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**School Year:** \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

## STUDENT FOOD ALLERGY HISTORY FORM

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Healthcare Provider: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Does your child have a diagnosis of an allergy from a healthcare provider: \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes

**2. History and Current Status**

 a. What is your child allergic to?  
 Peanuts     Insect Stings  
 Eggs         Fish/Shellfish  
 Milk          Chemicals \_\_\_\_\_  
 Latex         Vapors \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soy           Tree Nuts (walnuts, pecans, etc.)  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

 b. Age of your child when allergy first discovered: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. How many times has your child had a reaction?  
     Never     Once     More than once, explain:  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. Explain their past reaction(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 e. Symptoms: \_\_\_\_\_  
 f. Are the food allergy reactions:  Same  Better  Worse

**3. Trigger and Symptoms**

 a. What are the early signs and symptoms of your child's allergic reaction? (Be specific; include things the student might say) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

b. How does your child communicate his/her symptoms? \_\_\_\_\_

c. How quickly do symptoms appear after exposure to food(s)? \_\_\_\_\_ secs \_\_\_\_\_ mins. \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ days

d. Please check the symptoms that your child has experienced in the past:

- |            |  |   |                                     |                                   |  |
|------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Skin:      | <input type="checkbox"/> Hives               | <input type="checkbox"/> Itching                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Rash       | <input type="checkbox"/> Flushing | <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling (face, arms, |
| Mouth:     | <input type="checkbox"/> Itching             | <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling (lips, tongue, mouth) |                                     |                                   | hands, legs)                                   |
| Abdominal: | <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea              | <input type="checkbox"/> Cramps                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Vomiting   | <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea |  |
| Throat:    | <input type="checkbox"/> Itching             | <input type="checkbox"/> Tightness                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Hoarseness | <input type="checkbox"/> Cough    |  |
| Lungs:     | <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of Breath | <input type="checkbox"/> Repetitive Cough               | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheezing   |                                   |  |
| Heart:     | <input type="checkbox"/> Weak Pulse          | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of consciousness          |                                     |                                   |  |

**4. Treatment**

 a. How have past reactions been treated? \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. How effective was your child's response to treatment? \_\_\_\_\_  
 c. Was there an emergency room visit?  No  Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. Was your child admitted to the hospital?  No  Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 e. What treatment or medication has your healthcare provider recommended for use in an allergic reaction? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 f. Has your healthcare provider provided you with a prescription for medication?  No  Yes  
 g. Have you send the treatment or medication?  No  Yes  
 h. Please describe any side effects or problems your child had in using the suggested treatment: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

5. Self Care

a. Is your student able to monitor and prevent their own exposure?	___ No	___ Yes
b. Does your child:		
1. Know what foods to avoid	___ No	___ Yes
2. Ask about food ingredients	___ No	___ Yes
3. Read and understands food label	___ No	___ Yes
4. Tell an adult immediately after an exposure	___ No	___ Yes
5. Wear a medical alert bracelet, necklace, watchband	___ No	___ Yes
6. Tell peers and adults about the allergy	___ No	___ Yes
7. Firmly refuses a problem food	___ No	___ Yes
c. Does your child know how to use emergency medication?	___ No	___ Yes _____
d. Has your child ever administered their own emergency medication	___ No	___ Yes _____

6. Family/Home

a. How do you feel that the whole family is coping with your child's food allergy?	_____	
b. Does your child carry Epinephrine in the event of a reaction?	___ No	___ Yes
c. Has your child ever needed to administer that Epinephrine?	___ No	___ Yes
d. Do you feel that your child needs assistance in coping with his/her food allergy?	_____	
	_____	

7. General Health

a. How is your child's general health other than having a food allergy?		
b. Does your child have other health condition?		
c. Hospitalizations?		
d. Does your child have a history of asthma?	___ No	___ Yes
If yes, does he/she have an Asthma Action Plan?	___ No	___ Yes
e. Please add anything else you would like the school to know about your child's health:	_____	
	_____	

8. Notes:

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed by R.N.: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_