

Virginia Asthma Action Plan

School Division:

Name			Date of Birth
Health Care Provider	Provider's Phone #	Fax #	Last flu shot
Parent/Guardian	Parent/Guardian Phone		Parent/Guardian Email:
Additional Emergency Contact	Contact Phone		Contact Email

Asthma Triggers (Things that make your asthma worse)

☐ Colds	☐ Dust	☐ Animals: _____	☐ Strong odors	Season ☐ Fall ☐ Spring ☐ Winter ☐ Summer
☐ Smoke (tobacco, incense)	☐ Acid reflux	☐ Pests (rodents, cockroaches)	☐ Mold/moisture	
☐ Pollen	☐ Exercise	☐ Other: _____	☐ Stress/Emotions	

▼ **Medical provider complete from here down** ▼

Asthma Severity: ☐ Intermittent or ☐ Persistent: ☐ Mild ☐ Moderate ☐ Severe

Green Zone: Go!	Take these CONTROL (PREVENTION) Medicines EVERY Day
You have <u>ALL</u> of these: - Breathing is easy - No cough or wheeze - Can work and play - Can sleep all night  Peak flow: _____ to _____ (More than 80% of Personal Best) Personal best peak flow: _____	Always rinse your mouth after using your inhaler and remember to use a spacer with your MDI. ☐ No control medicines required. ☐ Aerospir _____ ☐ Advair _____ ☐ Alvesco _____ ☐ Asmanex _____ ☐ Budesonide _____ ☐ Dulera _____ ☐ Flovent _____ ☐ Pulmicort _____ ☐ QVAR _____ ☐ Symbicort _____ ☐ Other: _____ _____ puff (s) MDI _____ times a day Or _____ nebulizer treatment(s) _____ times a day ☐ (Montelukast) Singulair, take _____ by mouth once daily at bedtime For asthma with exercise, ADD: ☐ Albuterol ☐ Xopenex ☐ Ipratropium, MDI, 2 puffs with spacer 15 minutes before exercise (i.e., PE class, recess, sports)

Yellow Zone: Caution!	Continue CONTROL Medicines and ADD RESCUE Medicines
You have <u>ANY</u> of these: - Cough or mild wheeze - First sign of cold - Tight chest - Problems sleeping, working, or playing  Peak flow: _____ to _____ (60% - 80% of Personal Best)	☐ Albuterol ☐ Levalbuterol (Xopenex) ☐ Ipratropium (Atrovent), MDI, _____ puffs with spacer every _____ hours as needed ☐ Albuterol 2.5 mg/3ml ☐ Levalbuterol (Xopenex) _____ ☐ Ipratropium (Atrovent) 2.5mg/3ml one nebulizer treatment every _____ hours as needed ☐ Other: _____ Call your Healthcare Provider if you need rescue medicine for more than 24 hours or two times a week, or if your rescue medicine doesn't work.

Red Zone: DANGER!	Continue CONTROL & RESCUE Medicines and GET HELP!
You have <u>ANY</u> of these: - Can't talk, eat, or walk well - Medicine is not helping - Breathing hard and fast - Blue lips and fingernails - Tired or lethargic - Ribs show  Peak flow: < _____ (Less than 60% of Personal Best)	☐ Albuterol ☐ Levalbuterol (Xopenex) ☐ Ipratropium (Atrovent), MDI, _____ puffs with spacer every 15 minutes, for THREE treatments. ☐ Albuterol 2.5 mg/3ml ☐ Levalbuterol (Xopenex) _____ ☐ Ipratropium (Atrovent) 2.5mg/3ml one nebulizer treatment every 15 minutes, for THREE treatments ☐ Other: _____ Call your doctor while administering the treatments. IF YOU CANNOT CONTACT YOUR DOCTOR: Call 911 or go directly to the Emergency Department NOW!

REQUIRED SIGNATURES:

I give permission for school personnel to follow this plan, administer medication and care for my child and contact my provider if necessary. I assume full responsibility for providing the school with prescribed medication and delivery/ monitoring devices. I approve this Asthma Management Plan for my child.

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ Date _____

SCHOOL NURSE/DESIGNEE _____ Date _____

OTHER _____ Date _____

CC: ☐ Principal ☐ Cafeteria Mgr ☐ Bus Driver/Transportation ☐ School Staff
☐ Coach/PE ☐ Office Staff ☐ Parent/guardian

SCHOOL MEDICATION CONSENT & HEALTH CARE PROVIDER ORDER

Check One:

- ☐ Student, in my opinion, can carry and self-administer inhaler at school.
- ☐ Student needs supervision or assistance to use inhaler, and should not carry the inhaler in school.

MD/NP/PA SIGNATURE: _____ DATE _____

Effective Dates ► _____ to ► _____

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