

MEDICATION, ADMINISTRATION BY STUDENT TO SELF POLICY

The Board of Education believes that there are times when it is in the best interest of a student to self-administer medication with parent approval. Students are prohibited from sharing or administering medication with or to each other, except in cases of a life-threatening emergency. The building administrator may grant a student permission to self administer medication if the student's parent has provided written permission. For prescription medications, the parent must also provide the building administrator with written approval of the student's physician. A student who has been approved for self-medication may have in his/her possession only the quantity of medication needed for that school day, unless otherwise approved, in writing, by the building administrator