

Dear Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to notify you that Belvidere Community Unit School District 100, is participating in the Undesignated Medications Program in collaboration with the Boone County Health Department (BCHD). As part of the program, the Medical Director at BCHD has issued a standing order protocol for trained school personnel to use epinephrine injection in the setting of medical emergencies wherein a student or staff person is experiencing a severe allergic/anaphylactic reaction. The medications will be administered in appropriate circumstances.

A copy of that protocol may be found here: [1.120- Students with Anaphylactic Allergies](#)

If a parent or guardian does not want their student to receive an undesignated medication in emergencies, please submit a written request to the school that their student shall not be administered the drugs under any circumstances.

Please note, per 105 ILCS 5/22-30, neither the District nor any of its employees or agents, including BCHD, shall incur any liability or professional discipline, except for willful and wanton conduct, as a result of any injury arising from the use of an undesignated epinephrine injector, regardless of whether authorization was given by a student's parent or guardian, or by the student's physician.

Please indicate your receipt and understanding of the above by completing the following statement and emailing it to the school nurse or returning it to your child's school.

☐ I, (first and last name of parent/guardian)_____ **do not** want my student to receive an undesignated medication in emergencies or administered drugs under any circumstances. (Name of Student: _____)

Parental Signature _____

Date of Signature _____