

Types of medications

MEDICALLY AUTHORISED FOR A SPECIFIC STUDENT			
Type of medication		Description	Examples
Routine	Short term	Required over a short period of time for the treatment of an acute condition e.g. infection.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • antibiotics • ointments • eye drops • ear drops
	Long term	Required over a long period of time for the ongoing management of a specific disorder (e.g. attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, schizophrenia) or health condition (e.g. cystic fibrosis, epilepsy, diabetes, asthma).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ritalin • enzyme tablets • insulin • anti-epileptic medications • risperidone • medicinal cannabis • asthma preventer
As needed	As a non-emergency response	Required as a non-emergency response to certain symptoms (e.g. rash, irritated eyes) in accordance with a medication order.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • antihistamines • topical creams/ointments for allergies
	As an emergency response	Required as an emergency response for medical conditions (e.g. epilepsy, anaphylaxis, asthma) in accordance with a medication order / health plan / written instructions from a prescribing health practitioner.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Midazolam • adrenaline auto-injector • asthma reliever • Solu-Cortef • GlucaGen

