Anaphylaxis Procedure

1. Parent / guardian will notify the school nurse if a student has diagnosed anaphylactic allergies.

2. An allergy and anaphylaxis emergency care plan must be completed and signed by the parent / guardian and the student’s physician on an annual basis.

3. The parent / guardian will provide the medication prescribed in the plan to the school health office to have available in the event of an allergic reaction. The parent / guardian will be responsible to replace medication prior to the expiration date.

4. The parent / guardian provided emergency epinephrine auto-injector will be accessible to the student during the school day.

5. The school nurse will notify the school staff via a medical alert as appropriate and/or allergy and anaphylaxis emergency care plan of any student identified with known allergies.

6. The parent / guardian provided allergy medication for a specific student will accompany the student or appropriate staff if the student leaves the building on a field trip.

7. School personnel should be trained annually in the care of the student with allergies.

8. Whenever an epinephrine auto-injector is given 911 must be called, the school nurse will be notified and every attempt will be made to notify a student’s parent / guardian.

9. The epinephrine auto-injector should be administered following the specific manufacturer’s instructions.

10. A copy of this procedure is located on the Brunswick School Department website.

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