

PATTONVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

EPS Code: JHCD-R-2

District Code:

EMERGENCY MEDICATION - ANAPHYLAXIS

The school district will secure a written order from their consultant physician for inclusion in an emergency medication kit to cover administration of epinephrine in the case of anaphylaxis. (Some students may have a "sting kit" available with an individual prescription. In addition, it is recommended that every school be equipped for this type of emergency.)

This kit will include a standing order and the protocol to follow in the event of anaphylaxis shock, including who may administer medication. The school nurse will train designated personnel in the proper administration of emergency medications.

Drugs will be properly labeled by a pharmacist. The emergency kit will be kept in a secure location that is easily accessible to qualified, designated personnel.

Adopted: February 24, 1998