



Disability Annexure A

DISABILITY ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Applicants who are currently receiving the funding for students with disabilities do not need to submit this Annexure. Should the nature of your disability change over the term of study, and if this impacts directly on your ability to participate in your educational programme, then you will need to submit updated details and a full medical/rehabilitation report from a certified professional. Failure to provide the information requested on all pages will render this application incomplete.

Please complete in detail, in legible handwriting with certification and verification by a registered healthcare professional or disability support office (where indicated). Please see notes at the end of this document for more information regarding the completion of the form. This form should accompany your application for financial assistance if you have indicated that you have a disability. All information contained in this form will remain with the university/university of technology and/or NSFAS only and will remain confidential.

FIRST NAMES (in full, as per your ID document)																			
SURNAME (as per your ID document)																			
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Disability information:

This section could be completed by a certified, professionally registered medical doctor or other appropriately qualified professional viz. optometrist, physiotherapist, disability unit head), who can confirm the disability status of the student and state what support the student requires and how the student would benefit from the support proposed.

		in the section below. n and explanation of the	disabilities.	(please mark with a						
Blind	deaf	Deaf-Blind	Hearing Impaired	Physical Disability	Neurodevelopmental Disabilities					
Chronic Illness	Deaf	Hard of Hearing	Partially-Sighted	Psychosocial Disabilities	Any other Disability					

Please provide further details if you have a disability not mentioned above: (Please give detailed explanation and provide a medical report from a medical practitioner)

Psychosocial and neuro-developmental disability - please describe the nature of the support required (a detailed report, not older than 3 years from a registered Psychologist or Psychiatrist will need to be provided to support this application).

Chronic Illness - please describe the nature of the support required by the student (a detailed recent medical report from a registered medical practitioner will need to be provided to support this application explaining how the condition impacts on the teaching and learning process of the student).

Details of Practitioner: (if completed by the Disability Unit (DU), this form must be completed by the Head of the Unit. The additional medical reports required must accompany this form where appropriate)

Please give details as to how the support requested will benefit the student (this section to be completed by the DU):

DATE	
SIGNATURE	

YOUR ID NUMBER

ORGANISATION STAMP

Explanation of disability:

Washington Group	Category of Disability	Description Of Disability						
Sensory Disability	Blind	No functional vision						
	Partially-sighted	Functional vision with limitations that may be reduced through the use of electronic or manual low-vision devices. (Vision cannot be fully corrected through the use of prescriptive lenses)						
	Deaf (capital D)	Little or no hearing: generally makes use of South African Sign Languages (SASL) and typically subscribes to Deaf Culture						
	deaf (lower case d)	Little or no hearing, do not make use of Sign language as a medium of communication, makes use of various means of communication such as speech, speech reading/cochlear implants or a combination of these. Aligns with impairment/disability and the hearing world.						
	Hearing Impaired	None, little or some hearing: generally makes use of appropriate hearing technology e.g. Cochlear Implants, Hearing Aids, and other assistive listening/living devices and typically uses verbal communication. Align themselves with impairment and the hearing world.						
	Hard of Hearing	Persons with different degrees of hearing loss, who do not align with impairment and disability.						
	Deaf-Blind	No functional vision and no hearing						
Specific Learning / Developmental Disability	Neurodevelopmental Disabilities	Intellectual Disabilities Communication Disabilities, Language and Speech Disability (e.g. stuttering), Autism Spectrum Disorder, Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), Specific Learning Disabilities						
Psychosocial / Psychiatric Disabilities	Psychosocial Disability	Such as Depression, Schizophrenia						
Physical Disability	Physical Disability	Loss of a limb or makes use of crutches, Wheelchair User, Person with Cerebral Palsy						
	Chronic Illness	A long standing medical condition /illness that affects daily functioning. Such as Chronic Heart Condition, Chronic Diabetes Cancer						
Any disability not mentioned above	Give details	Any disability not mentioned above						
Physical Disability of a Temporary Nature	Temporary Disability: disability not longer than 6 months	Physical Disability of a Temporary Nature						

Call NSFAS on 08000 67327

You may also visit your nearest university/TVET college financial aid office for assistance.

For information on where to drop your form, please contact NSFAS or the NYDA head office on 0800 52 52 52

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GF Shop 125, Sanlam Plaza, Cnr Maitland and East Burger Street, Bloemfontein Shop P 18a Piazza (Landmarks: African Bank & Sanlam), Golden Acre, Adderley Street, Cape Town Ground Floor, Smart Exchange Building, 5 Walnut Road (Cnr. Dr. AB Xuma), Durban 2nd floor, FNB Building, Oxford street, East London Shop 3 Pavillion Centre 19 - 21 Botha Avenue, Witbank Cnr. Main and Bull Road, Old Museum building 17 Diagonal Street, Old JSE Building, Ground Floor, Newtown, Johannesburg Old Telkom Building, 64-70 De Toit Span Building, Kimberley 60 Schoeman Street, Shop 10, Crescent Building, Polokwane Kwantu Towers, Ground floor, Govern Mbeki Avenue, Market Square, Port Elizabeth 39 Heystek Street; Next to SARS, Rustenburg Shop no2, Game Park Centre, Horwood Street, Secunda Thulamela Information Center, Punda Maria Road, Thohoyandou 429 Shoburg Building, Stanza Bopape Street Office no 7 & 8 Imbizo Place, Samora Machel Drive, Mbombela 2127 Old Potchefstroom Road, Klipspruit, Soweto