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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY DATE _____

Are you a veteran? ☐ Yes ☐ No What branch of the military? _____

Are you active or retired? _____ Dates of Service_____

First Name _____Last Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____Cell Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy) _____Age _____ Gender ☐ M ☐ F

Approximate weight _____Approximate height _____

Marital status ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Separated

Employer _____ Work Phone _____

Spouse Name _____

Nearest Relative Name _____ How Related _____

Street Address _____

City _____State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____Cell Phone _____

(Including Area Code)

E-Mail _____

PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

Name _____Type of practice _____

Phone (Including area code) _____

City _____State _____ Zip _____

Is your doctor available for a consultation regarding this application? ☐ Yes ☐ No

LIVING INFORMATION

What type of residence do you live in? ☐ House ☐ Apt ☐ Other (explain)

_____

With whom do you live? (check all that apply)

☐ Alone ☐ Parent(s) ☐ Spouse ☐ Kids (Ages) _____

☐ Roommate ☐ Attendant

Does anyone else living with you have a physical or mental disability? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how are they disabled and what are their limitations?

_____

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Is anyone in your house allergic to dogs? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Primary means of transportation:

☐ Drive Personal Vehicle ☐ Friends/family ☐ Public transportation (Bus Cab)

Animals in the household: _____Dogs _____Cats Other (explain) _____

If your present pets do not get along with your Loving Angel, are you willing to give them up?

☐ Yes ☐ No What arrangements would you make? _____

_____

Please check all that describe your residence:

☐ Fenced Yard How tall is fence? _____ ☐ Enclosed outside area

☐ Park or yard nearby ☐ Neighbors in close proximity ☐ Busy streets nearby

☐ Neighborhood dogs running loose

If you don't have a fenced yard, can you put one up before receiving a dog? ☐ Yes ☐ No

DISABILITY INFORMATION

What is your primary disability? _____

Please list secondary disabilities, if any _____

What caused your disability or disabilities? _____

If caused by an injury, what progress has been made since the injury? _____

_____

_____

How does it affect your life (limitations)? _____

_____

How long have you been disabled? _____

Is your disability progressive? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are there any current changes in your disability? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, explain

_____

What are the effects of your disability? (check all that apply)

☐ Deafness ☐ Speech Impairment ☐ Reduced Stamina ☐ Hearing Loss ☐ Spasticity

☐ Limited Mobility ☐ Muscular Weakness ☐ Slow Development ☐ Vision Impairment

☐ Memory Loss

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Please rate your ability to do the following tasks:

	Normal	Medium Difficulty	Very Difficult	Unable To Do
Pick up an item off the floor	☐	☐	☐	☐
Hold an item in your hand	☐	☐	☐	☐
Push an elevator button	☐	☐	☐	☐
Open interior doors	☐	☐	☐	☐
Open exterior doors	☐	☐	☐	☐
Flex your wrist	☐	☐	☐	☐
Speak in different tones	☐	☐	☐	☐

What is the total weight you can lift in pounds with your

Right arm? _____Left arm? _____

Do you have problems with any of the following? (check all that apply)

☐ Allergies ☐ Chronic pain ☐ Depression ☐ Balance ☐ Fatigue ☐ Brittle Bones

☐ Heightened Emotions ☐ High Blood Pressure ☐ Skin Sensitivity ☐ Heat/Cold Sensitivity

Indicate any assisting devices you use (check all that apply)

☐ Leg Brace ☐ Wheelchair ☐ Electric Wheelchair ☐ Walker ☐ Electric Scooter

☐ Crutches ☐ Cane ☐ Hearing Aid ☐ Prosthesis (specify) _____

Other _____

What types of transfer do you use? (check all that apply)

☐ Standing ☐ Pivoting ☐ Slide Board ☐ With Help ☐ Lift or Hoist

Other _____

How is your speech? (check all that apply)

☐ Clear ☐ Clear-slow ☐ Slurred ☐ Difficult to understand

How do you best communicate? (check all that apply)

☐ Voice ☐ Letter board ☐ Interpreter ☐ Other _____

How far can you walk? (check all that apply)

☐ No Problem ☐ Short Distances ☐ Only with Support ☐ On Level Ground ☐ Not at all

How high can you lift your arms?

☐ Above your head ☐ To your shoulders ☐ Only slightly

Please rate your ability in the following areas:

	Normal	Somewhat Limited	Very Limited
Voice	☐	☐	☐
Lung Capacity	☐	☐	☐
Hearing	☐	☐	☐

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	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
Balance	☐	☐	☐	☐
Endurance	☐	☐	☐	☐
Mobility	☐	☐	☐	☐
Physical Strength	☐	☐	☐	☐
Speed of Reaction	☐	☐	☐	☐
Vision (with correction)	☐	☐	☐	☐

	Very Much	Somewhat	Not Very	Not at All
Sensitive to heat	☐	☐	☐	☐
Sensitive to cold	☐	☐	☐	☐
Sensitive to pain	☐	☐	☐	☐
Socially active	☐	☐	☐	☐

With your current health, is it safe for you to travel by? (check all that apply)

☐ Plane ☐ Bus/Public transportation ☐ Drive yourself ☐ Driven by others

How do you handle the following?

	By self	With Assistance	By others
Medications	☐	☐	☐
Your finances	☐	☐	☐
Housekeeping	☐	☐	☐
Meals	☐	☐	☐
Personal care/ Getting dressed	☐	☐	☐

What personal attendants do you use? ☐ Family members ☐ Personal Care Aide ☐ Medical

☐ Housekeeping Other _____

Number of hours for attendants:

_____ Per Day **or** _____Per Week or _____ Per Month

Explain in more detail *anything* that will better help us to understand your needs.

_____

_____

_____

_____

_____

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OTHER INFORMATION

What kind of activities are you involved in? (check all that apply)

☐ Work (paid or volunteer) outside the home ☐ Work (paid or volunteer) from within the home

☐ School ☐ Shopping (groceries, clothes, etc.) ☐ Formal exercise

Please describe your home life, social activities, hobbies, and lifestyle in general:

_____

_____

_____

Do you currently receive any government benefits? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please check all that apply:

☐ SSI ☐ Veterans ☐ Rehab ☐ Disability

DOG INFORMATION

What kind of dog are you looking for?

☐ Public Access Service dog ☐ In-home skilled dog ☐ Facility dog

How do you think your dog will be able to help you? _____

_____

_____

What skills do you hope your dog will have? _____

_____

Do you currently have, or have you ever had a service dog? ☐ No ☐ Current ☐ In the Past

If so, who trained your dog? _____

How many years did the dog partner with you? _____

Having a service dog is an incredible opportunity that can enhance your life in many areas – physically, emotionally, spiritually and socially. Along with those benefits come associated responsibilities. As the owner of a service dog, your team not only represents Loving Angel Service Dogs, but you are also an ambassador and a public educator on behalf of all service dogs. It is vital that you and your dog are well mannered and clean and neat when you are out in public. Are you willing and able to make the necessary accommodations? Do you understand and agree with the following?

That your Loving Angel Service Dog will spend most of their time *with* you at home, and when you go out. (if a public access dog) They will NOT be alone in a yard or kennel for an extended period of time. ☐ Yes ☐ No

That your Loving Angel is not the family pet. Your service dog has duties that he/she has been trained to do and should have minimal interaction with others. ☐ Yes ☐ No

You have a reasonable expectation that your medical situation will allow you to use your service dog for the next 8 to 10 years. ☐ Yes ☐ No

That you will keep your dog safe and will not allow them off leash except in a secure area. This includes during exercising and elimination. ☐ Yes ☐ No

You can assume full responsibility as caregiver for your Loving Angel. This includes many areas:

Daily grooming including brushing coat and teeth. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Periodic baths and toenail trimming ☐ Yes ☐ No

Medical care as prescribed by your veterinarian ☐ Yes ☐ No

Proper feeding with a good quality dog food to maintain overall health, coat health and to maintain the dog's proper weight. ☐Yes ☐ No

Daily exercise and playtime ☐ Yes ☐ No

You will assume full responsibility for cleaning up after your dog eliminates in public and for repairing any damage caused by your dog. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please describe how you will handle the following areas of dog care:

Feeding _____

Grooming _____

Exercising _____

Toileting _____

Vet Care _____

Financial Costs - yearly approximate costs: about $2,000/year

_____

If you are hospitalized _____

_____

Flea problems _____

Heartworm prevention _____

Family/friend involvement _____

_____

Access Issues _____

Dog behavior problems _____

_____

Attending our Training Program _____

_____

Our training program is physically and emotionally demanding. What specific difficulties might you have with it? _____

_____

What modifications do you need to make to accommodate this training? _____

_____

What modifications must the training program make to accommodate your specific difficulties?

_____

How will you handle costs and time required to attend the class? _____

_____

_____

How will you limit your activities and others' access to your dog for the 30-day bonding time?

_____

_____

List the **names, addresses and phone numbers** of two people who will provide letters of recommendation for you. Have them send their letters to the Executive Director at the address listed below.

1. Personal (not related to you)

_____

_____

_____

2. Professional (therapist, physician, etc.)

_____

_____

_____

Signature _____ Date _____

All the information I have provided is true to the best of my knowledge, up-to-date and accurate

SEND YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION ALONG WITH A $40 CHECK MADE OUT TO
LOVING ANGEL SERVICE DOGS, INC.
3734 SUGAR LEO RD.
ST. GEORGE, UT 84790

INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR DD214

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MEDICAL HISTORY FORM

PUT YOUR NAME ON EACH PAGE and sign the release below and give all four pages to your physician or therapist to complete. Ask them to return it directly to Loving Angel Service Dogs

RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

This authorizes you to release information regarding my condition to Loving Angel Service Dogs, Inc. This information will be used to evaluate and assess my situation and is essential for Loving Angel to train a service dog to increase my independence. All information is confidential.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

_____
Signature

To the Physician or Therapist:

We maintain confidentiality of our clients' records. The information you give here will not be shared with your patient unless you give express permission.

If you have any questions, please contact Loving Angel Service Dogs, Inc. at (435) 632-2482

Mail the completed form to:

Executive Director
Loving Angel Service Dogs, Inc.
3734 Sugar Leo Rd.
St. George, UT 84790

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PATIENT NAME _____ DATE _____

PRACTIONER'S NAME: _____ SPECIALTY _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Date of Last Exam: _____ Length of association with patient: _____

What is the primary diagnosis? _____

What other conditions does the patient have? _____

_____

Prognosis for duration of impairment(s): _____

_____

Prognosis for progression of impairment(s): _____

_____

Prognosis for lifespan: _____

_____

Medications taken on a regular basis: _____

_____

How severe is the patient's mobility impairment?

NONE		NEEDS ASSISTIVE DEVICE		NEEDS FULL-TIME CARE
1	2	3	4	5

How severe is the patient's visual impairment?

NONE(correctible w/ glasses		NEEDS ASSISTIVE DEVICE		BLIND
1	2	3	4	5

How severe is the patient's auditory impairment?

NONE		NEEDS ASSISTIVE DEVICE		DEAF
1	2	3	4	5

How severe is the patient's cognitive impairment?

NONE		NEEDS ASSISTIVE DEVICE		NEEDS FULL-TIME CARE
1	2	3	4	5

Do limitations affect patient's ability to control his/her own behavior?

NORMAL		MODERATE		POOR SELF CONTROL
1	2	3	4	5

How effective is the patient on handling and overcoming their limitations?

VERY COMPETENT		MODERATE		INEFFECTIVE

1 2 3 4 5

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PATIENT NAME _____

How reliable is the patient – on time for appointments, compliant with meds, etc?

VERY RELIABLE MODERATE UNRELIABLE

1 2 3 4 5

To what degree do limitations affect patient's ability to function in activities of daily living* (ADL)

NORMAL MODERATE TOTALLY NEEDS HELP

1 2 3 4 5

Activities of Daily Living (ADL) refers to the ability to meet personal care needs, such as eating, bathing, dressing, etc., as well as the ability to perform tasks necessary for independent living – to be compliant with therapy and meds, manage finances, maintain home, acquire outside services.

COGNITIVE AND MENTAL EVALUATION:

	Yes	**Minimal**	**No**
Able to exercise judgment and make decisions necessary for ADL	____	____	____
Able to sustain attention span	____	____	____
Manifests inappropriate behavior beyond his/her control	____	____	____
Able to control physical or motor movement sufficient to sustain ADL	____	____	____
Capable of perception and memory to the degree necessary to sustain ADL	____	____	____
Able to follow directions and learn to the degree necessary to Sustain ADL	____	____	____
Under medication which impairs functioning	____	____	____
Capable of decision about personal and others' needs and safety	____	____	____

Is incapacity due to or affected by patient's alcoholism or drug abuse? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes:

Has patient ever been in a treatment facility ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, when and duration? _____

Has permanent damage resulted? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Has patient refused treatment or referral to a treatment center? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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PATIENT NAME _____

Our service dogs are highly trained to assist their partners with many tasks besides being a loyal companion who gives unconditional love. Some of the tasks they may be trained to do are:

Retrieve dropped articles
Push Lifeline or 911 button
Find help
Retrieve items from refrigerator
Turn lights off and on
Open and close doors
Provide bracing for transfers
Enhance balance when walking
Enhance balance when taking the stairs
Assist in pulling wheelchair
Carry items in mouth or backpack
Take items to another person
Help undressing – shoes, socks, sweaters, etc.
Find and retrieve items like keys, etc.

Are there any other tasks that a service dog could do that your patient would benefit from?

_____

_____

_____

Do you think your patient would benefit from a service dog? ☐ Yes ☐ No How? Or Why not?

_____

_____

_____

Can you recommend that this patient receive a Loving Angel Service Dog? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Why or why not? _____

_____

May we contact you with questions? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Best way to contact you _____

Any addition comments: _____

_____

_____

Signature of physician or therapist: _____ Date _____