

11.4.0.0 Request for Registration Beyond the Age of Eligibility*

Criteria

In order for an individual to qualify for registration beyond the age of eligibility, the individual's disability must be permanent and so severe that it precludes advancement even at a rate significantly slower than considered typical. If ranks can be achieved through accommodations or modifications stated in official BSA literature, then the individual's disability probably does not rise to the level required to apply for this request. Additional information can be found in section 10 of the *Guide to Advancement*.

Parent or guardian: Fill in this page where appropriate and provide documentation as requested.

REQUEST for:

Member's name _____ Date of birth _____

Unit No. _____ District _____ Council _____

Objective: The request for registration beyond the age of eligibility, once approved, gives the individual unlimited time to participate in the Scouting program, if so desired.

Required process: All pertinent documents listed below must be attached to this form and labeled in the appropriate order. Submit the completed request form and attachments to your Scout executive or a designee.

Required Documents	Date Sent	Date Received	Date Reviewed
1. A letter from a parent or guardian describing the disability and its severity and permanence, and petitioning the council for approval of registration beyond the age of eligibility. (Documentation labeled as enclosure 1.)			
2. A completed youth membership application or proof of current membership. (Documentation labeled as enclosure 2.)			
3. A completed and signed BSA Annual Health and Medical Record form (parts A, B, and C), online at www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr . (Documentation labeled as enclosure 3.)			
4. A signed statement from a qualified health professional attesting to the nature of the disability, its severity, and <i>permanent</i> limitations connected with it. For physical disabilities, this must be a licensed physician; for developmental or cognitive issues, a licensed psychologist or psychiatrist, or as appropriate, a neurologist or other medical professional in a specialty related to the disability. (Documentation labeled as enclosure 4.)			
5. A letter from the unit leader advocating and supporting the registration. (Documentation labeled as enclosure 5.)			
6. Other supporting documentation, such as an Individualized Education Plan (IEP), treatment summaries, etc., which are optional but can make a difference in the decision. (Documentation labeled as enclosure 6.)			



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