

**44:90:13:01. Petitions -- Required forms.** A petition to the department to add a medical condition to the list of debilitating medical conditions for which a practitioner may recommend the medical use of cannabis shall be submitted on forms provided by the department. The petition must include:

- (1) The name and address of the South Dakota resident filing the petition;
- (2) A clear description of the specific medical condition, defined as narrowly as possible, including any International Classification of Diseases, Tenth Revision code applicable to the condition;
- (3) The diagnostic criteria for determining whether cannabis is appropriate for a patient with the medical condition; and
- (4) A detailed summary, with citations, of peer-reviewed research that treatment with cannabis produces superior treatment outcomes or fewer side effects, compared to currently available medications or other interventions;
- (5) Letters of support from two practitioners; and
- (6) Complete copies of any research cited in the petition.

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**General Authority:** SDCL 34-20G-72(1).

**Law Implemented:** SDCL 1-26-13, 34-20G-26.

**Reference:** National Center for Health Statistics. (2021). *International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision, Clinical Modification*. <https://icd10cmtool.cdc.gov/>