Invisible Disability

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Individuals may wish to disclose a disability that may not be immediately apparent to another person.

The following are examples of different invisible disabilities that may be disclosed:

- Appears deaf or unable to understand.
- Has difficulty speaking or communicating.
- Engages in repetitive or self-stimulating behaviors such as rocking or hand flapping.
- Appears anxious, nervous, or upset.
- Becomes agitated due to physical contact or stressful situations.
- Acts indifferent or unresponsive.
- Other invisible disabilities may be provided in a brief description by a customer.

Disclosing an invisible disability

Customers may disclose that they have an invisible disability by filling out the form "MV2167 Invisible Disability Disclosure". If a customer presents a MV2167 at the station, the field agent will fax the form to Medical Review and Fitness (MRF), and then send the form through an Inter-D envelope to MRF Room S238. Customers can also send the form directly to MRF by mail, email or fax to 608-267-0518.

MRF will add a notation to reflect the information the customer disclosed about their invisible disability. When customers decide to write out an explanation for their invisible disability, MRF will have to put the disclosed information exactly as it is written into the notation. This will include spelling and grammatical errors.

The invisible disability disclosure does not stop issuance. The notations are added to the record, not the driver license or identification card, so it is not necessary to wait for MRF to add the notation, or a reissue/duplicate product processed.

This notation will only be visible to all law enforcement officers and DMV team members.

Product Notations:

Code	Description
211	APPEARS DEAF OR UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND
212	HAS DIFFICULTY SPEAKING OR COMMUNICATING
213	REPETITIVE OR SELF-STIMULATING BEHAVIORS
214	APPEARS ANXIOUS, NERVOUS OR UPSET
215	BECOMES AGITATED DUE TO PHYSICAL CONTACT
216	ACTS INDIFFERENT OR UNRESPONSIVE
217	INVISIBLE DISABILITY - OTHER - FREE FORM

Removing information on invisible disabilities

A customer may wish to remove their invisible disability information they had previously disclosed. This will be done using the same process, except they will need to check the box on the MV2167 indicating they wish to remove information related to their previous disclosure.

See also WI Statutes

Ch. 343.50 (4)

Ch. 341.08 (2) (ag)

Ch. 341.08 (8)

Ch. 343 (2) (k)

Ch. 343.14 (8)

Additional Reference: 2017 Wisconsin Act 244