## REQUEST TO PROVIDE MEDICATION DURING SCHOOL HOURS

Health Services Department Tri County Public Schools

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS:

Your written consent is required **prior** to school personnel providing or administering medication to a child in school. By signing below, you acknowledge the following:

- If needed, the prescribing physician may be contacted by the school nurse for clarification on medication administration.
- Your child's medication may be given by an unlicensed health technician, or by a nurse, or by other school health personnel deemed competent.
- The school health office should be notified promptly if there are changes in your child's medication orders.
- A physician's (or other licensed prescriber's) authorization is required for medication to be provided
  at school for all prescription and over-the-counter medication products. The prescriber's
  authorization may be on the pharmacy label attached to the bottle or, in the case of the
  over-the-counter products, by separate prescription provided to the office.
- All medication products must be sent to the school in the original container with label intact.
   Medications in bags or any other form of "home packaging" will not be accepted, due to safety considerations.
- Parents/guardians are encouraged to provide two weeks' supply of medication.

## WRITTEN PARENTAL CONSENT: MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO MEDICATIONS BEING GIVEN AT SCHOOL

	Name of medication and dose	
to :	at	as
Child's name directed for	Approximate.	e time
Reasor	for medication	
Signature of parent/ gaurdian	Date	
CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PARENT/	GUARDIAN:	
Name(s)	Phone Number	