

# **Disability Information Card Application Form**

Section 1: Applicant personal details

### For Office Use Only

Date of Receipt of Application form: / /20

To be completed in BLOCK LETTERS by applicant. If the applicant is under 18 years of age or unable to personally complete this form, then a parent, guardian or authorised representative should complete this form on their behalf.

Section 1. Applicant personal details	<u>-</u>
Full name in block letters:	
Date of Birth: (DD/MM/YYYY)	
Address*:	
Phone*: (+350)	
	e card and will only be used to enable the solely in relation to the Disability Information
Section 2: Disability	
What is your disability?	Please circle accordingly
Dexterity impairment	Yes / No
Learning impairment	Yes / No
Speech impairment	Yes / No
Deaf	Yes / No
Hard of hearing	Yes / No
Blind	Yes / No
Partially sighted	Yes / No
Mobility impairment	Yes / No
Any other(s), please state:	

## **Section 3: Personal disability traits**

Please note below traits and number those applicable to you in order of importance. 1 being the most important, 2 being next in order of importance, etc... It may not be possible to include all selected traits due to Card size constraints. Below are a number of examples.

In the card it will say: "Due to my impairment I may:"

	Order of importance
Have difficulty in walking.	·
Have difficulty in standing for a long period.	
Have difficulty in using stairs.	
Be easily confused with verbal communication.	
Need more than average personal space.	
Fidget and pace when nervous.	
Have difficulty in reading.	
Have difficulty in identifying images, items and people.	
Have difficulty in writing or holding small objects.	
Have difficulty when opening doors.	
Have difficulty picking up and carrying items.	
Have difficulty hearing verbal communication.	
Appear to ignore you.	
Have difficulty speaking.	
Hesitate in replying.	
Urgently need to use a toilet.	

Any other(s), please state:	Order of importance

## **Section 4: Personal requirements**

Please note below your personal requirements and number those applicable to you in order of importance. 1 being the most important, 2 being of next importance, etc... It may not be possible to include all selected requirements due to Card size constraints. Below are a number of examples.

In the card it will say: "I would like to cooperate, to help me, please:"

	Order of importance
Keep aisles and floor clear of any obstacles.	
Offer me a seat.	
Show me where the nearest lift is or attend to me	
somewhere more accessible.	
Be clear and unambiguous when giving me	
information/instruction(s).	
Respect my personal space, please do not touch me.	
Please advise before making any physical contact.	
Be patient and allow me time to calm down.	
Allow my Assistance Dog to accompany me.	
Offer me assistance in completing forms.	
Let me take documents with me and return on completion.	
Offer me literature electronically or in large print.	
Remember to include me in all conversations when my	
Personal Assistant is with me.	
Allow my Personal Assistant to accompany me.	
Offer me the use of a Hearing Loop.	
Offer to communicate using written notes.	
Provide a Sign Language Interpreter, if not possible now,	
later today or on another day.	
Ask me questions that only require me to nod or shake my	
head.	
Show me where the nearest toilet is.	

Order of importance

# **Section 5: Emergency contact details**

Please state contact details of 2 persons who may be contacted on weekdays **and** weekends at **any** time of the day **or** night (24/7) in case of an emergency and/or to assist the applicant in communicating and/or in resolving a situation.

(1	) Full name in block letters:
	Phone Number: (+350)
	Signature of emergency contact:
(2	e) Full name in block letters:
	Phone Number: (+350)
	Signature of emergency contact:

(The personal data in this section, excluding signatures, will be printed on the Disability Information Card).

## **Section 6: Data Protection**

Please read the Privacy Notice in reference to how the Department of Equality collates information about you, what we do with that information, why we do it, who we share it with and how we protect your privacy. The Privacy Notice can be found in the Ministry's website https://www.gibraltar.gov.gi/department-equality. A hard copy may also be requested via e-mail on equality@gibraltar.gov.gi or by calling 20046253.

Please note that the Department of Equality may use the information submitted under sections 2, 3, and 4 of this form to produce statistics solely for the purposes of developing policies and improving the lives of people in Gibraltar. This information will be anonymised and will not be able to identify you in any way.

For more information on the use of statistics by the Department of Equality, please see our privacy notice on https://www.gibraltar.gov.gi/department-equality.

#### **Section 7: Declaration**

This section is to be completed by the applicant or by their parent or guardian or authorised representative if the applicant is under 18 years of age or if unable to personally complete.

I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided is correct and complete. Full name in block letters: Signature: ...... Date: ...... Please state in what capacity you have signed: Applicant Guardian Authorised Representative Parent \_\_\_\_ **Section 8: Confirmation by Medical Practitioner** (This section is to be completed by a Gibraltar registered medical practitioner in respect of the applicant for the Disability Information Card.) I hereby certify that the information contained in this form in relation to the applicant's disability is correct. Name of Medical Practitioner in block letters: ..... Name of Medical Institution: ...... Stamp of Institution: .....

## **Section 9: Identification Documentation Required**

Please submit your completed application form, together with the following documents, to the Department of Equality, 14 Governor's Parade.

- Valid Gibraltar Identity Card or Valid GHA Health Card (E111)\*
- One Passport size photo
- \* Photocopies will be accepted on the proviso that both sides of the document are provided.

## Section 10: Delivery or Collection of Disability Information Card

We will do our utmost to process applications within 28 working days from receipt.

Please state preference below:		
a) Card to be posted to applicant's address via Registered postage		*
b) Card is to be collected by applicant from 14 Governor's Parade		*
Please contact me via email when ready	for collecti	on.*
Please contact me on mobile (+350)when ready	/ for collect	ion.*
*The Card may only be posted to or collected by the person who has s of this application form in their capacity as applicant or parent or guardia representative.	•	