

Lawrence Public Schools USD 497
Health Services

SELF-ADMINISTRATION PLAN FOR MEDICATION - CONFIDENTIAL

Name of student _____ Date of birth _____

School _____ Grade _____ Teacher _____

Medication _____ Dosage/frequency _____

Reason _____

Common side effects _____

**RELEASE OF INFORMATION
(REQUIRED FOR MEDICATION TO BE TAKEN AT SCHOOL)**

I hereby authorize the mutual release and disclosure of information regarding: _____ medication and/or
_____ medical records (optional) between _____ and USD 497.
Health Care Provider

I understand that the information disclosed will be treated in a confidential manner.

The following signatures are required to complete this form:

Parent _____ Date _____

Health Care Provider _____ Date _____
(Required for elementary students only)

Student _____ Date _____
(Sign after instruction has been given by the school nurse)

School Nurse _____ Date _____

PARENT INFORMATION

The signatures on this document verify that this student has been instructed in and understands the purpose for the medication and its appropriate method of administration, and has demonstrated proper and responsible self-administration. The medication shall be packaged in the original container and supply a single day's needs (except inhalers). **A duplicate inhaler kept in the school health office as a backup is strongly recommended for students with asthma. Controlled substances may not be self-administered.** School personnel do not provide documentation or supervision of self-administered medication, and shall not be held liable for any injury resulting from self-administration of medication or if the student distributes his/her medication to another student.

STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS

- Keep medication with you at all times (inhalers) **or** locked in your locker
- **NEVER** let anyone use your medication (even if you know they use the same one)
- The pharmacy label must be attached to prescriptions; nonprescription medication must be kept in its original package
- Follow manufacturer/physician instructions for administration

Failure to comply with these expectations may result in the immediate loss of self-medication privileges.