

## Eligibility Determination (Other Health Impairment) - Code L

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_

Definition – Other Health Impairment means having limited strength, vitality or alertness, including a heightened sensitivity to environmental stimuli, that results in limited alertness with respect to the educational environment that is due to chronic or acute health problems, such as asthma, attention deficit disorder or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, diabetes, epilepsy, a heart condition, hemophilia, lead poisoning, leukemia, nephritis, rheumatic fever, sickle cell anemia, or Tourette syndrome; and adversely affects a child's educational performance.

Note: *If the student's health condition results in or contributes to difficulties with educational performance that are more accurately defined by the criteria described in another disability category, then they shall not meet the criteria for Other Health Impairment.*

### COMPLETE FOR STUDENTS SUSPECTED OF HAVING AN OTHER IMPAIRMENT DISABILITY

#### STEP 1 – INCLUSIONARY CRITERIA (Student exhibits both of the following characteristics)

- Yes    No   Evidence of an acute or chronic health impairment, such as asthma, attention deficit disorder or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder, diabetes, epilepsy, a heart condition, hemophilia, lead poisoning, leukemia, nephritis, rheumatic fever, sickle cell anemia or Tourette syndrome. (Note: diagnosis of a condition, syndrome or genetic anomaly does not, in and of itself, qualify a student for services.)

Health Impairment:

Evidence of Health Impairment:

- Yes    No   Limited strength, vitality, or alertness as a result of the above health condition

Describe:

If all of the above criteria are marked "yes", proceed to Step 2. If one or both of the above criteria are marked "no", the student does not qualify for an eligibility of Other Health Impairment.

### ALL THREE QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED YES TO SUPPORT THE TEAM'S ELIGIBILITY DECISION

1. Has the information been obtained from multiple sources?  Yes    No
2. Has the criteria been supported by appropriate measures of assessment?  Yes    No
3. Has the criteria been substantiated by the majority of data?  Yes    No
- The student meets the criteria for Other Health Impairment?**  Yes    No

Meeting criteria for a disability category does not confer special education eligibility. To determine eligibility for special education the team must consider adverse affects and educational needs and complete Eligibility Determination Form.