

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL

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Policy Title:
Self-administration of medications

Chapter:
10

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SCOPE:

- Chapter 3800 – Child Residential and Day Treatment Facilities

INTRODUCTION:

1. A child is permitted to self-administer medications, insulin injections and epinephrine injections for insect bites, if the following requirements are met:
 - A person who meets the qualifications above (relating to administration) is physically present observing the administration and immediately records the administration in accordance with the policy above (relating to medication log).
 - The child recognizes and distinguishes the medication and knows the condition or illness for which the medication is prescribed, the correct dosage and when the medication is to be taken.

DISCUSSION: