

FOOD ALLERGIES AND ANAPHYLAXIS

SAMPLE CHECKLIST FOR QUALITY IMPROVEMENT MONITORING

- Systematically collect data on types of allergies, number and reasons for occurrences (incidence), and management of food allergies/allergies
- Systematically collect data on emergency response for food allergy exposures and anaphylaxis
 - Develop a data tracking tool to include:
 - Student's name
 - Those involved
 - How the student was exposed to the allergen
 - What was the response (timing of the response, was EAI provided, number of EAI doses, 911/emergency services notified)
 - What was the student outcome (hospitalized, returned home, returned to school)
- Conduct post-event debriefing following all food allergy and anaphylaxis events
 - Review the data tracking form
 - Identify gaps in protocol
 - Identify other concerns
- Revise school policy and protocols as indicated per post-event debriefing
- At least annually review, and update as needed, school policy, programs, and protocols related to food allergies and anaphylaxis
 - Review the goal of school policy, programs, and protocols
 - Review trends
 - Review gaps in protocol
 - Identify issues