

**Long Hill Township Public Schools**  
**Authorization for Administering Medication**

**Dear Parents/Guardians:**

The responsibility of administering medication to a child belongs to the parent. In some circumstances, prescription or over the counter medications may be administered by the school nurse if certain requirements are met.

1. The medication is necessary to maintain the child in school.
2. A physician completes the lower portion of this form, including the name, dose, time, and diagnosed need for administration of the medication.
3. Signed authorization by the parent/guardian for the nurse to administer the medication.
4. The medication must be in a closed, prescription labeled bottle from the pharmacy.

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
I request that my child be assisted by authorized persons, in taking the medication listed below at school.

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date                  Parent/guardian signature          Home phone          Work/cell#

**To be completed by the physician:**

Diagnosis/symptoms for which medication is given: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Medication \_\_\_\_\_ Dose/route \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

If the medication is to be used prn, what are the indications for administration? \_\_\_\_\_

How soon can student receive another dose? \_\_\_\_\_

Significant side effects: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time student is to take Rx: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's stamp \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date                                  Physician's Signature