

# Chester County Intermediate Unit

## Permission to Carry an Epi-Pen

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are concerned about the safety and well being of the students who have been identified as having allergic reactions. It is important that they have access to the medication necessary for controlling the symptoms of an allergic reaction as quickly as possible. Please indicate below how you would like the administration of your child's epi-pen handled at school.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/ Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_

I am allergic to: \_\_\_\_\_

Signs and Symptoms of your allergic reaction: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NOTE THAT Epi-Pens WILL ONLY BE PERMITTED TO BE USED ACCORDING TO PACKAGE DIRECTIONS OR DOCTOR'S NOTE**

**I GIVE MY PERMISSION FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

- | Yes   | No    |  |
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| _____ | _____ | After the school nurse has verified proper technique, my child may carry his/her own epi-pen and will be responsible for having it with him/her at all times. After use, my child will report to the school nurse to monitor the medication's effectiveness. |
| _____ | _____ | My child's epi-pen should be kept in the nurse's office in a locked cabinet and the student may have a pass stating that they are to be allowed to come to the nurse's office as needed.   |

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDENT RULES ON Epi-Pen USE**

- I am responsible to use my epi-pen on time.
- I am responsible for bringing my epi-pen to school.
- I will never touch anyone else's epi-pen.
- I will never loan my epi-pen to anyone else or invite anyone to try it.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_