

IS YOUR SCHOOL **ASTHMA** FRIENDLY?

82%

of asthma hospitalizations for Michigan students happen during the school year



1 in 13

Michigan students with asthma miss more than 6 days of school each year due to asthma

When asthma is under control, ER and hospital visits should rarely be needed!



GET THE FACTS!

Schools can help keep students with asthma in class and breathing easy!

- ✓ Visit Michigan.gov/asthma
- ✓ Learn what to do for symptoms
- ✓ Track down Asthma Action Plans
- ✓ Find & remove triggers

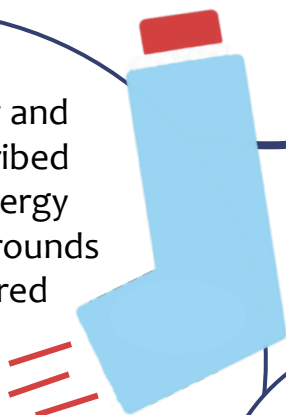
When asthma is under control, students are healthy, ready to learn, and should rarely miss school!

Michigan law:

Students can carry and self-administer prescribed asthma inhalers and allergy medications on school grounds and during school sponsored activities, yet

34%

of Michigan students with asthma aged 10-17 say they are **not allowed to carry their medication with them at school!**



only 49%

of Michigan students with asthma have an Asthma Action Plan on file at school

All students with asthma should have an Asthma Action Plan on file at school!