

2020-2021 TOTAL & PERMANENT DISABILITY FORM

Last name	First Name	Social Security Number
Address (include apt. no.)		Date of Birth
City	State	Zip Code
Phone Number (include area code)		

The U.S. Department of Education has informed us that you have either: (1) indicated that you will apply for a Total and Permanent Disability (TPD) discharge, (2) applied for a TPD discharge, (3) or have received a TPD discharge. **If you receive a federal student loan or TEACH Grant, it may affect your eligibility for a discharge, or may cause your loan or grant obligation to be reinstated.**

If you have applied for, or are in the process of applying for, a TPD discharge, but the application has neither been approved nor rejected, any disbursements of a federal student loan or Federal TEACH Grant that are made may cause your application for TPD discharge to be suspended until the disbursement is returned, or may cause your TPD application to be rejected. **Contact the TPD Servicer* for specific information on the status of your TPD, application and guidance on the impact that receiving federal student loans or TEACH Grants may have on your TPD application. (*TPD Servicer: Nelnet 1-800-303-7818)**

Please answer the questions below and provide any documentation that may be needed to complete the processing of your financial aid. We cannot process your financial aid until we receive this information.

Do you wish to apply for a student loan? **YES**** NO

****If you wish to take out a student loan, you must submit a certification letter, from a legally licensed physician, stating that your condition has improved and that you have the ability to engage in "substantial gainful activity," which includes: 1. Capability of attending school, 2. Of completing a program of student, and 3. Of securing employment in order to repay the new loan**

If you are applying for student loans the physician's certification letter should be turned in with this form in order to be processed for financial aid.

If you are requesting student loans, by signing below, you are acknowledging that the new student loan, or TEACH grant service obligation, cannot later be discharged for any present impairment, unless the condition substantially deteriorates to the extent that the definition of total and permanent disability is met again. Please be advised that obtaining a new student loan may reactivate any previous loans that were discharged due to total and permanent disability.

By signing this form, you certify that all the information reported is complete and correct, and that you understand that the submission of this form is not a guarantee of financial aid. If you are requesting student loans, your signature below certifies that you have understood the information listed in the box above.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____