

Notification of Volunteer Agreement for Training in Administration of Epinephrine Auto-injector

Current law (SB 1266) now requires schools to provide emergency epinephrine for individuals who may be experiencing anaphylaxis. Anaphylaxis is a severe allergic reaction which can occur after exposure to an allergen, an insect sting or even (rare) after exercise. Without immediate administration of epinephrine and summoning Emergency Medical Services (911), death could occur. Certain individuals may experience anaphylaxis that have no known previous history of an allergy and therefore, may not have their own prescription.

Legislation allows for a school nurse or a trained volunteer to administer an epinephrine auto-injector to an individual who is exhibiting potentially life-threatening symptoms of anaphylaxis after exposure or ingestion of an allergen. Training will be provided to the volunteer on signs and symptoms of anaphylaxis, how to administer the epinephrine auto-injector, calling EMS (911) and any follow up documentation or actions required.

Staff members who volunteer to be trained are protected under the law and will be provided defense and indemnification by the school district for any and all civil liability.

This notification is provided annually to all staff. If you are willing to be identified as a volunteer and be trained, please complete the section below and submit it to your site administrator.

Signature

Printed Name

Date