

**PHYSICIAN CERTIFICATION STATEMENT  
FOR AMBULANCE TRANSPORT**



<b>DEMOGRAPHICS</b>	Client Name: _____ DOB: _____  Origin: _____ Destination: _____  <input type="checkbox"/> Services not available: _____								
<b>REASON FOR TRANSPORT BY AMBULANCE</b>	<p><b>Complete All That Apply. Please print clearly.</b> It is my professional opinion that this patient requires ambulance transport and is unable to transport by other means for the following reasons:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Fall Risk:</b>      <input type="checkbox"/> Poor Trunk Control   <input type="checkbox"/> Postural Instability   <input type="checkbox"/> Spastic / Jerking Movement</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Contracted:</b>    <input type="checkbox"/> Upper Extremities   <input type="checkbox"/> Lower Extremities   <input type="checkbox"/> Fetal</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Amputations:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> Right   <input type="checkbox"/> Left   <input type="checkbox"/> Bilateral   <input type="checkbox"/> Above Knee   <input type="checkbox"/> Below Knee</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other:</b> _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Immobilized due to fracture of:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> Hip   <input type="checkbox"/> Leg   <input type="checkbox"/> Neck   <input type="checkbox"/> Back   <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Paralysis that results in immobilization:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> Para   <input type="checkbox"/> Quad   <input type="checkbox"/> Hemi</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Severe Pain aggravated by movement:</b>   Pain Scale 1-10: _____ Details of pain: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Decubitus Ulcers:</b>   Size _____   Stage: _____ Location:   <input type="checkbox"/> Buttocks   <input type="checkbox"/> Coccyx   <input type="checkbox"/> Hip   <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Morbid Obesity requiring additional personnel/equipment.</b>   Weight: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Bed Confined:</b> Patient MUST satisfy all three of the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. UNABLE to get up from bed without assistance, AND</li> <li>2. UNABLE to ambulate, AND</li> <li>3. UNABLE to sit in a chair or wheelchair</li> </ol> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Isolation Precautions:</b> _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Altered Mental Status and/or Decreased Level of Consciousness:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> New Onset   <input type="checkbox"/> Normal   <input type="checkbox"/> Status Change</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unconscious   <input type="checkbox"/> Syncope   <input type="checkbox"/> Unresponsive   <input type="checkbox"/> Incoherent   <input type="checkbox"/> Lethargic   <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Conscious / Stuporous</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Seizure Prone   <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent Consciousness   <input type="checkbox"/> Hallucinating   <input type="checkbox"/> Head injury with altered mental status</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Requires Restraints:</b>   <input type="checkbox"/> Physical – Type: _____   <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical – Type: _____ Reason:   <input type="checkbox"/> Maintain upright position   <input type="checkbox"/> Prevent injury to self or others   <input type="checkbox"/> Prevent fall   <input type="checkbox"/> Flight risk</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Hostile   <input type="checkbox"/> Violent   <input type="checkbox"/> Agitated   <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Compliant</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Requires Trained Monitoring for:</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Airway control/positioning or suctioning</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Ventilator dependent / advanced airway monitoring</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Requires oxygen – unable to self-administer</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac monitoring</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Continuous IV therapy</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Sedated/Medicated and requiring monitoring</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Danger to self or others</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Airway control/positioning or suctioning	<input type="checkbox"/> Ventilator dependent / advanced airway monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> Requires oxygen – unable to self-administer	<input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuous IV therapy	<input type="checkbox"/> Sedated/Medicated and requiring monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> Danger to self or others	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
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<b>SIGNATURE</b>	I certify that the above information is true and correct based on my evaluation of this patient, and represent that the patient requires transport by ambulance. I understand that this information will be used by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to support the determination of medical necessity for ambulance services, and I represent that I have personal knowledge of the patient's condition at the time of transport.								
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