Use Inhaled Corticosteroids
Use a Written Asthma Action Plan
Assess Asthma Severity
Assess and Monitor Asthma Control
Schedule Periodic Asthma Visits
Control Environmental Exposures

These priority messages are from National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute’s National Asthma Education and Prevention Program Guidelines Implementation Panel Report for EPR-3
www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/asthma/gip_rpt.htm
Asthma Resources

- **NEEF’s Pediatric Asthma Initiative**
  Integrating environmental management of asthma into pediatric medical and nursing education and practice.
  www.neefusa.org/health/asthma

- **NEEF’s Environmental Management of Pediatric Asthma: Guidelines for Health Care Providers**

- **NHLBI’s National Asthma Education and Prevention Program (NAEPP)**
  Educating patients, health professionals and the public to address the growing problem of asthma in the United States.
  www.nhlbi.nih.gov/about/org/naepp

- **NAEPP’s Expert Panel Report 3: Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of Asthma (EPR-3)**
  www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health-pro/guidelines/current/asthma-guidelines

- **NAEPP’s National Asthma Control Initiative**
  Improving asthma control through program development, monitoring and evaluation.
  www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health-pro/resources/lung/naci