CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

| Recipient Name: |
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| EXPLANATION OF PROBLEM: Provide an explanation of the particular problem resulting from the diagnosis which relates to this prior authorization request. |
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| PROGNOSIS: |
| HOW LONG IS THIS PROBLEM EXPECTED TO LAST? |
| # of Months INDEFINITELY PERMANENTLY |
| I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN IN THIS FORM IS A TRUE AND ACCURATE MEDICAL INDICATION FOR THE PROCEDURE(S) REQUIRED. THERE IS NO OTHER EQUALLY EFFECTIVE TREATMENT AVAILABLE WHICH IS MORE CONSERVATIVE OR SUBSTANTIALLY LESS COSTLY (ARSD 67:16:01:06.02). ALL OTHER TREATMENT TO CORRECT THIS PROBLEM HAS BEEN EXHAUSTED. |
| PHYSICIAN'S NAME: |
| PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE DATE |
| Required for Nutritional Therapy requests only: |
| IS THIS THE INDIVIDUAL'S SOLE SOURCE OF NUTRITION? YES NO |
| DOES THIS INDIVIDUAL RESIDE AT HOME? YES NO |
| NUTRITION BEING PRESCIBED: |
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| Required for <u>Durable Medical Equipment</u> requests only: |
| MEDICAL NECESSITY / JUSTIFICATION FOR PURCHASE OR CONTINUED RENTAL: |
| EQUIPMENT BEING PRESCRIBED: |
| EXPLANATION OF THE EQUIPMENT'S FUNCTION: (to include identifying information such as |
| brochures and pictures) |

Rental Price

Purchase Price