# Types of medications

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| **MEDICALLY AUTHORISED FOR A SPECIFIC STUDENT** |
| **Type of medication** | **Description** | **Examples**  |
| **Routine**  | Short term | Required over a short period of time for the treatment of an acute condition e.g. infection.  | * antibiotics
* ointments
* eye drops
* ear drops
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| Long term | Required over a long period of time for the ongoing management of a specific disorder (e.g. attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, schizophrenia) or health condition (e.g. cystic fibrosis, epilepsy, diabetes, asthma). | * Ritalin
* enzyme tablets
* insulin
* anti-epileptic medications
* risperidone
* medicinal cannabis
* asthma preventer
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| **As needed** | As a non-emergency response | Required as a non-emergency response to certain symptoms (e.g. rash, irritated eyes) in accordance with a medication order. | * antihistamines
* topical creams/ointments for allergies
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| As an emergency response | Required as an emergency response for medical conditions (e.g. epilepsy, anaphylaxis, asthma) in accordance with a medication order / health plan / written instructions from a prescribing health practitioner. | * Midazolam
* adrenaline auto-injector
* asthma reliever
* Solu-Cortef
* GlucaGen
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