

Cobtree Playschool for Special Children

Maidstone Mencap Charitable Trust Ltd

Individual Care Plan For the administration of

Emergency Medication for Seizures

Child's Name:

DOB:

Address:

Parent/Carer Name:

Telephone:

Telephone:

Parent/Carer Name:

Telephone:

Telephone:

Usual daily medications (all)

Name:

dose:

frequency:

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Emergency medication: Precautions:

In these circumstances emergency medication should NOT be given... e.g. another medication has been given within the last _____ mins/hours

Seizure classification- description of the seizures which require emergency medication:

(record all details of the seizures e.g. goes stiff, falls, convulses down both sides...convulsions last 3 minutes etc... include information regarding potential triggers, recovery times etc...**If status epilepticus** please note whether it is convulsive(tonic clonic), focal impaired awareness, absence....)

Type 1.

Usual duration of seizure type 1.

Type 2.

Usual duration of seizure type 2.

Type 3.

Usual duration of seizure type 3.

Other useful information:

Treatment plan:

Name of medication:

Initial Dosage: (how much medication is given initially/ how is the medication presented- containers/ how is this medication given ?)

When should the medication be administered? (Include whether it is after a certain length of time or number of seizures).

Type 1.

Type 2.

Type 3.

What are the usual reaction/s to this emergency medication?

If there are difficulties in the administration of the medication (e.g. In the case of rectal diazepam-constipation/ diarrhoea, or the production of too much saliva for buccal) **what action should be taken?**

Can a second dose of emergency medication be given?

After how long can a second dose be given?

How much medication be given as a second dose?

It is our policy to dial 999 for emergency help whenever it is necessary to administer emergency medication for seizures.

Parents/ carers will be informed immediately of our action.

Only our supervisory staff, first aid trained and qualified in the administration of emergency medication will give and witness the administration of the required medication.

