

# FOOD ALLERGY ACTION PLAN

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Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergic To: \_\_\_\_\_

Asthmatic  Yes (Higher risk for severe reaction)  No

## ► STEP 1: TREATMENT ◀

### Symptoms:

- If a food allergen has been ingested, but no symptoms
- Mouth itching, tingling, or swelling of lips, tongue, mouth
- Skin hives, itchy rash, swelling of the face or extremities
- Stomach nausea, cramps, vomiting, diarrhea
- Throat † tightening of throat, hoarseness, hacking cough
- Lung † shortness of breath, repetitive coughing, wheezing
- Heart † weak pulse, low blood pressure, fainting, pale, blueness
- Other † \_\_\_\_\_
- If reaction is progressing (several of the above areas affected), give † = **Potentially life- threatening**

### Give Checked Medication:

- Epinephrine  Antihistamine
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Medication: specify dose and procedure required for the above treatment

**Epinephrine:** \_\_\_\_\_ medication/dose/procedure

**Antihistamine:** \_\_\_\_\_ medication/dose/procedure

**Other:** \_\_\_\_\_ medication/dose/procedure

## ► STEP 2: EMERGENCY CALLS ◀

Name/Relationship	Phone Number(s)
a. _____	1.) _____ 2.) _____
b. _____	1.) _____ 2.) _____
c. _____	1.) _____ 2.) _____

**Preferred Hospital:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Doctor's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

## ► STEP 3: FOOD ACCOMMODATIONS ◀

This school/facility participates in a federally-funded Child Nutrition Program and any meals, milk, and snacks served must meet program requirements. Reasonable food accommodations must be made when the accommodation requested is due to a disability and supported by a physician's statement. Reasonable food accommodations may be made for children without disabilities who may still have special dietary needs; a medical statement is required.

**Does student need special food accommodations?** \_\_\_\_\_.

If you are requesting a meal accommodation or substitution, **please ask your physician to complete and sign the form on the following page.**

School-Based Child Nutrition Programs  
**PHYSICIAN STATEMENT FOR FOOD SUBSTITUTION**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICIAN STATEMENT:**

1. Does child have a disability according to 7 CFR Part 15d that requires food accommodation? (Does he/she have a "physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities"?)

No If no, go to item 2 below.

Yes If yes, provide the following information and complete item 3, 4, and 5 below.

a. What is the disability? \_\_\_\_\_

b. What major life activity is affected? \_\_\_\_\_

c. How does the disability restrict the diet? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Child has no disability but requires a special diet. Identify medical problem which restricts the child's diet and complete items 3, 4, and 5 below.

3. List food/type of food to be omitted. For the safety of the child, please be as specific as possible.

4. List food/type of food to be substituted. For the safety of the child, please be as specific as possible.

5. \_\_\_\_\_  
**Physician's Signature** **Date**

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**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:**

Form received on \_\_\_\_\_.

Form complete and accommodations will begin on \_\_\_\_\_.

Form Complete Accommodation will not be made due to:

Child does not have a disability

Request not reasonable

Form incomplete. Parent contacted on \_\_\_\_\_.