CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

SECTION C CONTINUATION FORM

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SECTION C (continued)

PATIENT'S NAME

Narrative Description of Equipment and Cost

(1) <u>Narrative</u> description of all items, accessories and options ordered; (2) Supplier's charge and (3) Medicare Fee Schedule Allowance for <u>each</u> item, accessory and option. (See instructions on back.)

SECTION D

Physician Attestation and Signature/Date

I certify that I am the treating physician identified in Section A of the <u>attached form</u>. I have received Sections A, B and C of the Certificate of Medical Necessity (including charges for items ordered). Any statement on my letterhead attached hereto, has been reviewed and signed by me. I certify that the medical necessity information in Section B is true, accurate and complete, to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact in that section may subject me to civil or criminal liability. PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE ______ DATE _____ DATE _____ (SIGNATURE AND DATE STAMPS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE)

| SECTION C: | (To be completed by the supplier) |
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| NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT & COST: | Supplier gives (1) a narrative description of the item(s) ordered, as well as all options, accessories, supplies and drugs; (2) the supplier's charge for each item, option, accessory, supply and drug; and (3) the Medicare fee schedule allowance for each item/option/accessory/supply/drug, if applicable. |
| SECTION D: | (To be completed by the physician) |
| PHYSICIAN ATTESTATION: | The physician's signature certifies (1) the CMN which he/she is reviewing includes Sections A, B, C and D; (2) the answers in Section B are correct; and (3) the self-identifying information in Section A is correct. |
| PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE AND DATE: | After completion and/or review by the physician of Sections A, B and C, the physician must sign and date the CMN in Section D, verifying the Attestation appearing in this Section. The physician's signature also certifies the items ordered are medically necessary for this patient. Signature and date stamps are not acceptable. |

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