



American Lung Association Tip Sheet: Peak Flow Meter Readings & Physical Activity Notes

Color	Peak Flow Reading	Physical Activity Notes
Green	80-100%	Full participation
Yellow	50-80%	 student should take rescue inhaler as prescribed modified participation inquire about pre-medication increase warm-up and cool-down periods, etc., per student's Asthma Action Plan
Red	less than 50%	Medical Alert: • student should take rescue inhaler as prescribed • may require emergency protocol • check student's Asthma Action Plan • no physical activity • if student improves after taking medication as prescribed, include student in activities such as time- or scorekeeper