

<b>Eligibility Criteria Form</b>
<b>Deaf – Blindness</b>
Chapter 7, Section 4(d)(iii)

Name of Student	Date of Birth	Date of Eligibility Determination

**Deaf-Blindness** means concomitant hearing and visual impairments, the combination of which causes such severe communication and other developmental and educational needs that they cannot be accommodated in special education programs solely for a child with deafness or a child with blindness.

<b>Initial Eligibility Criteria for Deaf - Blindness</b>
<b>All statements must be checked Yes.</b>

**Yes**  **No** Meets eligibility criteria for Hearing Impairment, including deafness (attach criteria);

**AND**

**Yes**  **No** Meets eligibility criteria for Visual Impairment, Including Blindness (attach criteria);

**AND**

**Yes**  **No** The child's current level of performance indicates significant problems with motor functioning, communication, self-help/adaptive skills, social skills, and/or pre-academic or academic skills.