

Health



QAA staff cannot legally administer medication

Except for epi-pens, no medication can legally be given to students by Academy personnel as a response to an illness.

Students *must* have with them what they might need for headaches or cramps and be able to administer it themselves.

Keep us informed

Parents are asked to keep QAA up-to-date on any changes to the student's medical condition.

Please inform us of changes in **home or work phone numbers**.

Please provide our Records Office with an *alternate* emergency contact person.

Allergies?

A **Medic Alert** list is given to all faculty and staff identifying serious conditions which could require immediate attention.

Students with **severe allergies** should carry their medication with them at all times and provide extras to the school secretary for safekeeping with instructions on its use.

A student who becomes ill during the school day is to report to the Secretarial Office where someone will:

- ◆ assist in administering first aid, if required
- ◆ permit the student to rest in the adjoining first-aid room
- ◆ if deemed necessary, contact the parents to make arrangements for the student to be picked up

In serious situations where 911 is called, a parent will be contacted immediately.