

# Glenwood Country Day School Asthma Action Plan

DATE: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_      PATIENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 WEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_      PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 HEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_      PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER/CLINIC NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 DOB: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_      WHAT TRIGGERS MY ASTHMA \_\_\_\_\_

**Baseline Severity**

**Best Peak Flow**

Always use a **holding chamber/spacer with/ without** a mask with your inhaler. (circle choices)

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| <b>GREEN ZONE</b> | <b>DOING WELL</b> | <b>GO!</b> |
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**You have ALL of these:**

- Breathing is good
- No cough or wheeze
- Can work/play easily
- Sleeping all night

**Peak Flow** is between:  
 and   
*80-100% of personal best*

**Step 1:** Take these controller medicines every day:

| MEDICINE | HOW MUCH | WHEN  |
|----------|----------|-------|
| _____    | _____    | _____ |
| _____    | _____    | _____ |
| _____    | _____    | _____ |

**Step 2:** If exercise triggers your asthma, take the following medicine **15 minutes before** exercise or sports.

| MEDICINE | HOW MUCH |
|----------|----------|
| _____    | _____    |

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| <b>YELLOW ZONE</b> | <b>GETTING WORSE</b> | <b>CAUTION</b> |
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**You have ANY of these:**

- It's hard to breathe
- Coughing
- Wheezing
- Tightness in chest
- Cannot work/play easily
- Wake at night coughing

**Peak Flow** is between:  
 and   
*50-79% of personal best*

**Step 1:** Keep taking **GREEN ZONE** medicines and **ADD** quick-relief medicine:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ puffs or 1 nebulizer treatment of \_\_\_\_\_  
*Repeat after 20 minutes if needed (for a maximum of 2 treatments).*

**Step 2:** Within 1 hour, if your symptoms aren't better or you don't return to the **GREEN ZONE**, take your **oral steroid** medicine \_\_\_\_\_ **and** call your health care provider today.

**Step 3:** If you are in the **YELLOW ZONE more than 6 hours**, or your symptoms are **getting worse**, follow **RED ZONE** instructions.

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| <b>RED ZONE</b> | <b>EMERGENCY</b> | <b>GET HELP NOW!</b> |
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**You have ANY of these:**

- It's very hard to breathe
- Nostrils open wide
- Ribs are showing
- Medicine is not helping
- Trouble walking or talking
- Lips or fingernails are grey or bluish

**Peak Flow** is between:  
 and   
*Below 50% of personal best*

**Step 1:** Take your quick-relief medicine **NOW**:

| MEDICINE                          | HOW MUCH |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| _____                             | _____    |
| or 1 nebulizer treatment of _____ |          |

AND

**Step 2:** Call your health care provider **NOW**  
**AND**  
 Go to the emergency room **OR CALL 911** immediately.

\_\_\_\_\_ This Asthma Action Plan provides authorization for the administration of medicine described in the AAP.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ This child has the knowledge and skills to self-administer quick-relief medicine at school or daycare with approval of the school nurse.

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This consent may supplement the school or daycare's consent to give medicine and allows my child's medicine to be given at school/daycare. My child (circle one) **may / may not** carry, self-administer and use quick-relief medicine at school with approval from the school nurse (if applicable).

DATE: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_      PARENT/ GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

FOLLOW-UP APPOINTMENT IN \_\_\_\_\_ AT \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_