

Required Documentation Table

DISABILITY CONDITION	AGE	DIAGNOSIS	DIAGNOSTICIAN	OTHER RECORDS
Intellectual Disability	Age 4 and older	Intellectual Disability (formerly Mental Retardation)	A Licensed Psychologist, Washington Certified School Psychologist or other school psychologist certified by the National Assoc. of School Psychologists	Full Psychological report including a Full Scale IQ score of more than two standard deviations below the mean, and adaptive skills test score of more than two standard deviations below the mean.
Cerebral Palsy	Age 4 and older	Cerebral Palsy Quadriplegia Hemiplegia Diplegia	Licensed Physician	Onset prior to age 3, and information supporting the need for daily direct physical assistance in two or more areas (toileting, bathing, eating, dressing, mobility, or communication).
Epilepsy	Age 4 and older	Epilepsy or Seizure disorder	Board Certified Neurologist	Diagnosis based on medical history and neurological testing, confirmation from physician or neurologist of uncontrolled and ongoing or recurring seizures, and adaptive skills test showing substantial limitations in adaptive functioning of more than two standard deviations below the mean.
Autism (per DSM-IV)	Age 4 and older	Autism or Autistic Disorder Per 299.00 in DSM-IV-TR	A Licensed Psychologist, Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner (ARNP) associated with an Autism or developmental center or a Board Certified: Neurologist, Psychiatrist, or Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrician	Full evaluation per DSM-IV meeting all diagnostic criteria, evidence of delay or abnormal functioning prior to age 3 in social, language, communication skills or symbolic or imaginative play, and adaptive skills test showing substantial limitations in adaptive functioning of more than two standard deviations below the mean.
Autism Spectrum Disorder (per DSM-V)	Age 4 and older	Autism Spectrum Disorder 299.00 Per DSM-5 including severity levels 2 or 3 in both columns	A Licensed Psychologist, Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner (ARNP) associated with an Autism or developmental center or a Board Certified: Neurologist, Psychiatrist, or Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrician	Full evaluation per DSM-V meeting all diagnostic criteria, evidence of delay or abnormal functioning prior to age 3 in social, language, communication skills or symbolic or imaginative play, adaptive skills test showing substantial limitations in adaptive functioning of more than two standard deviations, and FSIQ of one standard deviation or more below the mean – or – meet all criteria for Autistic Disorder 299.00 per DSM-IV.
Another Neurological or Other Condition Similar to Intellectual Disability	Age 4 and older	Neurological or chromosomal disorder known to cause intellectual and adaptive skills deficits	Licensed Physician	Full Scale IQ score of more than 1.5 standard deviations below the mean, and adaptive skills test showing substantial limitations in adaptive functioning of more than two standard deviations below the mean.

Note: This form is a general guide only and DDA may require additional information or assessments. This documentation is the first step in determining eligibility. DDA eligibility is determined per WAC Chapter 388-823.