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# Office of Disability Services Disability Verification Record

## Hearing Impairments

To determine eligibility and ensure provision of appropriate academic accommodations through the Office of Disability Services, STCC requires students to provide current, comprehensive documentation of disability. The Americans with Disabilities Act defines a disability as a physical or mental impairment that *substantially* limits one or more major life activities. Comprehensive documentation includes a diagnosis, severity and limitations to functional activities. Documentation must be completed by an appropriately credentialed practitioner (who is an impartial individual and not a family member of the student).

**Consent for Release of Information** (to be completed by the student)

I, _____, authorize the release of the following information to the Office of Disability Services at STCC to be used to determine my eligibility for academic accommodations.

_____

Street Address City State Zip

_____ (____)_____

Student Signature Date of Birth Student ID # Phone

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## Disability Verification (to be completed in full by the appropriately credentialed practitioner)

Please note the final determination of appropriate academic accommodations will be decided by the STCC Office of Disability Services in accordance with the mandates of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Primary Diagnosis(es):_____

Does this condition substantially limit the student? Yes No

Date of original diagnosis: _____ Date of last office visit: _____

**Please attach a copy of student's most recent audiogram/audiology report.**

What is the student's primary mode of communication? _____

What is the expected duration of this condition? _____

Describe the symptoms associated with this diagnosis exhibited by the student: _____

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Identify how this condition may affect the student in an academic setting:

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List any assistive technology and/or adaptive equipment currently being used, including brand name, model number and a brief description of the equipment and suggestions for adaptive equipment in the classroom.

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What supports do you recommend that would assist this student in an academic setting (i.e., time-and-a-half for testing, distraction-reduced testing environment, etc.)?

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(Functional limitation) (Recommendation)

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***Optional:***

List current medication(s) and ***identify how the medication might adversely impact the student in an academic setting:***

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Please provide any additional information that would be helpful in providing support to the student:

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Printed Name of Credentialed Practitioner: _____

Area of Specialty: _____

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Street Address City State Zip

_____(____)_____

Signature Date Phone

**Please attach a copy of your business card and send any additional supporting documentation to:**

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