Severe Reaction to Bee Stings

Emergency Plan of Action

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Grade:

Name:

| School: Teacher: | |
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| If You See This | Do This |
| Itchy Skin Swelling at sting site Reported or suspected bee sting | Stay with student Stay calm. Keep student calm Cleanse area with antiseptic Observe for symptoms of anaphylaxis |
| Hives spreading over body Wheezing, difficulty talking, swallowing or breathing Swelling of face, ears, lips or neck Tingling/swelling of tongue Vomiting Extreme paleness/gray color, clammy skin Loss of conscientiousness | Administer EpiPen per orders. Call 911 immediately Do no leave student. Do not allow student to Stand up. Avoid any sudden movements after EpiPen has been administered. Tell EMS that EpiPen was given. Provide used EpiPen. |
| Directions for use of EpiPen Pull off gray or blue cap Place black/orange tip against muscle on outer thigh, halfway between knee and hip Press firmly until you hear a click Hold in place for 10 seconds, then remove, massage area Call 911 Keep student lying down. Do not allow student to get up Do not return EpiPen to holder after use, give to EMS personnel or discard in sharps container | |
| After Administration Notify School nurse Notify Parent Complete Incident Report | |
| Parent Signature | Date |
| Physician Name & Signature | Date |

*** If your child has never had an anaphylactic reaction and does not need an EpiPen but you would like to keep a medication at his/her school to treat mild symptoms, please consult your pediatrician about the appropriate OTC medication. Remember all medications including OTC must be accompanied by a Medication Authorization Form in order to be administered in the school setting.