

## DSP Medical Report – Impairment of Continence Function - Moderate – 10 points\*

Re:

Date of Birth:

This is a report on the functional capacity of the above-named and is assessed from the date their DSP application was lodged on \_\_\_\_\_.

1. Date treatment commenced / /

2. Diagnosis

3. When diagnosis made

4. Treatment/Medication

5. Reason for incapacity

6. Are the conditions(s) fully stabilised and unlikely to improve in the next two years?

Yes/No

7. Whether you believe that the client has a moderate impairment of continence function?

Does any one of the following apply to the client? Please circle each indicator relevant to the client and provide any further comments as necessary.

- The client has minor leakage from the bladder (e.g. a small amount of urine when coughing or sneezing) several times each day; AND, in respect of continence of the bladder has difficulties that result in interruption to tasks, work or training on most days.
- The client has major leakage from the bowel (e.g. enough faecal matter to fully soil underwear and stain outer clothes if a continence pad is not worn) in most weeks; AND, in respect of continence of the bowel has difficulties that result in interruption to tasks, work or training on most days.
- The client has a stoma, or uses a catheter or other collection device to manage their continence independently but requires frequent bag or catheter changes, or has frequent equipment failure; AND, in respect of continence aids has difficulties that result in interruption to tasks, work or training on most days.

Comments

**8. Is the client unlikely to be fit to work 15 hours or more per week in the next 2 years?**

Yes/No

**9. Will the client be able to return to work in the next 2 years with further treatment or additional assistance?**

Yes/No

**\*if the client has multiple health problems s/he may be assessed separately under other impairment table(s)**

**10. If the client started a Program of Support (POS) but didn't complete it, was that because of his/her medical condition?**

(A POS is for people with at least 20 points on 2 or more impairment tables run by a job/disability service provider designed to assist them to prepare for, find and keep employment)

Yes/No

**11. Other Comments**

Name/Signature:

Date:

Qualifications: