

DISABILITY CERTIFICATION

In addition to other requirements, in order to be confirmed as Chronically Homeless, the client must have at least one of the targeted disabilities established by HUD **and** must meet HUD's definition of disability. Please verify that the person named below meets these requirements by completing Sections 1 and 2.

Client Name: ___

Section 1: Targeted Disabilities

The client has one or more of the following targeted disabilities (please check all that apply)

- □ a. SMI Serious Mental Illness
- b. CSA Chronic Substance Abuse
- 🗖 c. SMI & CSA
- □ d. PWA AIDS or Related Diseases
- e. Other Physical Disability

Section 2: Verification of Disability

I have verified that the client is disabled by determining that: (please check only one box)

 a. The client is already receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or Social Security Disability Income (SSDI) benefits <u>for the targeted disability or disabilities checked above.</u>

If you checked box (a), a copy of the client's SSI or SSDI determination letter with diagnosis code must be attached.)

 b. The client is not receiving SSI or SSDI benefits, but has one or more of the targeted disabilities checked above AND meets the following definition of disability:

"Has a physical, mental, or emotional impairment which is expected to be of long-continued and indefinite duration; substantially impedes his or her ability to live independently; and is of such nature that such ability could be improved by more suitable housing conditions."

If you checked box (b.), this certification <u>must</u> be signed by a professional who is licensed by the state diagnose the condition and make such a determination.

Signature:	Date:
Printed Name and Title:	
Agency/Organization:	
License Number:	

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