

Mobility Impaired Parking Policy, Memo and Application

MOBILITY IMPAIRED PARKING is available for ULM students with an approved Mobility Impaired Parking decal. A Mobility Impaired Parking application must be completed and signed by the student's attending physician, and submitted to UPD by the student.

The Mobility Impaired Parking memo and application are below, and can also be obtained from the University Police Department or downloaded at <https://webservices.ulm.edu/forms/get-form/829>

Students with temporary injuries who apply for mobility impaired parking will be assigned parking privileges for the anticipated length of recovery.

Re-application for the permit is necessary if the condition persists beyond 90 days. For permanent impairment diagnosed by a physician, recertification occurs at the beginning of the Fall semester.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Attending Physicians

FROM: Camile W. Currier
Vice President for Student Affairs *CWC*

DATE: December 16, 2015

RE: Mobility Impaired Parking Permits

Enclosed is an **Application for a Mobility Impaired Parking Permit** at the University of Louisiana at Monroe. Please read this form carefully before completing to ensure all items are answered correctly in accordance to Louisiana Revised Statute 47:463.4 which states: **The term "mobility impaired person" shall include any person who is impaired because of any of the following conditions:**

- Cannot walk two hundred feet without stopping to rest.
- Cannot walk without the assistance of another person, walker, cane, crutches, braces, prosthetic device, or wheelchair.
- Is restricted by a lung disease to such an extent that the person's forced (respiratory) expiratory volume for one second, when measured by spirometry, is less than one liter, or the arterial oxygen tension is less than sixty mm/hg on room air at rest.
- Uses portable oxygen.
- Has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified in severity as Class III or Class IV according to standards set by the American Heart Association.
- Has a diagnosed disease or disorder, including a severe arthritic, neurological, or orthopedic impairment, which creates a severe mobility limitation.

Furthermore, "any medical examiner who willfully and falsely certifies that a person is mobility impaired in order to allow that person to obtain the special license plate, hang tag, or mobility impaired identification card authorized in this Section shall be fined one thousand dollars, or shall be imprisoned for not more than ninety days, or both."

The person seeking the mobility impaired parking permit must return the **Application for Mobility Impaired Parking Permit** to the University Police or parking privileges will be rescinded until said application is returned.

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c: Karen Foster
Counseling Center

Tom Torregrossa
University Police Department

University of Louisiana at Monroe
Police Department

APPLICATION FOR MOBILITY IMPAIRED PARKING PERMIT

(Please PRINT)

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
(Last, First, Middle Initial) (Month, Day, Year)

Address: _____
(Street, Route, PO Box) (City) (State) (Zip)

Male ☐ Female ☐ Phone Number: _____

I am aware of my rights, duties and responsibilities regarding the use and possession of a mobility impaired permit and the penalties provided by law for handicapped parking infractions.

Signature _____ Date _____

This Person is Mobility Impaired as Described Below (Check one box)

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THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY A PERSON FULLY LICENSED TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Medical License Number

Name of Physician/Commissioned Medical Officer (please type or print in ink)

Address

City

State

Zip

Any medical examiner who willfully and falsely certifies that a person is mobility-impaired in order to allow that person to obtain the special license plate, hang tag, or mobility-impaired identification card authorized in this Section shall be fined one thousand dollars, or shall be imprisoned for not more than ninety days, or both.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the above named patient has a physical impairment, which substantially restricts movement from one place to another (R.S. 47:463.4).

This impairment is: ☐ Permanent ☐ Temporary The term "permanent" means that the applicant's physical condition is a total or lifelong condition of mobility impairment, from which little or no improvement or recovery can reasonably be expected.

Anticipated duration of disability or impairment: Months _____ Days _____

Signature of Physician/Commissioned Medical Officer

Date

Phone Number: _____