

SCHOOL BUS DRIVER CARDIOVASCULAR WAIVER FORM

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL INFORMATION IN BLUE OR BLACK INK



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Provider: For more information relating to Medical Reporting, visit <http://www.dmv.state.pa.us/centers/medicalReportingCenter.shtml>.

PATIENT INFORMATION (Please complete this form in its entirety)

DRIVER'S LICENSE NO.		LAST NAME(S)			JR. ETC	FIRST NAME	
HEIGHT	SEX	EYE COLOR	DATE OF BIRTH		TELEPHONE NUMBER		E-MAIL (if applicable)
FEET	INCHES		MONTH	DAY	YEAR		
STREET ADDRESS: P.O. Box number may be used in addition to the actual address, but cannot be used as the only address.					CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE

SECTION A

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS FOR ALL PATIENTS.

1. What condition(s) does the patient have? _____
2. How long have you been treating the patient for this condition(s)? _____
3. Has the patient been asymptomatic from the disorder and the medication used to treat the disorder? Yes No
4. What medication does the patient use? _____

SECTION B

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF THE PATIENT HAS ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

A history of coronary artery disease, previous myocardial infarction, congenital heart defects, cardiomyopathy, pericarditis, myocarditis, atrial flutter/fibrillation or valvular heart disease, angina pectoris, coronary insufficiency, congestive heart failure, paroxysmal supraventricular arrhythmias/tachycardia, peripheral vascular disease and individuals who have undergone corrective treatment.

1. What condition listed above does the patient have? _____
2. If the patient has atrial flutter/fibrillation, is the patient on anticoagulant therapy with aspirin or coumadin? Yes No
3. The individual must complete seven (7) METS on a treadmill stress EKG test preferably following the Bruce or Balke Protocol and achieve 85% of the predicted maximal heart rate without symptoms, a drop in blood pressure during exercise, significant arrhythmias or ST segment depression or elevation greater than one millimeter from baseline. If the individual is unable to achieve 85% of the predicted maximal heart rate without symptoms, the resting EKG is abnormal, or the individual is on digitalis glycosides, then a radionuclear exercise test should be performed. The result of the exercise test should show no evidence of reversible ischemia. (Please note: Use of a Beta Blocker does not exempt the individual from achieving a predicted maximal heart rate of 85%.) Also, individuals with certain conditions, including but not limited to left bundle branch block (LBBB), pacemaker or various orthopedic conditions that make it difficult to exercise shall complete a nuclear or echocardiographic pharmacologic stress test. The results of the stress test should show no evidence of reversible ischemia, and the left ventricular ejection fraction is 40% or greater.
 - * What date was the test performed? _____
 - How many METS were completed? _____
 - What percentage of the maximal predicted heart rate was achieved without symptoms? _____
 - Did the test show evidence of reversible ischemia? Yes No
4. If the patient is unable to complete the Bruce or Balke Protocol, what Protocol was used? _____
 - * What date was the test performed? _____
 - Did the test show evidence of reversible ischemia? Yes No
5. The individual must have a left ventricular ejection fraction of 40% or greater.
 - * What date was the test performed? _____
 - What was the left ventricular ejection fraction percentage? _____
 - How was the left ventricular ejection fraction percentage measured? _____
 - Did the test show evidence of reversible ischemia? _____

* **Date of test performed may not be more than 12 months old.**

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SECTION C

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF THE PATIENT HAS A PERMANENT PACEMAKER INSERTION.

1. What date did the patient undergo pacemaker insertion? _____
2. Is the patient undergoing regular pacemaker examinations? Yes No

SECTION D

A WAIVER MAY NOT BE GRANTED FOR THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

- (A) Symptomatic coronary artery disease (angina), cardiomyopathy, pericarditis, myocarditis, atrial flutter/fibrillation or valvular heart disease, angina pectoris, coronary insufficiency, congestive heart failure, paroxysmal supraventricular arrhythmias/tachycardia, or peripheral vascular disease.
- (B) Within two months of myocardial infarction, open heart surgery or pacemaker insertion.
- (C) Implanted automatic cardioverter/defibrillators or antitachycardic device.
- (D) History of ventricular tachycardia (excluding couplets and triplets), ventricular fibrillation or sudden cardiac death with successful resuscitation.
- (E) History of carotid sinus hypersensitivity, sick sinus syndrome, symptomatic bradycardia, second degree heart block or third degree heart block unless a pacemaker has been inserted.
- (F) Unexplained sinus tachycardia.
- (G) Severe valvular heart disease.
- (H) Current clinical diagnosis of severe hypertension (Stage III).

1. What condition listed above does the patient have? _____
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HEALTH CARE PROVIDER INFORMATION (Please print or type)

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER'S NAME	SPECIALTY	HEALTH CARE PROVIDER'S LICENSE NUMBER	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX NUMBER		

I hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that the statements made herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities) punishable by a fine up to \$2,500 and/or imprisonment up to 1 year.

Heath Care Provider's Signature	Date
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