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## **Self Carry Epinephrine Signed Permission and Acknowledgment Form**

This written permission and acknowledgement form has been developed as per the MTJB Anaphylaxis Policy in coordination with the requirements of the Child Care Early Years Act.

Anaphylactic symptoms can all happen at the same time and they often occur in less than ten minutes. If the child is not given adrenalin (epinephrine) immediately he or she could die. Severe reactions can occur "out of the blue", that is. The child has had no signs or symptoms of a reaction in the past. In this case, call 911 for emergency treatment.

- Children will not be accepted for attendance without their auto-injector.
- Parents of school aged children must provide a belt or fanny pack to house the auto-injector; the belt or fanny pack MUST be worn by the child at all times while in the care of MTJB staff. Please note: it is not the responsibility of the MTJB staff members to keep the auto-injectors on their person.

This form must be completed fully in order for a school aged child to self-carry his/her prescribed auto inject-able epinephrine (Epi-Pen) while enrolled at MTJB Child Care Centre Inc.

I, the undersigned, certify that	
(Child's Name)	
has anaphylaxis or another potentially life-threatening illness.	
I, the undersigned, acknowledge/give written permission for _	(Child's Name)
to self-carry his/her auto injectable epinephrine (Epi-Pen).	(Cillid & Name)
(Parent/Guardian Signature)	(Date)