



Here is a guide of our policy and our DCFS standards regarding medicine. In order for us to administer any medication to your child, here are the policies:

		What We Need
	<p><u>Over the Counter Medicine</u></p> <p>Tylenol</p> <p>Motrin</p> <p>Benadryl</p> <p>Cough Medicine</p>	<p>For over-the-counter drugs, we must follow the directions on the box. Most Children and Infants Tylenol/Motrin say “must consult the doctor under two years old.” We must have a doctor’s note with the dosage amount before we can give these drugs.</p> <p>This is to prevent overdosage.</p> <p>Per state standard, we cannot administer drugs to a child to reduce a fever. The child must be fever free in order for us to provide care or administer meds.</p> <p>Our Medicine Sheet must also be completed for the dates the medicine is needed only.</p>
	<p><u>Prescription Medicine</u></p> <p>Examples:</p> <p>Any antibiotic</p> <p>Eye drops</p> <p>Breathing Treatments</p>	<p>For prescription drugs, the prescription either has to be on the bottle with the child's name, dosage and frequency <u>or</u> we must have a copy of the prescription for our files.</p> <p>We will not be able to administer the drugs without the requirements.</p> <p>Our Medicine Sheet must also be completed for the dates the medicine is needed only.</p>



Child's Name _____

Date _____

Age _____

Per DCFS standards, we may only administer over the counter medicine to children under 2 with a doctor's note specific to the child.

Medicine	Dosage	Frequency	Additional notes
Tylenol (Acetaminophen)			
Advil/Motrin (Ibuprofen)			
Benadryl (diphenhydramine)			

Medical Professional Signature _____

Thank you,
Siblings and Company Staff