HOLLAND TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

I wanted to take the time to remind you of a few important safety guidelines related to medication.

- Any medication (prescription or over the counter) should be kept out of reach of children.
- If there are controlled substances in the home, they should be locked and kept out of reach of children.
- If your child takes any medication at home, please make sure you witness your child taking the medication prior to school.
- Students cannot bring medication to school and administer it themselves. The only exception is if students have asthma or an allergy. If parents provide a doctor's order, that states the student is capable of self-administering their inhaler and/or epi pen, the student may carry this medication at school.
- Parents must drop off any controlled substance, such as Ritalin, Guanfacine, etc., to the nurse's office. Students cannot bring medication to school themselves.
- Dr. Curry has written a standing order for Tylenol and non-medicated cough drops. If you have not already completed the health forms in Genesis, please do so. This is where parents/guardians can provide parent permission for Tylenol and cough drops at school.

Thank you for taking the time to review these important safety reminders.

Sincerely

TJ Hirsch, RN School Nurse