

KH/EBG/TM/EpiPen

20th October 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,



Barr Beacon School

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Important Reminder – EpiPen in School

Our school medical records indicate that your child has been identified as requiring an adrenaline auto-injector (EpiPen) due to a known allergy. To ensure your child's safety and wellbeing whilst at school, we would like to remind you of the importance of ensuring that **your child brings their prescribed EpiPen to school every day.**

Please ensure that:

- Your child carries their EpiPen in their school bag every day, so that it is readily accessible in the event of an allergic reaction.
- The expiry date is checked regularly, and any EpiPens approaching expiry are replaced promptly.
- The EpiPen is checked regularly to ensure it is in good condition and stored in accordance with the manufacturer's guidance.
- The school is informed immediately of any changes to your child's allergies, medication or medical needs.

Anaphylaxis is a serious allergic reaction that can occur unexpectedly. Having access to prescribed emergency medication is essential to ensuring that staff can respond quickly and appropriately should an emergency arise.

We appreciate your support in helping us maintain a safe environment for all pupils. Please take a moment to check your child's EpiPen and ensure they have their prescribed medication with them each school day.

If you have any questions or need to update your child's medical information, please contact Mrs Busby-Gannon at postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk

Yours sincerely,

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