Self-Administration of Asthma and Anaphylaxis Medications

It is the policy of the board of directors that students with asthma or anaphylaxis are afforded the opportunity to self-administer prescribed medications. The student’s parent or guardian will submit a written request and other documentation required by the school. The student’s prescribing health care provider must provide a written treatment plan.

The student must demonstrate to the school’s professional registered nurse that the student is competent to possess and self-administer prescribed medications during school and at school sponsored events.

The superintendent and/or designee will establish procedures that implement this policy and to develop emergency rescue procedures.

Legal Reference: 42 U.S.C. 280 Public Health Service Act
RCW 28A.210.370 Students with Asthma