safety guard.
3. Place black end against mid-outer thigh.
4. Press firmly and hold for 5 seconds.
5. Remove from thigh.



ADRENACLICK®/ADRENACLICK® GENERIC DIRECTIONS

1. Remove the outer case.
2. Remove grey caps labeled "1" and "2".
3. Place red rounded tip against mid-outer thigh.
4. Press down hard until needle penetrates.
5. Hold for 10 seconds. Remove from thigh.



OTHER DIRECTIONS/INFORMATION (may self-carry epinephrine, may self-administer epinephrine, etc.):

Treat someone before calling Emergency Contacts. The first signs of a reaction can be mild, but symptoms can get worse quickly.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS — CALL 911

RESCUE SQUAD: _____

DOCTOR: _____ PHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____ PHONE: _____

OTHER EMERGENCY CONTACTS

NAME/RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE: _____

NAME/RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE: _____

CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

PARENT REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION TO A STUDENT

_____ Name of Student	_____ Birth Date	_____ ID Number
_____ Address	_____ Telephone	_____ Zip Code

I _____ (Mother, Father, Legal Guardian) of the above named student, give permission to the school nurse to administer medication as requested by my child's physician _____ during school hours.

NAME OF PHYSICIAN

I will bring the medication to school nurse or principal/designee in original container appropriately labeled by the pharmacist or licensed provider.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Address

City Zip

Home Phone Business Phone

Date

***This request is valid for 1 year from date of signature. Any change in medication or dose requires a new request form.**

CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

PHYSICIAN'S REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION TO STUDENT

_____ Name of Student	_____ Birth Date	_____ ID Number
_____ Address	_____ Telephone Number	_____ Zip Code

The above named student has _____
Name of Disease or Syndrome

I am requesting that the above named student be administered the following medication during school hours:

_____ Name of Medication	_____ Type of Medication, i.e. Tablet, Liquid, Inhaler	
_____ Dosage	_____ Route	_____ Time to be given

Possible Side Effects

The phone number where I may be reached in the event of a reaction to the medication or an emergency is:

Physician's Name _____ **Hospital Affiliation** _____
(Please print or type)

Address _____ **Telephone #** _____ **Fax #** _____

Physician's Signature _____ **Date** _____

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