

Allegany County
Board of Education/Health Department
School Nurse Division

Parental Consent for Approved Over the Counter Medication

Students 12 years of Age and Older

2 doses a month only

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Administration of certain approved non-prescription medications such as Acetaminophen (Tylenol) will be provided in the health room to alleviate your child's minor discomforts and avoid early dismissal from school. Dr. Sue Raver, Health Officer of the Allegany County Health Department, approved the policy, which is designed to help improve school attendance and enhance academic performance. Your consent must be obtained before any medication is given to your child. Only a Registered Nurse/School Nurse may administer these medications in accordance with established policy. If your child requires any medication on a regular basis (more than two doses per month), you must obtain a written order from your health care provider. Medication must be in the original labeled unopened container. Please complete the form below and return it to your school nurse.

- *PLEASE NOTE:**
1. Medication **WILL NOT** be given without your signed consent below.
 2. The school will provide **ONLY ACETAMINOPHEN (Tylenol)**.
 3. **ONLY 2 DOSES PER MONTH** of these medications will be given.
 4. Consent in effect for **THIS SCHOOL YEAR ONLY**.

I GIVE PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD _____

(Name)

(Date of Birth)

TO RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING MEDICATIONS PER LABELED DIRECTIONS:

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| 1. Acetaminophen (Tylenol)-supplied by school nurse | Yes | No |
| 2. Ibuprofen (Advil or Motrin)-provided by parent | Yes | No |
| 3. Cough drops-provided by parent | Yes | No |
| 4. Throat lozenges-provided by parent | Yes | No |
| 5. Antacids-provided by parent | Yes | No |

MEDICATION ALLERGIES/SENSITIVITIES: _____

MEDICATIONS RECEIVED REGULARLY: _____

MEDICAL/HEALTH PROBLEMS: _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN: _____ Date: _____

Effective Date: 8/3/98
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