



"Your Bridge to the World"

## TALKING BOOK & DAISY AUDIOBOOK ELIGIBILITY

A specific audio book collection is available to customers with print disabilities. The rotating DAISY audio book collection is provided by the Visunet Canada Partners Program – a new partnership between the CNIB and BC public libraries.

Anyone wishing to use this service must first have completed this form and have it signed by a professional, certifying eligibility to use the service, in order to ensure the copyright agreements are met. Customers who are registered with the Canadian National Institute for the Blind are automatically eligible for the service.

*This section to be completed by member, library staff, or contact person:*

Member name: \_\_\_\_\_

Library Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Audio book user is:

adult

child (15 years & under)

Please state reading level required \_\_\_\_\_

2. Audio book user is registered with the Canadian National Institute for the Blind:

YES – please indicate CNIB number \_\_\_\_\_

NO

3. Who will be picking the books up?

Audio book user picks own books up

Friend or family member delivers.

Name of the delivery person \_\_\_\_\_

Home Library Service delivers

*See reverse side of this form for professional declaration.*

*This section to be completed by a professional:*

Please have a Doctor of Medicine, Ophthalmologist, Optometrist, Nurse, Therapist, Professional Staff of a Hospital or Institution, or Librarian, certify your eligibility (with the exception of Reading Disability which must be certified by a Neurologist, Psychologist, Rehabilitation Counsellor, Special Education Teacher, Disability Services Program Administrator, or Learning Disabilities Specialist).

I certify that the applicant named is unable to read or use standard print material for any one of the following reasons:

- ❑ **BLINDNESS:**  
visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting glasses, or, the widest diameter of visual field subtending an angular distance no greater than twenty degrees.
- ❑ **VISUAL DISABILITY:**  
visual disability which, regardless of optical measurement, prevents the reading.
- ❑ **PHYSICAL DISABILITY:**  
inability to read or use standard printed material as a result of physical limitations.
- ❑ **READING DISABILITY:**  
reading disability, which prevents reading printed material in a normal manner.

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(Signature)

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(Date)

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(Title and Occupation)

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