

Dear Parent/Guardian

Please complete and sign the attached Asthma Standard Health Care Plan (SHCP) for your child and return it to the community program. This health care plan is completed every year so the staff has current health information about your child.

The Unified Referral and Intake System (URIS) is a joint initiative of the provincial government departments of Health, Education and Family Services. URIS provides support for children with specific health care needs (e.g., asthma, life-threatening allergies, diabetes, seizures) when they are attending school, child care facility or other community programs. When a child is approved for URIS support, a registered nurse develops a health care plan and provides training to community program staff. The Winnipeg Regional Health Authority (WRHA) provides URIS support in your child's school/child care facility.

Your child's community program has requested the WRHA to provide URIS support for his/her asthma. The attached Standard Health Care Plan (SHCP) has been established by URIS and was developed through consultation with clinical experts. It is the recommended practice for responding to an asthma episode in community program settings.

It is important that we work together to support your child's health care needs and we appreciate the time and information that you have provided. Once you have returned the attached plan to the school/child care facility, I will review it and call you if I have any questions. The plan will be used by the staff to guide their response if your child experiences difficulty with his/her asthma.

If you have any questions about completing the plan, please call me.



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