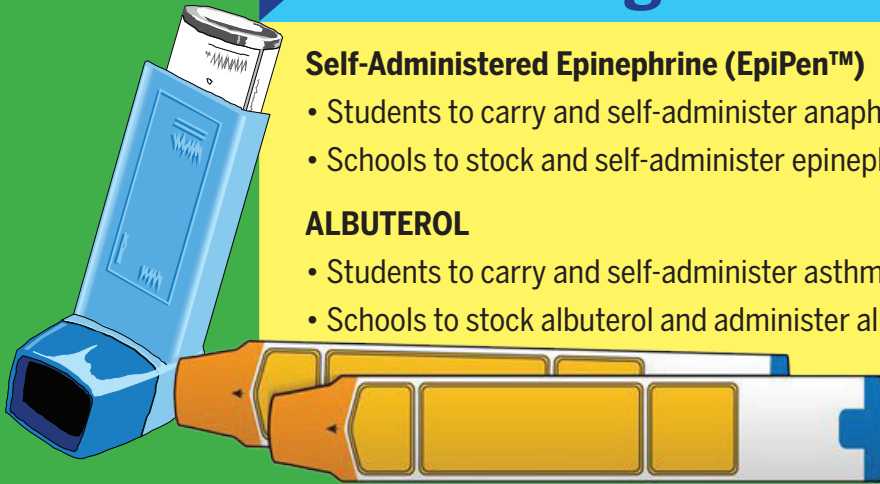


Is Your Child's School Prepared to Respond to a Respiratory/Allergy Emergency?



Georgia Law Allows



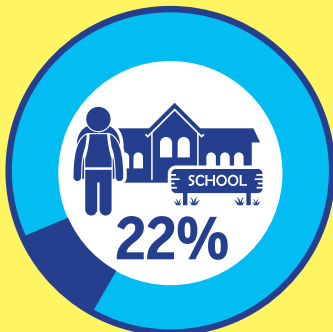
Self-Administered Epinephrine (EpiPen™)

- Students to carry and self-administer anaphylaxis medication.
- Schools to stock and self-administer epinephrine in emergency situations.

ALBUTEROL

- Students to carry and self-administer asthma medication.
- Schools to stock albuterol and administer albuterol in emergency situations.

Your Child Could be at Risk



22% of students in the U.S. who experience a severe allergic reaction in school are first time cases.



15% of children with asthma/asthma-like symptoms have never been diagnosed with asthma.



Many children with a prescription for asthma medications do not bring their medications to school each day.

Call to Action!

- Ask your school system to adopt these emergency protocols.
- Join your child's school Parent Teacher Association (PTA).
- Request presentations to local school boards about the need for emergency medication administration policies.



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