



# TOWN CLOSE SCHOOL

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## Appendix 2 - Dealing with Asthma

Town Close School will:

- welcome pupils with asthma;
- recognise asthma as an important condition;
- encourage and help children with asthma to participate fully in school life;
- recognise the need for immediate access to inhalers;
- attempt to provide an environment as favourable as possible to asthmatic pupils;
- ensure all staff are aware of asthma and know what to do in the event of an attack;
- ensure all teachers are aware of the children with known asthma. A register of asthmatic children is maintained.
- inform parents of any attacks and any treatment given;

On entry, parents of pupils with asthma or those possibly asthmatic are asked to fill in Medicine form D, with all information and provide an in-date working inhaler. The location of the inhaler is detailed on the Asthma grid, sent to all staff by the First Aider. Other 'emergency' inhalers are available to all pupils with asthma and are kept in various locations throughout the School.