

# Seizure Action Plan

Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_

**This student is being treated for a seizure disorder. The information below should assist you if a seizure occurs during school hours.**

Student's Name	Date of Birth	
Parent/Guardian	Phone	Cell
Other Emergency Contact	Phone	Cell
Treating Physician	Phone	
Significant Medical History		

## Seizure Information

Seizure Type	Length	Frequency	Description

Seizure triggers or warning signs: \_\_\_\_\_ Student's response after a seizure: \_\_\_\_\_

## Basic First Aid: Care & Comfort

Please describe basic first aid procedures:

Does student need to leave the classroom after a seizure?  Yes  No  
If YES, describe process for returning student to classroom: \_\_\_\_\_

## Basic Seizure First Aid

- Stay calm & track time
  - Keep child safe
  - Do not restrain
  - Do not put anything in mouth
  - Stay with child until fully conscious
  - Record seizure in log
- For tonic-clonic seizure:**
- Protect head
  - Keep airway open/watch breathing
  - Turn child on side

## Emergency Response

A "seizure emergency" for this student is defined as:

### Seizure Emergency Protocol

(Check all that apply and clarify below)

- Contact school nurse at \_\_\_\_\_
- Call 911 for transport to \_\_\_\_\_
- Notify parent or emergency contact
- Administer emergency medications as indicated below
- Notify doctor
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

### A seizure is generally considered an emergency when:

- Convulsive (tonic-clonic) seizure lasts longer than 5 minutes
- Student has repeated seizures without regaining consciousness
- Student is injured or has diabetes
- Student has a first-time seizure
- Student has breathing difficulties
- Student has a seizure in water

## Treatment Protocol During School Hours (include daily and emergency medications)

Emerg. Med. ✓	Medication	Dosage & Time of Day Given	Common Side Effects & Special Instructions

Does student have a **Vagus Nerve Stimulator**?  Yes  No If YES, describe magnet use: \_\_\_\_\_

## Special Considerations and Precautions (regarding school activities, sports, trips, etc.)

Describe any special considerations or precautions:

Physician Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Seizure Record

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Agency \_\_\_\_\_  
 Physician (Neurologist) \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR  DAY   
 MONTH

		YEAR	DAY	MONTH
<b>Description</b>	Conscious			
	Unconscious			
	Confused			
	Fell			
	Became limp			
	Became stiff			
	Flush			
	Pale			
	Cyanotic/blue			
	Jerking			
<b>Body Movements</b>	Twitching face			
	Chewing motion			
	Tongue biting			
	Excessive drooling			
	Eyes rolled back			
	Eyes staring			
	Eyes blinking			
	Wet bed/self			
	Bowel movement/seizure			
	<b>Behavior After Seizure</b>	Sleepy/tired		
Alert				
Confused				
Headache				
Temporary paralysis				
Unsteady walking				
Slurred speech				
Increased activity				
Unusual activity				
<b>Time of Day</b>				
<b>Duration (# min.)</b>				
<b>Staff Initials</b>				