

NEWTON COUNTY ELEMENTARY / MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL

Parents,

The state department of education requires that any student with Asthma must have a written statement (Asthma Action Plan) from their health care practitioner each year they are in school. If you indicated that your son or daughter may have a mild to severe form of asthma on their student health form, an Asthma Action Plan will have to be completed by a physician.

The action plan may be printed from the website or will be sent home with the student. Please complete the student information at the top and then sign a parent or guardian signature at the bottom. Take the form to the student's practitioner to complete the information regarding asthma medication administration. They may fax the completed form to the School Office or you may bring the form back to the School Nurse Office.

Students may self-carry an inhaler if indicated by their practitioner and or they may keep one in the nurse's office. Remember that the parent or guardian must bring all medications to school, not the student. Please get this form completed and returned as soon as possible, and remember that it has to be updated each school year. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the school nurse.

Sincerely,

Patty Gibson, RN
NC Elementary School Nurse

Rae Hollingsworth, RN
NC Middle / High School Nurse