

Administrative Directive Title: Medication Administration for Pancreatic Insufficiency or Cystic Fibrosis	AD Number: 6.405.2	Adopted: November 2024
Policy References: Board Policy 6.405 - Medication	Revised:	

- 1 *General*
- 2 In accordance with T.C.A. § 49-50-1601, a student diagnosed with pancreatic insufficiency or cystic
- 3 fibrosis may be permitted to self-manage prescribed pancreatic enzyme therapy in the manner directed
- 4 by the licensed healthcare provider without additional assistance or direction. With written authorization
- 5 from the healthcare provider and parent, a student with pancreatic insufficiency or cystic fibrosis shall
- 6 be allowed to carry and self-administer prescribed pancreatic enzymes.
- 7 The school nurse will work with the student’s parent/guardian to draft an individualize health plan that
- 8 is child-specific and includes:
- 9 • A written format for nursing assessment that includes health status, risks, concerns, and strengths;
 - 10 • Nursing diagnoses;
 - 11 • Interventions;
 - 12 • Delegation;
 - 13 • Training;
 - 14 • Expected outcomes; and
 - 15 • Goals to meet the healthcare needs of a student with pancreatic insufficiency or cystic fibrosis
 - 16 and protect the safety of all students from the misuse and abuse of medication.

Legal References
 TCA 49-50-1601
Guidelines for Healthcare in a School Setting,
 Office of Coordinated School Health, June 2023