

**APPLICATION FOR LATE VOTING  
BY DISABLED OR HOSPITALIZED VOTER**  
October 24th to November 3rd

A registered voter who becomes disabled or hospitalized on or after Oct 24th may fill out this form, have a friend or family member pick up a ballot from the Clerk. The voter can mark the ballot and their assistant may personally deliver it back to the Clerk's office before 7:00 pm on Election Day, November 3rd.

*I am requesting a late ballot for reason of sickness or physical condition as set forth in Chapter 102 of the Texas Election Code.*

Voter's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address where registered to vote: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ TX Zip \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Precinct (If Known): \_\_\_\_\_ Voter Unique ID VUID (If Known): \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF VOTER** \_\_\_\_\_

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**AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN, CHIROPRACTOR, OR PRACTITIONER**

This is to certify that I know that \_\_\_\_\_ has a sickness or physical condition tha or her from appearing at the polling place for an election to be held on the 3rd day of March, 2020, without a likelihood of needing personal assistance or of injuring his or her health and that the sickness or physical condition originated on or after February 21, 2020.

Witness my hand at \_\_\_\_\_, Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of Oct / Nov 2020.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(signature of physician,  
chiropractor, or practitioner)

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**Assistant Information (Person transporting the ballot to voter and to Clerk)**

Must be 18 years of age and not employed by or related to a candidate on the ballot. Assistant does not have to be a registered voter or resident of the county.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

An application must be submitted before 5:00 p.m. on election day, November 3, 2020 at the Main Early Voting site located at \_\_\_\_\_

The ballot must be returned by 7:00 p.m. on election day November 3, 2020 to the Main Early Voting site at \_\_\_\_\_

The Assistant who handles the ballot may do so for only one person per election. They must be 18 years of age and not employed by or related to a candidate on the ballot.

If the voter is registered in another county from where they are hospitalized, their assistant must request a ballot from the county of registration and return it to that county if different from the above address.

## ELECTION CODE

### TITLE 7. EARLY VOTING

#### SUBTITLE B. SPECIAL FORMS OF EARLY VOTING

#### CHAPTER 102. LATE VOTING BY DISABLED VOTER

Sec. 102.001. ELIGIBILITY. (a) A qualified voter is eligible to vote a late ballot as provided by this chapter if the voter has a sickness or physical condition described by Section 82.002 that originates on or after the day before the last day for submitting an application for a ballot to be voted by mail.

(b) In this chapter, "late ballot" means a ballot voted under this chapter.

Sec. 102.002. CONTENTS OF APPLICATION. An application for a late ballot must comply with the applicable provisions of Section 84.002 and must include or be accompanied by a certificate of a licensed physician or chiropractor or accredited Christian Science practitioner in substantially the following form:

"This is to certify that I know that \_\_\_\_\_ has a sickness or physical condition that will prevent him or her from appearing at the polling place for an election to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, without a likelihood of needing personal assistance or of injuring his or her health and that the sickness or physical condition originated on or after \_\_\_\_\_.

"Witness my hand at \_\_\_\_\_, Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(signature of physician,  
chiropractor, or practitioner)"

Sec. 102.003. SUBMITTING APPLICATION. (a) An application for a late ballot must be submitted in person to the early voting clerk at the main early voting polling place by a representative of the applicant. However, if the early voting ballots voted by mail are processed at a location other than the main early voting polling place, the early voting clerk may require the application to be submitted at that location.

(b) An application may be submitted after the last day of the period for early voting by personal appearance and before 5 p.m. on election day.

(c) To be eligible to serve as an applicant's representative, a person:

(1) must be at least 18 years of age;

(2) must not be employed by or related within the third degree by consanguinity or affinity, as determined under Chapter 573, Government Code, to a candidate whose name appears on the ballot; and

(3) must not have served in the election as the representative for another applicant.

Sec. 102.004. REVIEWING APPLICATION AND PROVIDING BALLOTING MATERIALS. (a) An application submitted under this chapter shall be reviewed and the applicant's registration status verified by the early voting clerk in the same manner as for early voting by mail.

(b) The clerk shall provide the balloting materials for voting an early voting ballot by mail to the representative who submits the voter's application. Before providing the materials, the clerk shall enter the representative's name and residence address on the application and secure the representative's signature beside the name.

(c) The voter's representative shall deliver the balloting materials in person to the voter.

(d) A late ballot provided to a voter by any method other than that prescribed by this section may not be counted.

Sec. 102.005. MARKING AND SEALING BALLOT. A late ballot must be marked and sealed by the voter in the same manner as an early voting ballot voted by mail.

Sec. 102.006. METHOD OF RETURNING MARKED BALLOT; DEADLINE. (a) A marked late ballot must be delivered to the early voting clerk in person by the representative who submitted the voter's application. The ballot must be delivered in the official carrier envelope. A ballot returned by any other method may not be counted.

(b) The clerk shall enter the representative's name and residence address on a returned carrier envelope and secure the representative's signature beside the name.

(c) The deadline for returning a marked late ballot is the same as that for an early voting ballot voted by mail.