**Rockford Public Schools** 

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## **ASTHMA ACTION PLAN FOR SCHOOL USE**

District Nurses:

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Student:		
Date of Birth:		
School:	Grade:	
Parent/Guardian Name:		
Phone:,		
Trigger(s): □ Colds/flu □ Exercise □ Weather □ Foods □ Other:	□ Allergens □ Odors	

## Actions for Asthma Episode:

- 1. Stop all activity immediately
- 2. Allow student to remain in position of comfort- usually sitting up
- 3. Use quick-relief medication as indicated on care plan below
- 4. Contact parents, school nurse, and/or 911 as needed

\*\*Use a spacer when able- must be provided by parent/guardian\*\*

To be completed by a health care provider:				
Green Zone: Doing well				
Breathing well, no cough or wheezing, can work/play normally,	Medication	Dose	Frequency	
sleeps well at night.				
Physical activity- Use inhaler puffs				
Yellow Zone: Caution - Take actions to help prevent an emergency				
Some problems breathing, cough,	Medication	Dose	Frequency	
wheeze, or chest tight, problems				
working or playing, use when sick.				
Red Zone: Emergency- Get Help Now	Medication	Dose	Frequency	
talking, quick-relief medication has not helped, cannot work/play				
Call 911 immediately if the following signs are present or improvement is not seen within 15 minutes of rescue medicine				
■ Trouble walking/talking due to shortness of breath ■ Lips or fingernails are blue or grey				
<ul> <li>Still in red zone 15 minutes after quick-relief medicine use</li> <li>Ribs showing or nose flaring</li> </ul>				
<b>Yes</b> I No - Student has permission to possess the designated medication(s) above at school and to self - administer such medication with or				
without supervision of school personnel. The student has been instructed in and demonstrates an understanding of proper usage.				
Healthcare Provider signature:	Date:			
Printed name:	Phone Number:			
As a parent/guardian of the above-named student, I give consent for an exchange of health information between the school nurse and healthcare provider. I give consent for exchange of information between the school nurse and appropriate school personnel. I authorize the administration o isted medication by trained school personnel. I acknowledge it is my responsibility to communicate any changes to my child's health condition, medications or needs to the school nurse. Orders are valid through the end of the current school year.				

(initial) As per the healthcare provider's authorization above, I request and give permission for my child to possess and self-administer the above emergency medication(s) during the school day and school sponsored events. My child has been instructed in the treatment plan and demonstrates an understanding of proper usage and self-administration of the above listed medication(s).

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_

Date: