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General Comment

Hello,

I am writing to help identify the barrier of signing ballots and election forms as a barrier for disabled people. Some of us have learning disabilities and other disabilities that make it difficult for us to write or even replicate a similar signature time after time. Most states require signatures to be identical and will reject ballots that don't match original signatures. The federal government should require states to allow people with disabilities to use a stamp or Mark for elections. In reality disabled people should also be able to use a Mark or stamp for all federally funded programs but even in those cases such a provision doesn't exist yet.