



Carver Middle High School

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Chronic Illnesses & Serious Health Conditions

Parents of a student with a chronic illness (diabetes, cystic fibrosis, epilepsy, etc.) or serious health condition (life-threatening allergy, asthma, etc.) should work with their child's physician to complete an action plan & medication orders for each school year. Parents are encouraged to contact the school nurse at the start of each school year to discuss the child's current health status, any updates, and the plan of care for the upcoming school year.

Students with a life threatening allergy should have a complete Allergy Action Plan on file and are encouraged to carry their EpiPen with them at all times. We request that an additional EpiPen be left in the Health Office. We understand that supply can be limited and will work with families to determine what works best for each student.

Students with asthma are allowed to carry their inhaler once the proper medication orders/asthma plans are received and the school nurse & parent have agreed that the student is able to correctly self-administer their medication and be responsible for their routine asthma management.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school health office if you have any questions or concerns about your child's health or medications.

From the Carver High School Handbook:

After scheduled school hours, there is no nursing coverage and there is no access to medication that is kept in the nurse's office. For those who are on school sports teams, emergency medications (i.e., epi-pens, inhalers) may be kept in the coach's first aid bag, and written consent/orders for the medication must be kept on file in the nurse's office. If an urgent medical need occurs after school, the school will make every effort to notify the parent/guardian(s) of the student's need, and 911 will be activated if necessary.