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PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Recertification required every 60 days

Date of Service: _____ Patient's Medicare Number: _____

Patient's Name: _____

When a patient's condition is such that the use of any other method of transportation would endanger the patient, an ambulance transport may be covered by Medicare Part B. Describe the patient's medical condition that requires an ambulance transport:

Describe the patient's mobility limitations:

- 1. Could only be transported by stretcher because of the inability to sit safely for a sufficient time (over 30 minutes). (Examples: History of stroke with residual paralysis and inability to sit up in a wheelchair; amputation of lower extremity.)

Describe:

- 2. What other medical condition(s) exist? (Examples: Need for oxygen therapy; IV fluids running continuously; need for immobilizer inhibiting sitting position.)

Optional:

I certify that I am employed by the facility where the beneficiary is / was being treated and that I have knowledge of the beneficiary's condition at the time of transport.

- PA RN NP
- Discharge Planner CNS

Signature: _____

Date patient last examined by you: _____

Physician Signature: _____

Date: _____

Ancillary Hospital Representative: _____

Date: _____

Print or stamp: _____