

Permanent Australian Disability Parking Permit for an Individual – Conditions of Use



1. The following regulatory authorities apply to this application:

Northern Territory Legislation - See link for full details www.legislation.nt.gov.au

- Northern Territory of Australia Traffic Regulations 1999
- Northern Territory of Australia Traffic Regulations - Australian Road Rules

Alice Springs Town Council – See link for full details www.alicesprings.nt.gov.au

- Alice Springs (Management of Public Places By-Laws 2009)
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2. The **Applicant/Parent/Guardian/Power of Attorney and Medical Practitioner** must read, and understand the conditions of use of the permit.

3. The **Applicant/Parent/Guardian/Power of Attorney** must keep a record of the permit number as we do request permit numbers for renewals and reprints.

4. Displaying the permit:

- The Permit must only be used when the vehicle is being used to transport the Permit Holder.
- The Permit only needs to be displayed when parking under the above conditions.
- The Permit must be displayed inside the windscreen or hung from the rear-view mirror.
- The Permit number and expiry date **must be visible from the exterior of the vehicle**.
- If the permit is hung off the rear-view mirror then it must be removed before the vehicle is in motion to avoid obstructing the view of the driver.

5. The permit:

- Is valid if the vehicle is being used to transport the Permit Holder.
- Allows the vehicle to be parked in parking spaces that are signposted and have the people with disabilities symbol painted on the road surface.
- Do not exceed any parking sign time limits applying to a parking area for people with disabilities.

6. Concessions:

- If there are no parking bays for a person with a disability the following concessions will be made on other parking bays:
 - ❖ Twice the period indicated on signage.
 - ❖ E.G. - 15 minutes extends to 30 minutes, 1 hour extends to 2 hours, 2 hours extend to 4 hours
- After the concessions time is over normal parking restrictions apply.
- Please note: If the parking sign is in an area set aside for people with disabilities, the additional parking concessions do not apply.

7. Caution:

- If the **Applicant/Parent/Guardian/Power of Attorney** allows misuse of the disability permit allocated to the Permit Holder to take place, this can lead to the Permit being revoked and the Council may pursue enforcement action.
- If it has been found that the **Applicant/Parent/Guardian/Power of Attorney/Medical Practitioner** has provided false and misleading information or details, this can lead to the application being rejected and the Council may pursue enforcement action.
- If it has been found after the issue of the Permit that the **Applicant/Parent/Guardian/Power of Attorney/Medical Practitioner** has provided false and misleading information or details, this can lead to the Permit being revoked and the Council may pursue enforcement action.