

North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services **Division of Services for the Blind**

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Notice: White Support Cane

I, the undersigned certify that I have been given a white cane free of charge that was provided by the generosity of the Lions Club, International.

I understand that although this cane is referred to as a "support cane" by the Lions, this cane is not suitable to support my weight and may only be safely used to identify me as a visually impaired person. If I believe that I could benefit from using a cane to help me support myself, I understand that I will need to confer with my doctor; and that if I get a true support cane, that I will need to get further training in how to ambulate safely with such a cane.

I have read the above statement, and it had been read to me. I agree to the above statement.

Orientation and Mobility Specialist

Client (Parent/Guardian)

Date

Date

Our mission is to enable individuals who are blind or visually impaired to achieve their goals of independence and employment.