Summary of Performance (SOP) Functional Impact Statements—Samples

Working

Reading difficulties impact ability to read directions, announcements, job-related information, safety rules, and employer messages.

Math difficulties impact job duties involving mathematical calculations or use of numerical symbols related to pay and benefits.

Language difficulties impact ability to communicate about job-related tasks, safety, crisis handling, problem solving, or social interactions.

Attention deficits impact ability to attend to job environment, tasks, and job-related activities.

Mobility difficulties impact ability to perform job tasks at a satisfactory rate, access job environments, access job situations, or access equipment or materials.

Emotional- or behavioral-control difficulties impact interactions with people in work environments.

Learning

Writing difficulties impact ability to acquire skills and knowledge in academic courses or subjects.

Reading difficulties impact ability to understand directions, test items, homework, or project assignments.

Math difficulties impact performance in math homework assignments and math tests.

Language difficulties impact ability to comprehend instruction.

Language difficulties impact ability to express learned material and participate in class discussions.

Attention deficits impact ability to attend to learning environments, learning materials, instruction, and assessments.

Mobility impairments impact ability to access environments, equipment, and materials.

Emotional- or behavioral-control difficulties impact interactions with people in various learning-related settings.

Living

Reading difficulties impact ability to acquire information from print media such as letters, newspapers, magazines, labels, directions, etc.

Math difficulties impact ability to perform daily living tasks of measurement, counting, money management, calculating savings on discounts or interest, etc.

Language difficulties impact ability to communicate with others on matters related to home or community.

Attention deficits impact ability to give attention to personal health and safety, legal responsibilities, or community opportunities.

Mobility difficulties impact access to home and community environments or ability to participate in those environments.

Emotional- or behavioral-control difficulties impact interactions with people who will be encountered in various public places.