

## **CHRISTUS School Based Clinics**

Parent's Permission for Administration of Over-the-Counter Medications

Please note: All medications should be given outside of school hours when possible. Only the medication needed to keep a student comfortable and remaining in school will be given.

Medications will be given at school only under the following condition:

- 1. The consent form has been fully completed by the parent/guardian.
- 2. Only those school personnel who have successfully completed the training provided by a CHRISTUS School Based Clinic Nurse Practitioner will be authorized to dispense the over-the-counter medications listed below.
- 3. If medication is provided, the parent/guardian will be contacted by phone as indicated by a child's emergency procedure card OR a note will be sent home documenting the administration of any non-prescription medication at school.
- 4. The medications will be supplied by CHRISTUS School Based Clinics and kept in their original containers. They will be stored in a locked cabinet/drawer at the school clinic.

## Below is a list of the over-the-counter medications.

- Acetaminophen (e.g. Tylenol) for pain or fever greater than 100.4
- Bacitracin Ointment for cuts/lacerations
- Benadryl- for minor allergic reactions
- Claritin (Loratadine) for allergies
- Chloroceptic Lozenge- for throat discomfort
- Hydrocortisone 1% Cream- for minor skin irritations
- Ibuprofen (e.g. Motrin, Advil)- for pain or fever greater than 100.4
- Normal Saline Nasal Spray for nasal congestion/stuffiness

\*\*\*<u>IMPORTANT</u>: If there is a medication listed above that you do not wish your child to receive, please strike a line through the medication.

I hereby grant permission for the school nurse or other trained school personnel to administer any of the over-the-counter medications listed above to my child as appropriate.

Print Student's Name & Date of Birth:	
Any known drug allergies:	
Print Name of Parent/Guardian	Signature of Parent/Guardian & Date
Contact Number	Email Address