

## **Lake Central School Corporation Medication Guidelines**

When possible, give your child medicine at home. Indiana Law 287 requires that schools observe certain regulations when administering medication to students. The following procedures must be followed and renewed each year. The complete Lake Central School Corporation medication policy is found in the Student Agenda.

### **Prescription Medications:**

1. No prescription medication shall be given or dispensed unless a medication authorization form is signed and the medication is in the original container bearing the current pharmacy label and the child's name.
2. Written permission from the child's parent or guardian must also be on file at the school.

### **Non-Prescription Medications:**

1. Over-the-counter medication requires written permission from the parent or guardian, stating the amount of medication and the hours for administration.
2. It must be brought in the original container labeled with the student's name.
3. Over-the-counter medication includes nasal sprays, cough and cold medication.

### **Please Note:**

1. Medication forms are available at the school's main office or the nurse's office.
2. Medications must be brought to the school and picked up from the school by a parent or guardian.
3. **All medications must be picked up by the last day of school by a parent or guardian. Otherwise, all medicine will be disposed of according to the Lake Central School Corporation Medication Policy.**