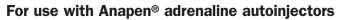
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Family/emergency contact name(s):

ACTION PLAN FOR Anaphylaxis



Name: _ Date of birth:

Confirmed allergens:

Work Ph: ____

Home Ph: ___

Dr:

Signed:

Date:

Mobile Ph: _____

Date of next review: ____

Plan prepared by:

MILD TO MODERATE ALLERGIC REACTION

- Swelling of lips, face, eyes
- Hives or welts
- Tingling mouth
- Abdominal pain, vomiting (these are signs of anaphylaxis for insect allergy)

ACTION FOR MILD TO MODERATE ALLERGIC REACTION

- For insect allergy, flick out sting if visible. Do not remove ticks.
- Stay with person and call for help.
- Locate Anapen®300 or Anapen®150 adrenaline autoinjector.
- Give other medications (if prescribed).....
- Phone family/emergency contact.

Mild to moderate allergic reactions may not always occur before anaphylaxis

Watch for <u>ANY ONE</u> of the following signs of anaphylaxis

ANAPHYLAXIS (SEVERE ALLERGIC REACTION)

- Difficult/noisy breathing
- Swelling of tongue
- Swelling/tightness in throat
- Difficulty talking and/or hoarse voice
- Wheeze or persistent cough
- Persistent dizziness or collapse
- Pale and floppy (young children)

ACTION FOR ANAPHYLAXIS

- **1** Lay person flat. Do not allow them to stand or walk. If breathing is difficult allow them to sit.
- 2 Give Anapen®300 or Anapen®150 adrenaline autoinjector.
- **3** Phone ambulance*: 000 (AU) or **111** (NZ).
- **4** Phone family/emergency contact.
- 5 Further adrenaline doses may be given if no response after 5 minutes, if another adrenaline autoinjector is available.

If in doubt, give adrenaline autoinjector

Commence CPR at any time if person is unresponsive and not breathing normally. Anapen®300 is generally prescribed for adults and children over 5 years.

Anapen®150 is generally prescribed for children aged 1-5 years.

*Medical observation in hospital for at least 4 hours is recommended after anaphylaxis.

IF UNCERTAIN WHETHER IT IS ANAPHYLAXIS OR ASTHMA

- · Give adrenaline autoinjector FIRST, then asthma reliever.
- If someone with known food or insect allergy suddenly develops severe asthma like symptoms, give adrenaline autoinjector FIRST, then asthma reliever.

Asthma: Y N Medication:

Instructions are also on the device label and at: www.allergy.org.au/anaphylaxis

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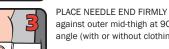
How to give Anapen®

I hereby authorise medications specified on this

plan to be administered according to the plan.



PULL OFF GREY SAFETY CAP from red button.



against outer mid-thigh at 90° angle (with or without clothing).

NOT touch needle. Massage injection site for 10 seconds.



PULL OFF BLACK

NEEDLE SHIELD.