



Safari Camp Medication Protocol

If you are bringing any medication to camp with your child (including rescue inhalers and EpiPens), you must adhere to the following guidelines:

- Morning/evening dose of medications should be given before or after your child attends camp. Only medications with a dosage schedule that cannot be adjusted for camp hours should be administered during the day.
- ALL medications must be given to a Camp Supervisor by an adult. Prescription medications must be in the child’s name and in its original bottle. Adults should advise whether the medication should be returned at the end of each day or stay at the Zoo for the duration of camp.
- A medication authorization form must be filled out completely for each medication to be administered at camp. We will NOT administer medication without a completed form until we are able to reach a parent by phone.
- All medications must be in their original packaging and labeled with appropriate prescription, dosing and/or pharmaceutical information. Liquid medication must be accompanied with an appropriate measuring cup/syringe.
- We must have the child’s first and last name and exact time medication is to be given.
- We are unable to accept damaged/expired medications or loose medicine in unmarked packaging or give medication on an “as needed” basis.

MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION FORM – BLANK PARK ZOO SAFARI

Child First and Last Name: _____ Date: _____

Name of Medicine on the label: _____ Medicine dose on the label: _____

Time of last dose given: _____ Time of day medicine is to be given at camp: _____

Route of medicine as on the label: _____ Possible side effects: _____

Special instructions for giving medicine: _____

I verify that the above information is accurate and authorize Blank Park Zoo Safari Camp Staff to administer medication to the above child.

Signature _____ Date _____

NOTE TO PARENTS: Medications must be in their original packaging and clearly labeled with child’s first and last name and appropriate prescription, dosing and other pharmaceutical information. Liquid medications must be accompanied with an appropriate measuring cup/syringe. All non-emergency medications will be stored in a locked cabinet inside the Camp Office. We are unable to accept damaged/expired medications or loose medications in unmarked packaging, or medications on an “as needed” basis.

Record that medication was distributed (Time & Staff initials):

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM					
PM					

Signature that parent received medicine container at the end of camp: _____