

# PAW CREDENTIALS

Emotional Support Animal Certification Services

Licensed Professional ESA Recommendation Letter

{doctorFirstName} {doctorLastName}

License #: {doctorLicenseNumber}

NPI #: {doctorNpiNumber}

{doctorAddress}

{doctorCity}, {doctorState} {doctorZipCode}

Date: {date}

## EMOTIONAL SUPPORT ANIMAL RECOMMENDATION LETTER

### To Whom It May Concern:

I am a licensed healthcare professional and I am writing this letter to confirm that my patient,

**{firstName} {middleName} {lastName}**, date of birth: {dateOfBirth},  
residing at {address}, {city}, {state} {zipCode},

has been evaluated and is currently under my care. Based on my clinical assessment, it is my professional opinion that the patient has a mental health or emotional disability as recognized under the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-5). This condition substantially limits one or more major life activities.

I am prescribing an Emotional Support Animal (ESA) as part of my patient's treatment plan. The presence of this animal is necessary for the emotional and psychological well-being of my patient and provides therapeutic benefit that alleviates one or more of the identified symptoms or effects of their disability.

#### Fair Housing Act Protection

*Under the Fair Housing Act (42 U.S.C. § 3604), individuals with disabilities are entitled to reasonable accommodations in housing, including the right to keep an Emotional Support Animal regardless of pet restrictions or breed/weight limitations imposed by the housing provider.*

### PATIENT INFORMATION

**Full Name:** {firstName} {middleName} {lastName}  
**Date of Birth:** {dateOfBirth} **Phone:** {phone}  
**Address:** {address}  
**City/State/Zip:** {city}, {state} {zipCode}  
**Email:** {email}  
**ID Number:** {driverLicenseNumber}

### PRESCRIBING PROFESSIONAL

**Name:** {doctorFirstName} {doctorLastName}  
**License #:** {doctorLicenseNumber} **NPI #:** {doctorNpiNumber}  
**Address:** {doctorAddress}  
**City/State/Zip:** {doctorCity}, {doctorState} {doctorZipCode}  
**Phone:** {doctorPhone}

### CERTIFICATION

I certify that I am a licensed healthcare professional authorized to practice in the state of

{doctorState}. I have established a therapeutic relationship with the above-named patient and this recommendation is based on my professional clinical judgment. This ESA recommendation letter is valid for twelve (12) months from the date of issuance.

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