

Letters to Parents Regarding Nonprescription Medications

School nurses may now give nonprescription medications with parental permission. The following guidelines need to be followed:

1. The school nurse must assess the child's complaint and symptoms to determine if other measures can be used before medication is given.
2. The school nurse must be notified of any allergies, especially if your child has allergies to medication or food.
3. **All** medication sent to school must be in the **original** container. **(This is the law.)**
4. The school nurse will record medication given to students.
5. Nurses must use restraint at all times in the use of nonprescription medicines.

Please contact the school nurse, Donna Robinson at 323-2888, if you have any questions.

Return bottom portion of page to school nurse's office. Thank you.

Grade _____

I have read the above and request the school nurse give

TYLENOL or IBUPROFEN to _____
Name of non prescription drug Name of Student

during the 2006-2007 school year for the following reason: headache, minor aches,
minor sore throat, menstrual cramps (female).

List known allergies to medicine _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

Date _____