

## Child Nutrition Programs PHYSICIAN STATEMENT FOR MEAL ACCOMMODATIONS

CHILD'S NAME	AGE	DATE
SCHOOL/FACILITY NAME	ADDRESS (Street, City, State, Zip Code)	

## Parent/Guardian:

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This school/facility participates in a federally-funded Child Nutrition Program and any meals, milk, and snacks served must meet program requirements. Reasonable meal accommodations must be made when the accommodation requested is due to a disability and supported by a physician's statement. Reasonable meal accommodations may be made for children without disabilities who may still have special dietary needs; a medical statement may be required. If you are requesting a meal accommodation or substitution, please ask your physician to complete and sign this form. If you have any questions, please contact

Telephone (Include Area Code)

## PHYSICIAN STATEMENT

- 1. Is this accommodation being requested on the basis of a:
  - preference
  - mental or physical impairment or disability according to ADA Amendments of 2008?
    List the impairment or disability:
- 2. How does this physical or mental impairment restrict the child's diet?
- 3. What accommodations are being requested? For the safety of the child and because most school/child care centers do not have access to a registered dietician, please be as specific as possible. Attach additional sheet if needed.

Timing of meal service: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Alteration of meal preparation method: \_\_\_\_\_\_

□ Variation from meal pattern (must include foods to be omitted as well as foods to be substituted; you may attach a menu).

Date Signature of Physician Printed Name 5. Date Signature of Parent/Guardian Printed Name FOR SCHOOL/FACILITY USE ONLY: □ Form received on □ Form incomplete. Parent contacted on Form complete. Accommodation will not be made. □ Child does not have a disability □ Request not reasonable Form complete. Accommodations will begin on \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signature of Food Service Director/Contact Printed Name