**UPPER PERKIOMEN DISTRICT POLICY**

Administration of Tylenol, Ibuprofen (Advil/Motrin), and other Medication

Please be advised: Tylenol and Advil/Motrin will not be administered to any student unless we have in our files a written note **signed by a licensed physician,** which indicates the dosage and time schedule. This regulation is for the health safety of the child. Analgesics may mask the true symptoms of a serious medical problem and postpone treatment. Special medication or prescriptions that must be given to students during school hours will be administered only when we have specific written directions signed by a licensed physician and the medication is provided. The label on the container from the pharmacy is not sufficient. The written note from your physician is maintained with your child’s health record. Special medications are to be brought to school by the parent/guardian, and must be in the original pharmacy container (or manufacturer’s container for over-the-counter medicines). **Medication in baggies, aluminum foil, envelopes, old pill bottles or other family members’ bottles is not acceptable and will not be administered.** Please feel free to contact Mrs. Lundquist with any questions or concerns at 215-541-7125.