## **MEDICATION ON NESIAH**

Each Senior Staff bus leader will have a comprehensive medical kit per bus, with over-the-counter medications for common ailments, band aids and bandages, an EpiPen etc. Senior staff bus leaders will have the medical forms for each student on their bus.

Students are permitted to carry their own over the counter medication if they have parental permission to do so.

**If a student is taking prescription medication**, this needs to be placed in a named, clear zip lock bag, with a copy of the original script (or letter from a doctor) for each of the medications in the zip lock bag. There should be enough medication to last the duration of the 5-week program – an extra week is advised (Australian scripts cannot be filled in Israel). The zip lock bag needs to be handed in to the senior staff bus leader on the student's bus, to be kept in the medical kit. These may be dropped off at the BJE/UJEB offices OR handed to the relevant senior staff member at the airport.

Regarding administration of prescription medication – there are two options:

- I. A student may keep a weeks' worth of medication on them and self-administer according to the script/s.
- II. A student may leave all medication with the senior staff member on their bus, who will administer the medication as per the script/s.

## Please confirm, in writing, which option your child will take.

\*\*It is highly recommended that your child brings a course of broad-spectrum anti biotics with them on the program. Please speak to your doctor about which one they recommend should your child get sick enough to need it. These can also be placed in a named zip lock bag and kept by the senior staff bus leader. Administration will be with your permission.