PERKIOMEN VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT PROCEDURE FOR ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

Dear Parent/Guardian:

According to the State Health Code, including the State Board of Nurse Examiners, the school nurse <u>may not administer</u> any medication <u>without a written order</u> from your child's physician indicating the name of the medication, the dosage, the reason it is being given, and the time to administer it in school. <u>This includes over-the-counter, non-prescription medication as well as prescription medication. Your signature is also required. Permission slips must be completed each year. <u>Medication must be brought to school by the parent/guardian in its original container</u>, clearly labeled with child's name, name of medication, amount of dosage and time to be given along with this completed form.</u>

After you and your physician complete the **Permit to Administer Medication** form, the school nurse will be glad to administer medication following the Pennsylvania State regulations and district procedures. Phone permission is not acceptable. Thank you for your cooperation in this important matter. PERMIT TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION (Signed permit good for current school year) Student Name: Date of Birth: Grade Room/Section: Any form that requires a physician's signature is considered a medical order. Only your physician may complete the treatment prescription portion of this form. Name of Medication: Amount to be given: Dates to be given: Time to be given/ prn frequency: ______ Reason for medication: _____ Side effects of medication: Any necessary emergency response: Printed Name of Physician Signature of Physician (stamp not accepted) Physician's Phone Number Date Signature of Parent/Guardian Phone Number Date

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