## Prader-Willi Syndrome SSI Disability Evaluation form for Parents

Legal Name of Applicant	
Applicant's Social Security Number	
Name of Parent (s) Completing Form	
Address:	
Telephone Number:	

**Instructions**: Your child is applying for Supplemental Security Income (SSI). In order to establish a qualifying disabling condition, the Social Security Administration needs as much information as possible about your child's day to day experience. Please answer the following questions and make sure to give details and/or examples. After you have completed this form make sure to ask your physician to sign the form as well.

## **Does the Applicant Experience:**

Uncontrollable fits of rage. Please explain:	Yes _	No	Unknown
Limited sequential reasoning. (Trouble connecting one thought to the other, actions with consequences, etc.) Please explain:	Yes_	No	Unknown
Perseveration. (repetition of words, questions, phrases) <u>Please explain</u> :	Yes _	No	Unknown
Inappropriate and socially unacceptable behaviors.	Yes _	No	Unknown

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Please explain:			
Impaired judgment. <u>Please explain</u> :	Yes _	No	_ Unknown
Oppositional defiant behavior. (characterized as stubborn, difficult, etc.) Please explain:	Yes _	No	Unknown
Cognitive rigidity and inflexibility. (difficulty adapting to new ways of learning, resistant to change) <u>Please explain</u> :	Yes _	No	Unknown
Disruptive behavior. <u>Please explain</u> :	Yes _	No	Unknown
Impulse control disorder. (acts without thinking through consequences, wants immediate gratification) <u>Please explain</u> :	Yes _	No	Unknown

Factitious disorder. (lies or makes up stories) <u>Please explain</u> :	YesNoUnknow
Food seeking behavior <u>Please explain</u> :	YesNoUnknow

## Physician's Confirmation

I have reviewed this form and it is an accurate assessment of this person's disability.

Name of Physician:

Signature of Physician:

Date: