

**STATE OF FLORIDA  
WORKER'S COMPENSATION  
SPECIAL DISABILITY TRUST FUND  
Volunteer Information**

**Chapter 440.** Florida Statutes provides for recovery from the Special Disability Trust Fund where and injury merges with a pre-existing permanent physical impairment to cause a greater disability than would have resulted from the injury alone. However, in order to recover from the Special Disability Trust Fund it is required that the State have knowledge of this impairment prior to the occurrence of the compensable injury. In addition to general category of impairments there are certain specific impairments outlined by the above statute. Therefore, the following questions are to be answered by each volunteer:

		Yes	No
1.	Have you ever had a serious illness, injury or operation?		
2.	Have you ever received Worker's Compensation benefits for an injury?		
3.	Do you now have or have you ever had any disability rating, either temporary or permanent, assignment to you by an insurance company or governmental agency: Federal, State, County or City?		
4.	Do you now have or have you ever had any physical handicap or disability including the following? Circle all that apply:  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Epilepsy Cerebral Palsy Hemophilia Thrombophlebitis Multiple Sclerosis Diabetes Vascular Disorder Hyperinsulinism</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Total Deafness Chronic Osteomyelitis Cardiac Disease Parkinson's Disease Muscular Dystrophy Mental Retardation Marie-Strumpell Disease Obesity (30 % or more)</p> </div> </div>		
5.	Have you ever had or do you now have back trouble or complaints?		
6.	Have you ever had: Amputation of foot, leg arm or hand?		
7.	Total loss of sight of one or both eyes or partial loss of corrected vision of more than 75% bilaterally?		
8.	Herniated intervertebral disc?		
9.	Surgical removal of an intervertebral disc or spinal fusion?		
10.	Residual disability from poliomyelitis?		
11.	Psychoneurotic, emotional or nervous disorder?		
12.	Ankylosis of a major weight-bearing joint?		
13.	Any permanent physical condition, which constitutes a 20% impairment of a member of the body as a whole?		

Explain All Yes answers:

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Volunteer

Reviewed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant Principal