

Medication forms

At Mogghill we believe that if an unwell child needs medication, the best place for it is at home. However, we will administer medicines that are needed e.g. asthma inhalers, for the child's well being on a daily basis.

We will need to know:

- Why, when and how much medicine a child needs
- Verbal, practical and written instructions by parent/carers on administering medicine, and their permission to do so.

We will:

- Record details of dosage e.g. date, time, amount and by whom, plus witnessed by
- Medicine will be kept out of reach of children and away from sunlight. Medicine must be clearly labeled with name of child
- Inform parents / carers after each session if medicines were administered. If there were any difficulty in doing so they would be informed straight away by telephone.
- For a diabetic we would keep a daily diary of what they eat, and how they felt, to assist the child's parent gauge the dosage of medicine required. We would also work with and take advice from the local diabetic nurse.