

Eligibility Checker

This checker allows potential applicants to check if they may be eligible for a Blue Badge.

Please start at Part 1 and follow the instructions in the right hand box relevant to your response to each question.

If you may be eligible for a Blue Badge this table will inform you of the sections you should complete in the Application Form.

<p>Part 1 – all applicants</p> <p>Who are you checking eligibility for?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For you? • For someone else? <i>If you are completing this on behalf of someone else, please choose the statements that apply to the <u>applicant</u>.</i> • For your organisation? 	<p>Go to Part 2</p> <p>Go to Part 2</p> <p>Go to Part 3</p>
<p>Part 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • My main residence is in Orkney. • My main residence is not in Orkney. 	<p>Go to Part 4</p> <p>Go to Part 12</p>
<p>Part 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I represent an organisation <u>concerned with the care of disabled people resident in Orkney.</u> • I represent an organisation concerned with the care of disabled people resident outside of Orkney. 	<p>Go to Part 6</p> <p>Go to Part 15</p>
<p>Part 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I am over the age of two and registered as blind (severely sight impaired). • I receive the Higher Rate of the Mobility Component of Disability Living Allowance. • I receive a War Pensioners' Mobility Supplement. • I receive a tariff within 1-8 (inclusive) of the Armed Forces and Reserved Forces (Compensation) Scheme and have been assessed as having a permanent and substantial disability which causes inability to walk or very considerable difficulty in walking. • None of the above apply. 	<p>Go to Part 8</p> <p>Go to Part 8</p> <p>Go to Part 8</p> <p>Go to Part 8</p> <p>Go to Part 5</p>

<p>Part 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I am over the age of two and have a <u>permanent</u> and substantial disability which means I am <u>unable to walk</u>. • I am over the age of two and have a <u>permanent</u> and substantial disability which means that I am <u>virtually unable to walk</u>. • I am over the age of two and have a <u>temporary</u> and substantial disability, for more than 12 months but less than 3 years, which means that I will be <u>unable to walk</u>. • I am over the age of two and have a <u>temporary</u> and substantial disability, for more than 12 months but less than 3 years, which means that I will be <u>virtually unable to walk</u>. • I drive a vehicle regularly, and have a severe disability in <u>both</u> arms that means I am <u>unable</u> to operate all or some types of parking meters. • I drive a vehicle regularly, and have a severe disability in <u>both</u> arms that means I am have <u>considerable difficulty</u> operating all or some types of parking meters. • I am under the age of three and have a medical condition that means I must always be accompanied by bulky medical equipment. • I am under the age of three and have a medical condition that means I must always be kept near a vehicle in case I need emergency medical treatment. • None of the above apply. 	<p>Go to Part 9</p> <p>Go to Part 9</p> <p>Go to Part 9</p> <p>Go to Part 9</p> <p>Go to Part 10</p> <p>Go to Part 10</p> <p>Go to Part 11</p> <p>Go to Part 11</p> <p>Go to Part 13</p>
<p>Part 6</p> <p>I represent an organisation that is <u>concerned with the care of and provides transportation for</u>: disabled people that are over the age of two and are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered as blind (severely sight impaired). • Receive the Higher Rate of the Mobility Component of Disability Living Allowance. • Receive a War Pensioners' Mobility Supplement. • Receive a tariff within 1-8 (inclusive) of the Armed Forces and Reserved Forces (Compensation) Scheme and have been assessed as having a permanent and substantial disability which causes inability to walk or very considerable difficulty in walking. • None of the above apply. 	<p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 7</p>

<p>Part 7 I represent an organisation that is <u>concerned with the care of and provides transportation for</u>: disabled people who are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over the age of two and have a <u>permanent</u> and substantial disability which means they are <u>unable to walk</u>. • Over the age of two and have a <u>permanent</u> and substantial disability which means they are <u>virtually unable to walk</u>. • Over the age of two and have a <u>temporary</u> and substantial disability, for more than 12 months but less than 3 years, which means they are <u>unable to walk</u>. • Over the age of two and have a <u>temporary</u> and substantial disability, for more than 12 months but less than 3 years, which means they are <u>virtually unable to walk</u>. • drive a vehicle regularly, and have a severe disability in <u>both</u> arms that means they are <u>unable</u> to operate all or some types of parking meters. • drive a vehicle regularly, and have a severe disability in <u>both</u> arms that means they have <u>considerable difficulty</u> operating all or some types of parking meters. • Under the age of three and have a medical condition that means they must always be accompanied by bulky medical equipment. • Under the age of three and have a medical condition that means they must always be kept near a vehicle in case they need emergency medical treatment. • None of the above apply. 	<p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 14</p> <p>Go to Part 16</p>
<p>Part 8 You are likely to be eligible to receive a Blue Badge without further assessment if you can provide evidence of the entitlement described in the application form and can provide proof of your identity and residency. You should only complete sections 1, 2 & 7 of Application Form.</p>	
<p>Part 9 You may be eligible for a Blue Badge, but your eligibility will need to be assessed by your local authority. This may mean that they ask you to attend a mobility assessment. You should only complete sections 1, 3 & 7 of Application Form.</p>	

<p>Part 10</p> <p>You may be eligible for a Blue Badge, but your eligibility will need to be assessed by your local authority. This may mean that they seek further information from healthcare professionals.</p> <p>You should only complete sections 1, 4 & 7 of Application Form.</p>
<p>Part 11</p> <p>You may be eligible for a Blue Badge, but your eligibility will need to be assessed by your local authority. This may mean that they seek further information from healthcare professionals.</p> <p>You should only complete sections 1, 5 & 7 of Application Form.</p>
<p>Part 12</p> <p>You are not eligible to receive a Blue Badge, as your main residence is not in Orkney.</p>
<p>Part 13</p> <p>You are unlikely to be eligible to receive a Blue Badge because the information you have provided indicates that you are unlikely to meet the qualifying criteria. Your local authority may be able to provide information about other services and support that you may be able to access to help with your mobility.</p>
<p>Part 14</p> <p>Your organisation may be eligible to receive a Blue Badge. Your local authority may require further evidence that the disabled people in your care are themselves eligible for a badge and may arrange to visit your organisation.</p> <p>You should only complete sections 6 & 7 of Application Form.</p>
<p>Part 15</p> <p>Your organisation is not eligible to receive a Blue Badge because the disabled people you care for are not resident in Orkney.</p>
<p>Part 16</p> <p>Your organisation is unlikely to be eligible to receive a Blue Badge because the information you have provided indicates that you are unlikely to meet the qualifying criteria.</p>