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## Rider's Medical History and Health Care Provider's Statement

To be completed by applicant's health care provider (MD, DO, NP or LPN). Please type or print.  
 Use black or blue ink.

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis \_\_\_\_\_ Age of onset \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

*Please list current and past special needs in the following areas by checking YES or NO. If YES, please include complete information, including surgical history, pertaining to the situation. Attach an additional page if needed.*

SPECIAL NEED	YES	NO	IF YES, OR HISTORY OF, DESCRIBE
Auditory Impairment			
Attention Deficit / Hyperactivity			
Learning Disability			
Mental Impairment			
Psychological Impairment			
Speech Impairment			
Visual Impairment			Glasses / Contacts:
Allergies			Type of Reaction
Cardiac			
Circulatory			
Gastrointestinal			
Gastrostomy			
Pulmonary			
Asthma / COPD			
Neurological			
Hydrocephalus/ Shunt			
Balance Impairment			
Sensory Loss			
Hypertonicity			
Hypotonicity			
Urological			
Incontinence			
Indwelling Catheter			
Muscular			
Contractures			
Skeletal			
Spinal Column Injury			
Subluxing or Dislocating Joints			
Laminectomy			
Spinal Fusion			
Scoliosis – Degree / Type / Brace/ Last X-Ray			
Spondylolisthesis			
Osteoporosis			
Heterotrophic Ossification			
Fractures			Location?      Healed?
Other			

**For Persons with Down Syndrome**

Current clinical exam on \_\_\_\_\_(date) reveals no symptoms symptoms of Atlantoaxial Instability.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Medications:** (type, purpose, dose, list additional on back of form): \_\_\_\_\_

**Seizure Type (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_ Controlled \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Seizure \_\_\_\_\_ Comments \_\_\_\_\_

**Mobility Status:**

Ambulatory: yes no Assistive Device: can crutches walker

Prosthetic/Orthotics: yes no If yes, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate special precautions: \_\_\_\_\_

**IN MY OPINION, THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE CAN PARTICIPATE IN (CIRCLE ONE):**

SUPERVISED GROUND AND/OR MOUNTED EQUESTRIAN ACTIVITIES.

SUPERVISED EQUESTRIAN GROUND ACTIVITIES ONLY

I HAVE REVIEWED THE LISTED PRECAUTIONS AND CONTRAINDICATIONS AND ANY DESCRIPTIVE MATERIALS ENCLOSED. THIS FORM IS VALID FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE SIGNED.

Health Care Provider's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Health Care Provider's Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_ UPIN or License # \_\_\_\_\_

Health Care Provider's Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Health Care Provider's Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*Only signatures of MD'S, DO'S, LPN'S OR NP'S are accepted\*\*\***

**INFORMATION FOR PHYSICIANS**

The following conditions may suggest precautions and contraindications to equine activities. Therefore, when completing this form, please note whether these conditions are present and to what degree.

**Orthopedic**

- Atlantoaxial or other cervical instability – including neurologic symptoms
- Activity limiting arthritis
- Cranial Deficits
- Heterotopic Ossification/Myositis Ossificans (activity limiting)
- Joint subluxation/dislocation
- Osteoporosis
- Pathologic Fractures
- Spinal Fusion/Fixation
- Spinal Instability/Abnormalities

- Medical Instability
- Migraines
- PVD Respiratory Compromise
- Recent Surgeries
- Substance Abuse
- Thought Control Disorders
- Weight Control Disorder

**Neurologic**

- Hydrocephalus/Shunt
- Seizure
- Spina Bifida/Chiari II Malformation/Tethered Cord/Hydromyelia

**Other**

- Age – under 4 years'
- Indwelling Catheters
- Medications - photosensitivity, balance, memory, dizziness, judgement
- Poor endurance
- Skin Breakdown

**Medical/Psychological**

- Allergies
- Animal Abuse
- Physical/Sexual/Emotional Abuse
- Blood Pressure Control
- Dangerous to self or others
- Exacerbations of medical conditions
- Fire Settings
- Hemophilia