



# Wallington High School *for Girls*

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## CONSENT TO USE OF EMERGENCY ADRENALINE AUTO-INJECTOR (AAI) {ONLY FOR CHILDREN PRESCRIBED AN AAI}

From 1 October 2017 the Human Medicines (Amendment) Regulations 2017 allowed schools to purchase adrenaline auto-injector (AAI) devices without a prescription, for emergency use in children who are at risk of anaphylaxis but their own device is not available or not working (e.g. because it is broken, or out-of- date).

The school's spare AAI should only be used on pupils known to be at risk of anaphylaxis, for whom both medical authorisation and written parental consent for use of the spare AAI has been provided.

The school's spare AAI can be administered to a pupil whose own prescribed AAI cannot be administered correctly without delay.

Wallington High School for Girls has purchased an emergency kit which is kept in the first aid room, but it **is** still important that you continue to supply a named adrenaline auto-injector (AAI) for your child, rather than relying on the emergency adrenaline auto-Injector.

This emergency adrenaline auto-injector will only be:

- Used in an emergency with the **prior written permission from a parent or guardian**
- Given to children diagnosed with an allergy and prescribed an adrenaline auto-injector

### Parental Consent

In the event of my child displaying symptoms of anaphylaxis and their adrenaline auto-injector is not available/ un-usable; I consent to my child receiving emergency treatment with the adrenaline auto-injector held by the school.

*Please tick as appropriate*

My child has been diagnosed with an allergy	
My child has been diagnosed with an allergy and has an adrenaline auto-injector	
My child has <b>not</b> been diagnosed with an allergy, but has been prescribed an adrenaline auto-injector	

**Student Name:**

**Form Group:**

**Signed:**

*Parent/Guardian*

**Name:**

*Please write name in block capitals*

**Date:**

**Please return this form to the school reception for the attention of the First Aid Officer or via email to [whsgfirstaid@wallingtongirls.org.uk](mailto:whsgfirstaid@wallingtongirls.org.uk)**