



SELF-ADMINISTRATION OF ASTHMA AND ANAPHYLAXIS MEDICATIONS BY STUDENTS

Students with asthma are afforded by state law the opportunity to self-administer prescribed medications to treat asthma or anaphylaxis. The student's parent or guardian shall submit a written request and other documentation required by the school. The student's prescribing health care provider must provide a written treatment plan.

The student shall demonstrate competence, to possess and self-administer prescribed medications during school and at school-sponsored events, to the professional registered school nurse.

The superintendent is directed to establish procedures that implement this policy and to develop emergency rescue procedures.

Cross Reference: Board Policy No. 3416

Medications at School

Legal References: 42 U.S.C. 280, Section 399
Chapter 462, Laws of 2005,
RCW 28A.210._____

Public Health Service Act
Relating to the prevention,
diagnosis, and treatment of
asthma