

# PTAX-343-A

## Physician's Statement for Disabled Persons' Homestead Exemption

### Read this first

To qualify for the Disabled Persons' Homestead Exemption (DPHE), proof of a disability is required. The acceptable proof of disability is listed on the back of this Form. If you are unable to provide any of these as proof of your disability, you and an Illinois licensed physician must complete Form PTAX-343-A. You are responsible for any physicians' costs.

### Step 1: Applicant - Complete the following information

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Property owner's name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street address of homestead property

\_\_\_\_\_  
City IL \_\_\_\_\_  
ZIP

(\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime phone

2 Write the assessment year for which you are requesting the DPHE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Year

3 Write the property index number (PIN) of the property for which you are filing this form. Your PIN can be found on your property tax bill or you may obtain it from your Cook County Assessor's Office (CCAO). If you are unable to obtain your PIN, write the legal description on Line b.

a PIN \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

b Attach a separate sheet if needed.

### Step 2: Physician - Complete the following information

#### Part A: Patient information - Please print.

The patient must meet the total disability criteria established by the Social Security Administration.

**Note:** Alcoholism or drug abuse is not included in the Social Security Administration's guidelines as a qualification for disability status.

4 Patient's name: \_\_\_\_\_

5 Date patient became disabled \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

6 Can the patient do the same type of work as prior to their disability? Yes  No

6a Was the patient able to work for a living after this date? Yes  No

7 Has the disability lasted or is it expected to continue for 12 months or more? Yes  No

8 Check all major body systems, disorders, and diseases of the patient's disability:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1.00 Musculoskeletal           | <input type="checkbox"/> 8.00 Skin                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2.00 Special Senses and Speech | <input type="checkbox"/> 9.00 Endocrine                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3.00 Respiratory               | <input type="checkbox"/> 10.00 Impairments that Affect Multiple Body |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4.00 Cardiovascular            | <input type="checkbox"/> 11.00 Neurological                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5.00 Digestive                 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12.00 Mental                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6.00 Genitourinary             | <input type="checkbox"/> 13.00 Malignant Neoplastic                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7.00 Hematological             | <input type="checkbox"/> 14.00 Immune                                |

9 What is the nature of the disability: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Part B: Physician information

10 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

11 Your Illinois physician's license number issued by the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulations: 036 - \_\_\_\_\_

#### 12 Sign below:

I have examined this patient and based on the Social Security Administration's criteria for disability, I state that the information contained in Step 2 is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Physician's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_