

# 2026-27 Student Loan Discharge Acknowledgment



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

You are currently in the process of applying for or have received a Total and Permanent Disability (TPD) discharge. If you are in the process of applying for a TPD discharge, receiving additional federal student aid may affect your eligibility for a TPD discharge. If you have already received a TPD discharge, you must meet additional eligibility requirements to receive further federal student aid. Depending on when you received a TPD discharge, receiving additional federal student aid may affect your ability to keep your discharge.

Your obligation to repay your loans will be reinstated if, at any time during the three-year post-discharge monitoring period, you receive

- annual earnings from employment that exceed the poverty guideline (determined annually by the Department of Health and Human Services) amount for a family of two in your state, regardless of your actual family size;
- a new federal student loan under the Direct Loan Program;
- another disbursement of a Direct Loan that was disbursed before your discharge was approved, and the new disbursement has not been returned to the loan holder or CCC within 120 days of the disbursement date; or
- a notice from the Social Security Administration (SSA) stating that you are no longer disabled, or that your next scheduled disability review will no longer be five to seven years from the date of your last SSA disability determination.

If your obligation to repay your loans is reinstated, you will again be responsible for repaying your loan in accordance with the terms of the promissory note that you signed. Your loans will be returned to the status they were in before you applied for discharge. This means that if a loan was in default before you applied for a TPD discharge, it will be returned to default status.

If you choose to borrow more Direct Loan funds, you will need to provide to the financial aid office a certification from a physician indicating that you have the ability to engage in a substantial gainful activity. The physician must be a doctor of medicine or osteopathy.

I would like to request a new direct student loan for the 2026-27 academic year. Additionally, I understand that this new loan cannot later be discharged based on a disabling condition that already exists when I receive the new loan, unless that condition substantially deteriorates in the future.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this form to any CCC Financial Aid Office.**

Upload through My Financial Aid, email to [finaid@cccneb.edu](mailto:finaid@cccneb.edu) or mail to:  
Central Community College Financial Aid; PO Box 4903; Grand Island, NE 68802-4903  
Please call 308-398-7555 if you have questions.