



Take-Home Activity Medication Safety

This is an activity to teach your child about medicines:

These sticker labels are available for sale at Katy's On-line Store at www.katyskids.com.



What to do at home with your child:

- ✓ Label all medications in your home with the above 'Medicine' label
- ✓ Explain what makes the product you labeled a medicine.
- ✓ Explain why you do not label certain items in your home as medicines.
- ✓ Does the medicine help keep someone well or is it used when someone is sick?
- ✓ Who is the medicine for? Only that person should ever take the particular medication.
- ✓ Explain that the medicine is NOT candy.
- ✓ Explain that your child can only take a medicine if it is given to them by you or an adult who you approve.
- ✓ Medicines can be dangerous if not taken correctly.
- ✓ Speak with your pharmacist about medications. Pharmacists are medicine experts.