



Request for Continuation of Coverage for Handicapped Child

Employee Instructions:

- Complete sections 1 through 8 on this form.
- Please print the information requested, with the exception of the signature section.
- Ask your physician to complete the Attending Physician's Statement and return the form to you.
- Send or fax this completed form along with the completed Attending Physician's Statement to: **Aetna**

**PO Box 981106
El Paso, TX 79998-1106
FAX: 859-455-8650**

You and your employer will be notified of the denial or approval of this request.

Note:

Aetna has the right to:

- Require proof of the continuation of the handicap.
- Examine or require examination of your child (at his/her/your own expense) as often as needed while the handicap continues.
- Require an exam no more than each year after 2 years from the date your child reached the maximum age.

Continuation of coverage will cease on the first to occur of:

- Cessation of handicap.
- Failure to give proof that the handicap continues.
- Failure to have any required exam.
- Termination of your dependent child coverage for a reason other than reaching the maximum age.

1. Employee Information	Name _____ Aetna ID Number _____																			
	Address (street, city, state, zip code) _____																			
2. Employer Information	Name _____	Policy Number _____ Effective Date of Coverage _____																		
3. Prior Plan Information	Was the dependent previously covered under the employee's plan? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes If Yes, date prior plan started _____ ended _____	Name and Telephone Number of Prior Carrier _____																		
4. Employee Statement	I represent that, to the best of my knowledge and beliefs, the statement and answers made by me on this form are complete and correct. I understand that continuation of coverage for a handicapped dependent is subject to approval by Aetna based on the applicable health benefits plan and the documentation submitted to Aetna in support of this request for continuation of coverage. Employee's Signature _____ Date _____																			
5. Physician Information	Attending Physician's Name _____																			
	Attending Physician's Address (street, city, state, zip code) _____																			
	Attending Physician's Telephone Number _____																			
6. Employee Signature and Release	To all providers of health care: You are authorized to provide Aetna Life Insurance Company or one of its affiliated companies ("Aetna"), and any independent claims administrators, consulting health professionals and utilization review organizations with whom Aetna has contracted, information concerning health care advice, treatment or supplies provided to the patient (including that relating to mental illness and/or AIDS/ARC/HIV). This information will be used to evaluate a request for coverage. This authorization is valid for the term of the plan under which a claim has been submitted. I know that I have a right to receive a copy of this authorization upon request and agree that a photographic copy of this authorization is as valid as the original. Employee's Signature _____ Date _____																			
7. Dependent Information	Name _____	Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY) _____ Social Security Number _____																		
	Relationship to Employee: _____																			
8. Handicap Child Information	When did the incapacity start? <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Incapacity Date _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Incapacity Date _____																			
	Schools or Jobs																			
	Has this dependent been attending school or a training facility since reaching the limiting age of the plan? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Education Level Reached _____	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">List Schools/Facilities Attended Name of School/Facility</th> <th colspan="2">Dates (mm/dd/yyyy)</th> <th rowspan="2">Custodial Care Facility</th> </tr> <tr> <th>From</th> <th>To</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	List Schools/Facilities Attended Name of School/Facility	Dates (mm/dd/yyyy)		Custodial Care Facility	From	To	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	_____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Work History

Has dependent been working?
 Yes No If Yes, provide the name of the employer and the dates of employment:

Name	Dates of Employment	Hours worked weekly	Hourly Wage	Description of duties
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

If No, how does the dependent's incapacity prevent employment?

Living Arrangements

Does dependent live at home?
 Yes No If No, where does the dependent live? _____

Financial Support

Do you regularly provide more than one-half the financial support for this dependent? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If No, please explain: _____	Do you claim this person as a dependent for Federal Income Tax purposes? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is this dependent eligible for any other privately or publicly funded health benefits? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If Yes, please explain: _____	

9. Misrepresentation

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Si necesita asistencia lingüística en español, llámenos al número que figura en su tarjeta de identificación (ID) médica.

如需中文协助，请拨打您医疗 ID 卡上的电话号码与我们联系。

Para sa tulong sa wikang Tagalog, tawagan kami sa numero na nasa iyong Medical na ID card.

Dinék'ehjí t'áá háida shíká adoolwoł nínízingo, azee'ál'ííjí naaltsoos nit'izí béésh bee hane'é biká'ígííjí' béésh bee hodílnih.

Do you need this letter in another language? Call us.



Handicapped Child Attending Physician's Statement/ Behavioral Health Attending Physician's Statement

Please print the information requested, with the exception of the signature section.

Employee Instructions:

- Complete sections 1-3.

Attending Physician Instructions:

- Complete sections 4-6 and return the completed form to the employee.

1. Employer Information

Name (as shown on ID card)	Policy/Group Number
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2. Employee Information

Name	ID Number	Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY)
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3. Dependent Child Information

Name	Birth Date (MM/DD/YYYY)
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4. Physician's Statement

For medical conditions, please complete section A below.

For behavioral health conditions, please complete sections A and B below.

For all conditions, you may refer to section C below, *Use of the Social Security Disability Guidelines*, to quantify an individual's disability or handicap.

A. Medical and Behavioral Health conditions:

I. **Diagnosis(es):** _____

II. **Date of onset of the handicap:** _____

III. **Objective findings that substantiate impairment:**

IV. **Please provide any additional clinical information that supports how the individual's handicap prevents employment (applicable to individuals over age 18):**

B. Behavioral Health conditions , please provide:

I. **The individual's IQ score** _____ **and,**

II. **A functional assessment. Include communication ability, presence of intrusive psychiatric symptoms, stability, response to treatment and prognosis** (continue on a separate page if necessary): _____

C. Use of the Social Security Disability Guidelines:

To quantify an individual's disability or handicap, refer to the Social Security disability guidelines found at:
www.ssa.gov/disability/professionals/bluebook/ChildhoodListings.htm (for dependents age 18 and younger) **OR**
www.ssa.gov/disability/professionals/bluebook/AdultListings.htm (for dependents over age 18).

Using the appropriate set of guidelines, select the individual's affected body system(s). If your patient qualifies, please document the corresponding "listing" from the guidelines under which the handicap(s) falls.

Note: Satisfying the Social Security listing level impairment requirements does not ensure a determination of disability or handicap under the individual's Aetna plan. These Guidelines are only offered as a means to solicit submission of appropriate clinical information.

Documentation on this form should include:

I. **Diagnosis(es):** _____

II. **Listing number(s):** _____

Documents and medical records showing how the individual qualifies under a Social Security Disability listing must be submitted with this form.

5. Attending Physician Contact Information (required)

Attending Physician's Name, Telephone Number and Address (include street, city, state, zip code)	
Attending Physician's Signature (required)	Date

6. Other Treating Physicians

Please list the name, address and telephone number of other physicians or other health care providers you are aware of who are currently treating this individual for his or her mental or physical incapacity.

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