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### TREATING PROVIDER CERTIFICATION FORM FOR EXPEDITED MEDICAL REVIEW

*A member who is denied a requested service may receive an expedited appeal if the treating provider certifies and provides supporting documentation that the time period for the standard appeal process "is likely to cause a significant negative change in the member's medical condition at issue that is subject to the appeal." An expedited appeal cannot be requested for a service that has already been performed.*

#### PROVIDER INFORMATION

Treating Physician/Provider \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ FAX # \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

#### PATIENT INFORMATION

Patient's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member ID # \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

#### INSURER INFORMATION

Insurer Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

• What denied service is being appealed? \_\_\_\_\_

• Explain why you believe the member needs the requested service and why the time for the standard appeal process will harm the patient.

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Attach additional sheets if needed, and include:  Medical records  Supporting documentation

If you have questions about the appeals process or need help regarding this certification, you may call the Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions Consumer Services number (602) 364-2499. You may also call [name of insurer] at \_\_\_\_\_.

I certify, as the patient's treating provider, that delaying the member's care for the time period needed for the informal reconsideration and formal appeal processes is likely to cause a significant negative change in the member's medical condition at issue.

Treating Provider Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_