



## FUNCTIONAL ABILITIES FORM

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Part 2 of this form is to provide the Employer with information to assess whether the employee is able to perform the essential duties of their position and to understand restrictions and/or limitations to assess workplace accommodation if necessary.

The Board may request this medical confirmation in accordance with Article C6.1 h)

Part 2 need only be completed for a return to work that requires an accommodation

I \_\_\_\_\_, hereby authorize my Health Care professional(s)

to disclose medical information to my employer, \_\_\_\_\_.

In order to determine my ability to fulfill my duties as a

from a medical standpoint, and whether my medical situation is such that it can support my sustained return to work in the foreseeable future. To this end, I specifically authorize my Health Care Professional(s) to respond to those questions from my employer set out in the medical certificate dated

dd mm yyyy  
for my absence starting on the

dd mm yyyy

**Dear Health Care Professional,**

Please be advised that the Employer has an accommodation and return to work program. The parties acknowledge that the employer has an obligation to provide reasonable accommodation to the point of undue hardship, and that the employee has an obligation to cooperate with reasonable accommodation measures. Consistent with this understanding, and with the objective of returning employees to active employment as soon as possible, we would ask the medical professional to provide as full and detailed information as possible.

Please return the completed form to the attention of:

**Telephone No:**

**Employee Signature:****Employee ID:****Date:****Work Address:****Work Location:****Health Care Professional: The following information should be completed by the Health Care Professional****First Day of Absence:****General Nature of Illness (please do not include diagnosis):****Date of Assessment:**

dd mm yyyy

No limitations and / or restrictions 

Return to work date: dd mm yyyy

**For limitations and / or restrictions, please complete Part 2.****PART 2: Physical and / or Cognitive Abilities**

**Health Care Professional to complete. Please outline your patient's abilities and/or restrictions based on your objective medical findings. (please complete all that is applicable)**

**PHYSICAL (if applicable)****Walking:**

- Full Abilities
- Up to 100
- metres 100 - 200 metres
- Other (please specify):

**Standing:**

- Full Abilities
- Up to 15 minutes
- 15 - 30 minutes
- Other (please specify):

**Sitting:**

- Full Abilities
- Up to 30 minutes
- 30 minutes - 1 hour
- Other (please specify):

**Lifting from floor to waist:**

- Full Abilities
- Up to 5 kilograms
- 5 - 10 kilograms
- Other (please specify):

**Lifting from Waist to Shoulder:**

- Full abilities
- Up to 5
- kilograms 5 - 10 kilograms
- Other (please specify):

**Stair Climbing:**

- Full abilities
- Up to 5 steps
- 6 - 12 steps
- Other (please specify):

**Use of hand(s):**

- Left Hand**
- Gripping
- Pinching
- Other (please specify):

**Right Hand**

- Gripping
- Pinching
- Other (please specify):

 **Bending/twisting repetitive movement of (please specify):** **Work at or above shoulder activity:** **Chemical exposure to:****Travel to Work:**

Ability to use public transit

Ability to drive car

Yes  No

Yes  No

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<b>COGNITIVE (please complete all that is applicable)</b>			
<b>Attention and Concentration:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Following Directions:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Decision- Making/Supervision:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Multi-Tasking:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:
<b>Ability to Organize:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Memory:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Social Interaction:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:	<b>Communication:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Full Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Abilities <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:
Please identify the assessment tool(s) used to determine the above abilities (Examples: Lifting tests, grip strength tests, Anxiety Inventories, Self-Reporting, etc.)			

Additional comments on **Limitations (not able to do) and/or Restrictions (should/must not do)** for all medical conditions:

**Health Care Professional: The following information should be completed by the Health Care professional**

From the date of this assessment, the above will apply for approximately: <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 days <input type="checkbox"/> 3-7 days <input type="checkbox"/> 8-14 days <input type="checkbox"/> 15+ days <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Have you discussed return to work with your patient? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Recommendations for work hours and start date (if applicable):  <input type="checkbox"/> Regular full time hours <input type="checkbox"/> Modified hours <input type="checkbox"/> Graduated hours	Start Date: dd mm yyyy
Is patient on an active treatment plan?: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Has a referral to another Health Care Professional been made? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (optional - please specify): _____	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If a referral has been made, will you continue to be the patient's primary Health Care Provider? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Please check one: <input type="checkbox"/> Patient is capable of returning to work with no restrictions <input type="checkbox"/> Patient is capable of returning to work with restrictions (Complete Part 2) <input type="checkbox"/> I have reviewed Part 2 above and have determined that the Patient is totally disabled and is unable to return to work at this time.	
Recommended date of next appointment to review Abilities and/or Restrictions: dd mm yyyy	

**PART 3: Confirmation and Attestation****Health Care Professional: The following information should be completed by a Health Care Professional**

I confirm all of the information provided in this attestation is accurate and complete:

<b>Completing Health Care Professional Name:</b> <i>(Please Print)</i>	_____
<b>Date:</b>	_____
<b>Telephone Number:</b>	_____
<b>Signature:</b>	_____

**CONFIDENTIAL - PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM TO OUR EMAIL:**

[employeehealthservices@kprdsb.ca](mailto:employeehealthservices@kprdsb.ca)

"General Nature of Illness" (or injury) suggests a general statement of a person's illness or injury in plain language without any technical medical details, including diagnosis. Although revealing the nature of an illness may suggest the diagnosis, it will not necessarily do so. "Nature of illness" and "diagnosis" are not congruent terms. For example, a statement that a person has a cardiac or abdominal condition or that s/he has undergone surgery in that respect reveals the essence of the situation without revealing a diagnosis.

Additional or follow up information may be requested as appropriate.