Unable to drive for medical reasons

You are eligible for a disabled bus pass if you have been (or would be) refused a driving licence on grounds of your medical fitness, this would typically be due to one of the following conditions:

- epilepsy (unless it is of a type which does not pose a danger)
- severe mental disorder
- liability to sudden attacks of giddiness or fainting
- inability to read a registration plate in good light at 20.5 metres (with lenses if worn)
- other disabilities which are likely to cause the driving of vehicles by them to be a source of danger to the public
- diabetes if experiencing disabling hypoglycaemia
- restricted visual field

You do not have to apply for a driving licence in order to qualify.

You are <u>not</u> eligible if:

- you are in possession of a current driving licence
- you are refused a driving licence on the grounds of persistent misuse of drugs and alcohol

Proof of eligibility

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Please provide the following with your application:

- a letter from the DVLA confirming that your licence has been revoked or you have been refused a driving licence on medical grounds

If you receive Higher Rate Mobility Component of Disability Living Allowance, score minimum 8 points for moving around component of Personal Independence Payment or are a Blue Badge holder please follow the guidance for 'automatic eligibility'.

Alternatively, you can ask an independent medical professional to sign this form to confirm you meet the above eligibility criteria:

I hereby confirm that _		(patient's name)
born on (DoB) meets the criteria for disa		abled bus pass under the 'unable to
drive' category, as detailed above		
Signature:		Stamp:
Name of institution / practice:		
Job title / qualification:		
Date:		