INDIVIDUALIZED HEALTH CARE PLAN FOR STUDENTS WITH 
FOOD & LIFE-THREATENING ALLERGIES 
2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

To be completed by the Parent:

Student Name: __________________________ Grade: __________________________

Allergies to: _____________________________________________________________

Student needs to avoid: __________________________________________________

Reaction(s) student has: __________________________________________________

Self-Carry permission from physician: □ NO □ YES *

*If YES, parent will complete Self-Carry and Self-Administer Epinephrine Auto-Injector agreement.

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(Student Name) has severe allergies as mentioned above and in the Individualized Health Care Plan from the physician. I have provided to the school the physician's medication permission and instructions. I am requesting these instructions be carried out by the school. I have instructed my child about his/her allergy and how to avoid exposure to the allergen, care to take if exposure occurs and to tell an adult immediately if they have come in contact with the allergen or are having a reaction. I will provide the medication with a proper pharmacy label and be aware of the expiration date to replace the medication. I hereby request the medication specified by the physician be given to the above named student, and it may be administered by medical or non-medical personnel. I understand 911 is called with the use of Epinephrine.

Such agreement by the school is adequate consideration of my agreements contained herein. In consideration for the school agreeing to allow the medication to be given to the student as requested herein, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, its servants, agents, any employees, including, but not limited to the parish, the school, the principal, and the individuals giving the medication, of and from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of or in any way connected with the giving of the medication or failing to give the medication to the student. Further, for said consideration, I, on behalf of myself and the other parent of the student, hereby release and waive any and all claims, demands, or causes of action against the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, its agents, servants, or employees, including, but not limited to the parish, the school, the principal, and the individual giving or failing to give the medication. It is mutually understood that the Archdiocese and its employees and affiliates are immune, pursuant to Tex. Educ. Code §38.215, from suit resulting from any act or failure to act concerning the administration of epinephrine medication under the individualized health care plan for food and life threatening allergies. Nothing within this Agreement shall be interpreted to waive this immunity.

Parent Signature: __________________________ Date: ____________

To be completed by School:

School Nurse/Health Coordinator Signature: __________________________ Date: ____________

Principal Signature: __________________________ Date: ____________

Before & After Program Coordinator Signature: __________________________ Date: ____________

(if applicable)

Teacher notification provided by: __________________________ Date: ____________

➢ School staff may be notified of the student's health condition and the treatment plan in case of an emergency.
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To be completed by the Physician:

Students Name: __________________________ D.O.B.: __________________________

Allergy to: __________________________

Weight: __________ lbs.  Asthma: □ * YES (higher risk for a severe reaction)  □ NO

NOTE: Treat the person before calling emergency contacts. The first sign of a reaction can be mild, but symptoms can worsen quickly.

Extremely reactive to the following allergens: __________________________

THEREFORE:  □ If checked, give Epinephrine immediately if the allergen was LIKELY eaten, for ANY symptoms.

□ If checked, give Epinephrine immediately if the allergen was DEFINITELY eaten, even if no symptoms are apparent.

SEVERE SYMPTOMS
FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING FOLLOW DIRECTIONS BELOW

LUNG
Shortness of breath, wheezing, repetitive cough

HEART
Pale or bluish skin, faintness, weak pulse, dizziness

THROAT
Tight or hoarse throat, trouble breathing or swallowing

MOUTH
Significant swelling of the tongue or lips

SKIN
Many hives over body, widespread

GUT
Repetitive vomiting, severe diarrhea

OTHER
Feeling something bad is about to happen, anxiety, confusion

OR A COMBINATION
of symptoms from different body areas.

MILD SYMPTOMS
FOR MILD SYMPTOMS FROM A SINGLE SYSTEM AREA, FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS BELOW

NOSE
Itchy Runny nose
Sneezing

MOUTH
Itchy mouth

SKIN
A few hives
Mild itch
Mild nausea or discomfort

GUT

1. Antihistamines may be given, if ordered by a healthcare provider.
2. Stay with the person; ALERT Emergency Contacts. 
3. Watch closely for changes. If symptoms worsen, give EPINEPHRINE.

MEDICATIONS/DOSES

Epinephrine Brand: __________________________

Epinephrine Dose: □ 0.15 mg IM □ 0.3 mg IM

Antihistamine Brand or Generic: __________________________

Antihistamine Dose: __________________________

Other (inhaler-bronchodilator if wheezing): __________________________

May Self-Carry Epinephrine: YES NO

May Self-Administer: YES NO

Physician initial: ____________ The above student has demonstrated the proper use of his/her Epinephrine. I have instructed the student in the correct and responsible use and confirm that the student is capable of carrying and administering the prescribed Epinephrine.

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE __________________________

PRINT __________________________

PHONE NO. __________________________

DATE __________________________

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**EPI-PEN® AND EPI-PEN JR® (EPINEPHRINE) Directions:**

1. Remove Auto-Injector from the clear carrier tube.
2. Pull off blue safety release by pulling straight up.

3. Hold orange tip near outer thigh (always apply to thigh)

4. Swing and firmly push orange tip against outer thigh. Hold on thigh firmly for approximately 3 seconds. (Count slowly 1, 2, and 3).
5. Remove and massage the injection area for 10 seconds.
6. **Call 911** and get emergency medical help right away.

**Auvi-Q (EPINEPHRINE) Directions:**

1. Remove the outer case of AUVI-Q. This will activate the voice instructions.
2. Pull off RED safety guard.

3. Place black end against outer thigh, press firmly and hold for 5 seconds.
4. **Call 911**

**ADMINISTRATION AND SAFETY INFORMATION FOR ALL AUTO-INJECTORS:**

1. Do not put your thumb, fingers or hand over the tip of the auto-injector or inject into any body part other than mid-outer thigh.
2. If administering to a young child, hold their leg firmly in place before and during injection to prevent injuries.
3. Epinephrine can be injected through clothing if needed.
4. **Call 911** immediately after injection

**Adrenallick (EPINEPHRINE) Directions:**

1. Remove GREY caps labeled “1” and “2”
2. Place RED rounded tip against outer thigh, press down hard until needle penetrates. Hold for 10 seconds then remove.
3. **Call 911**

Source: Food Allergy Research & Education (FARE) (WWW.FOODALLERGY.ORG) 5/2014