



Tameside and Glossop
Community and Priority Services NHS Trust

Child Health/Community - School Information Card

Epilepsy

NAME: DATE OF BIRTH:

ADDRESS:

SCHOOL:

SCHOOL DOCTOR: SCHOOL NURSE:

PARENT CONTACT NO:

GP NAME AND TEL. NO:

CONSULTANT(S): HOSPITAL TEL. NO:

TYPE OF SEIZURE:

EXPECTED PRESENTATION:

HOW LONG DO THEY USUALLY LAST?



*ARE THERE ANY TRIGGERS/AURAS KNOWN? IF YES, CAN AVOIDING STEPS BE TAKEN?
PLEASE NOTE THEM.*

EXPECTED FREQUENCY OF SEIZURE(S)

WHAT ACTION TO TAKE DURING SEIZURE

DO

1. Cushion the head.
2. Remove objects which may harm, if possible.
3. Loosen tight clothing.
4. When able to do so, put person in Recovery Position (*see over*)
5. Reassure.
6. Make Comfortable

DON'T

1. Put anything in the mouth.
2. Give food or drink.
3. Do not call doctor/ambulance unless:-
 - a) one seizure follows another without properly regaining consciousness.
 - b) seizure lasts more than a few minutes.
 - c) it is the first known attack.
4. Do not restrict movement

WHAT AFTER-EFFECTS AND RECOVERY TIME MAY BE EXPECTED?

ACTION TO BE TAKEN FOLLOWING ATTACK

DETAIL OF MEDICATION REQUIRED

DETAILS OF ANY EXPECTED SIDE EFFECTS OF MEDICATION

DETAILS OF ANY LIMITATIONS IMPOSED BY THIS CONDITION WHILST CHILD IS IN SCHOOL

COMMENTS