



# **Allergy Action Plan**



## THIS CHILD HAS THE FOLLOWING ALLERGIES:

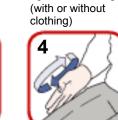
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Emergency contact details:					
1)					
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	Child's Weight:	Kg			

PARENTAL CONSENT: I hereby authorise school staff to administer the medicines listed on this plan, including a 'spare' back-up adrenaline autoinjector (AAI) if available, in accordance with Department of Health Guidance on the use of AAIs in schools.					
Signed:					
(PRINT NAME)					
Date:					

# How to give Jext®



Form fist around Jext® and PULL OFF YELLOW SAFETY CAP



PUSH DOWN HARD until a click is heard or felt and hold in place for 10 seconds



PLACE BLACK END

against outer thigh

REMOVE Jext®. Massage injection site for 10 seconds

#### Mild-moderate allergic reaction:

- Swollen lips, face or eyes
- Itchy / tingling mouth
- Abdominal pain or vomiting
- Hives or itchy skin rash
- Sudden change in behaviour

#### **ACTION:**

- Stay with the child, call for help if necessary
- Locate adrenaline autoinjector(s)
- Give antihistamine:
- Phone parent/emergency contact

(if vomited, can repeat dose)

# Watch for signs of ANAPHYLAXIS

(life-threatening allergic reaction)

Anaphylaxis may occur without skin symptoms: ALWAYS consider anaphylaxis in someone with known food allergy who has SUDDEN BREATHING DIFFICULTY

AIRWAY: Persistent cough, hoarse voice

difficulty swallowing, swollen tongue

**B**REATHING: Difficult or noisy breathing,

wheeze or persistent cough

**Consciousness**: Persistent dizziness / pale or floppy

suddenly sleepy, collapse, unconscious

### If ANY ONE (or more) of these signs are present:

1. Lie child flat:

Additional instructions:

(if breathing is difficult, allow child to sit)







- 2. Use Adrenaline autoinjector (eg. Jext) without delay
- 3. **Dial 999** for ambulance and say ANAPHYLAXIS ("ANA-FIL-AX-IS")

\*\*\* IF IN DOUBT, GIVE ADRENALINE \*\*\*

#### After giving Adrenaline:

- 1. Stay with child until ambulance arrives, do NOT stand child up
- 2. Commence CPR if there are no signs of life
- 3. Phone parent/emergency contact
- 4. If no improvement after 5 minutes, give a 2<sup>nd</sup> adrenaline dose using a second autoinjector device, if available.

You can dial 999 from any phone, even if there is no credit left on a mobile. Medical observation in hospital is recommended after anaphylaxis.

This is a medical document that can only be completed by the child's healthcare professional. It must not be altered without their permission. This document provides medical authorisation for schools to administer a 'spare' back-up adrenaline autoinjector if needed, as permitted by the Human Medicines (Amendment) Regulations 2017.
This plan has been prepared by:

SIGN & PRINT NAME:			
Hospital/Clinic:			
<b>*</b>	Date:		