## PEMBERTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

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## REQUEST FOR MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION

In accordance with New Jersey State Law 6A: 16-2.1(a) 2, Pemberton Township Board of Education policy states that: *school nurses only* are to administer *any* medication to students. \* This is to be done *only* if medication has been prescribed by the child's physician who has noted diagnosis, medication, dosage and time. This includes any overthe-counter drug. In addition, parent/guardian must sign permission form below and return to the school nurse. The permission form must be updated **every school year**.

Prescriptions must be in properly labeled pharmacy containers: over-the-counter medications must be in the original container and accompanied by a physician's note. Medication should be brought to school and picked up by a designated adult. All medications sent to school will be locked in nurse's office.

\*\*State Law 18A:40-12.3 provides for students to self-administer medication for asthma or other potentially life-threatening illnesses during field trips provided certain stipulations are followed. See the school nurse or call for further details and forms.