

MSAD #68
Certification of Physician or Practitioner
(Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993)

1. Employee's Name	2. Patient's Name (if other than employee)
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3. Diagnosis

4. Date of condition commenced	5. Probable duration of condition
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6. Regimen of treatment to be prescribed (indicate number of visits, general nature and duration of treatment, including referral to other provider of health services. Include schedule of visits or treatment, if it is medically necessary for the employee to be off work on an intermittent basis or to work less than the employee's normal schedule of hours per day or days per week.)

a. By Physician or Practitioner

b. By another provider of health services, if referral by Physician or Practitioner

If this certification relates to care for the employee's seriously-ill family member, skip items 7, 8 and 9 and proceed to items 13 through 20 on reverse side. Otherwise, continue below.

Check **Yes** or **No** in the boxes below, as appropriate.

- 7. Is inpatient hospitalization of the employee required? Yes No
- 8. Is employee able to perform work of any kind? (If "**No**" skip item 9) Yes No
- 9. Is employee able to perform the functions of employee's position? (Answer after reviewing statement from employer of essential functions of employee's position, or, if none provided, after discussing with employee) Yes No

10. Signature of Physician or Practitioner	11. Date	12. Type of Practice (Field of Specialization, if any)
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For certification relating to care for the employee's seriously-ill family member, complete items 13 through 17 below as they apply to the family member and proceed to item 20.

- 13. Is inpatient hospitalization of the family member (patient) required? Yes No
- 14. Does (or will) the patient require assistance for basic medical, hygiene, nutritional needs, safety or transportation?
 Yes No
- 15. After review of the employee's signed statement (see item 17 below), is the employee's presence necessary or would it be beneficial for the care of the patient? (This may include psychological comfort.)

____ Yes ____ No

16. Estimate the period of time care is needed or the employee's presence would be beneficial.

Item 17 to be completed by the employee needing family leave

17. When Family Leave is needed to care for a seriously-ill family member, the employee shall state the care he or she will provide and an estimate of the time period during which this care will be provided, including a schedule if leave is to be taken intermittently or on a reduced leave schedule.

18. Employee Signature

19. Date

20. Signature of Physician or Practitioner

21. Date

22. Type of Practice
(Field of Specialization, if any)

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