

Student with Diabetes - Independent Care Parent Agreement

Mitchell Road Christian Academy will provide care to students with diabetes in collaboration from their physician and parents/legal guardians according to their current Diabetes Medical Management Plan. The DMMP needs to be filled out by their physician, parents/legal guardians, and nurse prior to the start of each school year. Any changes to the DMMP needs to be in writing from the physician.

1. Use of student's phone in the classroom.
 - a. Student will place their phone face down on the corner of their desk/table when they enter the classroom and it remain face down until the end of the class.
 - b. If alarm goes off, the student will check their phone, manage their care and then return their phone face down.
 - i. If they need additional assistance, they will keep phone face up until the situation has improved and notify teacher if they need help from nurse.
 - ii. Alarms may continue to go off even when a student is safe.
 - c. Students are permitted to use their phone only to provide diabetes care and communicate their diabetic needs with their parents during the school day.
 - i. Student's may respond to parent text with a like or brief text.
 - d. Students and parents will be aware that teachers have permission to check the student's phone periodically if they are concerned student is using it inappropriately.
2. Use of student's phone in the bathroom.
 - a. Students will not be allowed to take their phone to the bathroom.
3. Alarm volume.
 - a. The student's phone will be placed on the lowest volume possible while still being able to be heard.
 - i. Airplane mode not allowed.
4. Eating Snack/Candy in class.
 - a. Because teachers do not know when a student is eating snack/candy for a low or just choosing to eat a snack when others are not allowed, there will be a set list of food/juice options for diabetes correction that teachers are aware of.
5. Parents/legal guardians will provide snacks and diabetic supplies to be used at school.
 - a. Supplies to treat lows will be kept with the student.
 - b. Additional supplies are to be kept in student's locker and with nurse if desired.
6. Retreat.
 - a. Due to the remote location of the camps and possibility of limited cell service, a medical chaperone will need to be provided by the parents and present for the entire retreat.
 - b. Medical chaperone will follow the bus to and from the retreat.
 - c. Parents will inform MRCA nurses at least 2 weeks prior to the retreat regarding who will be the medical chaperone.

I have read and agree to abide by the Mitchell Road Christian Academy's Diabetes Policy for Independent Care.

Parent Signature _____ Student Signature _____ Date _____