

OUTDOOR ED MEDICATION INFORMATION

ALL OUTDOOR EDUCATION MEDICATIONS

- Each Medication must have a separate form
 - o (download from SSI website 6th grade page or request a paper copy from Ms. Winch)
- **Please indicate Session 1, 2 or 3 at the top of the med form**

| PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS | OVER THE COUNTER (OTC) NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS |
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| <p>Must have a MCPS 525-13 completed and signed by physician (Part II) and signed by the parent (Part I)</p> <p>Prescription bottle must match physician orders</p> <p>Epipens (form 525-14) and inhalers (form 525-13) need to have the self-carry section completed by physician.</p> <p>Only send the exact number of pills or exact amount of medication needed for the 3 days of Outdoor Ed</p> | <p>Parent must complete MCPS 525-13 (Part I & II) and sign.</p> <p>No physician signature required for OTC meds (only during Outdoor ED).</p> <p>Each medication must be in an unopened, unexpired bottle/package</p> <p>This includes all vitamins, OTC allergy medications, cough drops, etc.</p> |

Medications must be brought in by the parent to the Health Room (8:00am-3:00 pm) with the completed forms by Wed., FEBRUARY 19TH, 2020

NO MEDICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THAT DAY.

Only send medications which the student will need over the 3 days away from home, except for OTC medication (will need to be new/unopened). **If your child has a medication such as Epi-pen or inhaler in the health room during the school year, you must contact the school nurse to confirm if new orders or medications are required.**

Call or email Anita Shimosato RN, SCHN, anita_shimosato@mcpsmd.org with questions – 240-740-2752.

There are no medications available for students having health issues at Outdoor Ed., unless provided by the parent before leaving for the trip.

Should the student have an Epipen or inhaler for use while he/she is in school, they will be utilized for the Outdoor Ed program. The school nurse will review self-carrying with them.

If a student requires a nebulizer at Outdoor Ed, a *treatment authorization form* (MCPS 525-12), will need to be completed by the physician (Part II, like a prescription med). All supplies (tubing, mask, machine and meds) must be brought to the health room for submission.

Over the counter/Non-prescription medication that has not been used during the outdoor ed. needs to be picked up. **Medications that are not picked up will be destroyed.**

Please do not place any additional drugs of any kind into the student's bag. They will be checked and removed prior to leaving. We are happy to work with you on medications you feel your student needs!

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING ALL MEDICATIONS AND FORMS FOR USE DURING OUTDOOR ED IS February 19th, 2020.

There is significant work involved with medication administration that must be completely prepared and sent ahead of the students to the Smith Center which necessitates the deadline.

No medications will be accepted after February 19th, 2020.

For nutrition and allergen information, please see the county's menu information at <http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/foodserv/menus/allergen.shtm>

Anita Shimosato SCHN or Barbara Williams SHRT with questions at 240-740-2752