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PHYSICIAN’S CERTIFICATION FORM

The purpose of this certification is to determine the eligibility of the patient named below to claim an accelerated death benefit for chronic illness. The patient must be certified within the past 12 months by a licensed health care practitioner as being chronically ill, as defined below.

Chronically ill. The patient has been certified by a licensed health care practitioner within the preceding 12 month period as:

1. unable to perform (without substantial assistance from another individual) at least 2 activities of daily living for a period of at least 90 consecutive days due to a loss of functional capacity; or
2. requiring substantial supervision to protect oneself from threats to health and safety due to severe cognitive impairment for a period of at least 90 consecutive days.

PATIENT INFORMATION

Name: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Description of Chronic Illness: _____

Date of first consultation regarding chronic illness: _____

Please attach the following:

1. A Physician’s Summary Statement as to the chronic illness.
2. Any office records, hospital records, pathology reports and lab studies which would confirm the summary statement.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the patient is a chronically ill individual, as defined above.

Physician’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (type or print): _____ Degree: _____

Tax I.D. Number: _____ Office Phone Number: _____

Office Address: _____

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FRAUD WARNINGS BY STATE

NOTICE IN ALABAMA: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to restitution fines or confinement in prison, or any combination thereof.

NOTICE IN ALASKA, ARKANSAS, KENTUCKY, LOUISIANA, MAINE, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, AND VIRGINIA: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive an insurance company files a claim containing false, incomplete or misleading information may be prosecuted under state law.

NOTICE IN ARIZONA: For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

NOTICE IN CALIFORNIA: For your protection, California law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

NOTICE IN COLORADO: It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies.

NOTICE IN DELAWARE, IDAHO, INDIANA, MINNESOTA, AND OKLAHOMA: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive an insurance company files a claim containing false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

NOTICE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA: FRAUD NOTICE: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits, if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.

NOTICE IN FLORIDA: Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.

NOTICE IN MARYLAND: Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.

NOTICE IN NEW HAMPSHIRE: Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638.20.

NOTICE IN NEW YORK: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and shall also be subject to a civil penalty not to exceed five thousand dollars and the stated value of the claim for each such violation.

NOTICE IN OHIO: Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.

NOTICE IN OREGON: Any person who makes intentional misstatement that is material to the risk may be found guilty of insurance fraud by a court of law.

NOTICE IN PENNSYLVANIA: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

NOTICE IN PUERTO RICO: Any person who knowingly and with the intention to defraud includes false information in an application for insurance or file, assist or abet in the filing of a fraudulent claim to obtain payment of a loss or other benefit, or files more than one claim for the same loss or damage, commits a felony and if found guilty shall be punished for each violation with a fine of no less than five thousands dollars (\$5,000), not to exceed ten thousands dollars (\$10,000); or imprisoned for a fixed term of three (3) years, or both. If aggravating circumstances exist, the fixed jail term may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years; and if mitigating circumstances are present, the jail term may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.

NOTICE IN TENNESSEE AND WASHINGTON: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

NOTICE IN TEXAS: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.

NOTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND RHODE ISLAND: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.