



Health Center Information

If you or your camper is ill (fever, vomiting, diarrhea, major cold symptoms) within 24 hours of arrival, has medical dietary restrictions, has a chronic medical condition (such as diabetes), or if you have any concern about your child's medication, please call and speak with the Health Center Director PRIOR to the start of camp. (864.878.6025)

Medication Procedures: ALL policies MUST be followed:

Crusader and Adventure-Trip Camp: Campers will give all prescription medications to the Camp Nurses during Check-in. The Health Center has a supply of over the counter medications to administer during camp. Please send only medications that are prescription or are given daily. Camp Nurses will administer all meds while on camp property. Trip Camp and High School Cabin Staffers will give all meds while OFF camp property.

- ALL medications must be in their ORIGINAL containers.
- **Medications in Ziploc bags, daily pill containers, or unmarked packages will NOT be dispensed to campers. No exceptions.**
- NO medications will be kept with campers for safety reasons. Epi pen and Inhalers – see below.

Lad/Alpha Camp: ALL medications are given to the group leader or parent who will secure and dispense these medications. A Camp Nurse is available on site for all urgent/emergent medical issues.

A Health Center nurse will call you if:

- There is concern about your child's health or physical well-being at camp.
- Your child is ill or running a fever of 100.4° or higher and needs to stay in the Health Center for most of the day or overnight.
- There is a question about your child's medications or a response to a medication.
- Your child has an illness or accident that requires repeated attention or transportation out of camp for medical treatment.

ALLERGIES: If your camper has known allergies to any medications, foods, or stinging insects, please be sure to list this information on their Health History Form. **This is very important.**

EPINEPHRINE PENS AND ASTHMATIC INHALERS: If your camper needs an asthmatic inhaler or an Epinephrine Pen that needs to be kept with him at all times, please make a note of this on the Health History Form. Please provide a fanny pack or cinch sack for him to carry.

IMMUNIZATIONS: For campers who are 18 years of age or younger, please complete the verification of updated immunization section of the Health Form. Adult campers must provide information of a Tetanus vaccine within the last 10 years. **Because of the nature of our camp environment, having a current Tetanus vaccine is vitally important for everyone attending camp. Tetanus lives in soil for up to 10 years & can cause serious neurological damage. Please ensure your camper is adequately protected.**

FOOTWEAR: Please send CLOSED-TOED SHOES appropriate for HIKING for your child. Crocs, sandals or similar shoes can cause blisters & are not appropriate for hiking.