

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES
Medical Evaluation of an Adult in a Foster or Adoptive Home

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Name of Person Examined: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ How long have you been treating this patient? _____

This form will aid the Department in determining the physical wellness and capabilities of adults in foster or adoptive homes who are or may be caring for children. Please complete the following summary of health problems, conditions, and medication use that may affect the adult's ability to maintain alertness, endurance, and performance of tasks and responsibilities associated with caring for up to six children, ages 0 to 18 now and for the foreseeable future (five to ten years).

I. HISTORY

1. Check any health problems:

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|--|--|--|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression | <input type="checkbox"/> Tremors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lung Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Obesity | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep Disorder | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor Ambulation | <input type="checkbox"/> Confusion | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Weak/Frail | <input type="checkbox"/> Dementia | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Vision | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy/Seizures | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing | <input type="checkbox"/> Strokes/Paralysis | |

Explain *all* medical condition(s) checked and any other chronic conditions:

2. Are there any condition(s) that are progressive in nature? Yes No

If yes, explain: _____

3. Is there a terminal illness that could interfere with this person's ability to care for a child in the next ___ 5 years, ___ 10 years ___ 15 years? If yes, explain: _____

4. Medication(s): _____

Are there any physical limitations as a result of medication(s)? Yes No

If yes, explain: _____

4. Illness/Injuries, Operations or Hospitalizations during the last 5 years:

Illness/Injury	Operation	Hospitalization	Date	Outcome

5. Health Habits

Is there a history of substances used by the applicant and what degree of impairment exists, if any, from the substance use?

Alcohol	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	Drugs	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Tobacco	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____

6. Date _____ Result of Tuberculin Test (initial exam only): _____

7. Date _____ Result of Chest X-Ray (if necessary): _____

II. IMMUNIZATIONS

Has the patient received the following immunization?

Tdap: YES _____ Date Received: _____ NO _____ Reason: _____

Has the patient received a flu vaccination over the past year?

YES - Date Received _____ NO – Reason: _____

III. PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Summary of abnormal physical findings that would affect caring for a child:

IV. PHYSICAL CAPABILITIES

In your medical opinion could your patient physically be able to:

1. Lift a child:

Under 6 months Yes No

6 months to 3 years Yes No

2. Walk/maneuver 50-100 feet without major difficulties: Yes No

3. Bend/stoop, kneel, reach: Yes No

4. Is an assistive device needed to walk, bend/stoop, kneel, or reach? Yes No

If Yes, what type? _____

5. Are there any medical conditions which limit this person’s physical ability to care for a medically complex child which may include the ability to:

Lift from a bed to chair, etc.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Feedings	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Suctions	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Monitoring	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Medication	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Nebulizations	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Frequent Treatments	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Don’t Know <input type="checkbox"/>

Are any limiting conditions temporary? Yes No

If yes, which condition(s): _____

For each condition, how long will the limitation exist? _____

I certify that this individual is found free from symptoms of communicable disease.

Yes No If No, explain: _____

I certify that the individual has no physical or cognitive limitations that would prevent her/him from parenting.

Yes No If No, explain: _____

Physician’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

State License Number: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____