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Authorization for Administering Medications to Children and Youth Long-Term Medications (Prescription and Non-Prescription)

Prescription medications must be in their original containers labeled with the child's/youth's first and last name; the name of the licensed physician, physician assistant (PA), or advanced practice registered nurse (APRN) who ordered the medication; the date the prescription was filled; the expiration date of the medication; and specific, legible instructions for administration and storage of the medication. Administer the medication only to the child designated on the prescription label in accordance with the instructions on the label. **Non-prescription medications** can be given with written permission and direction from the parent or legal guardian. Administer nonprescription medication from the original container labeled with the first and last name of the child/youth and according to the instructions on the label.

First and Last Name of Child/Youth **Date of Birth**

Name of Medication (only one medication per authorization **Prescription OR Non-Prescription**

Reason for Medication

Dose **Time to be Given** **Start Date** **Stop Date****

Name of Licensed Physician, PA or APRN prescribing the medication

I allow the above medication to be given to my child/youth by the designated person.

Parent's Signature **Date Signed**

**Stop date not to exceed one year from the start date. A new authorization is to be completed any time the medication, dosage, times to be given, or instructions from the parent or health care provider change from the information included on this form. Additional copies of this form may be attached to this page if more space is needed to record the administration of the medication for up to one year if there are no changes in instructions. Above information must be completed on each page but the parent's signature is required only once per year.

This form is to be used to document administration of only the medication(s) identified above. Designated Person to note any comments or remarks about the child's/youth's appearance on the back of this form.
*Each designated person administering medication is to sign on the back side of this form and identify initials used.

Date mm/dd/yy	Time	*Initials	Date mm/dd/yy	Time	*Initials	Date mm/dd/yy	Time	*Initials

*Signature of Designated Person Administering Medication _____ Initialing as_____

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*Signature of Designated Person Administering Medication _____ Initialing as_____

Note Form

Date	Additional comments about the incident or other related incidents, including comments or remarks about the child's/youth's appearance and/or condition.