

Explanation of Letter of Medical Necessity

Many of our patients have special needs that require deep sedation or general anesthesia to cooperate for dental care. Some insurance companies may consider reimbursement for sedation services for children under the age of five, a person severely disabled or a person with a medical, mental or behavioral condition.

Claims submitted for reimbursement require a **letter of medical diagnosis and necessity from your physician**. This letter must be on the **physicians' company letterhead with the physicians signature**.

Please complete this **PRIOR** to your first visit with us. You may bring it with you or it can be faxed to 314-862-4504. It can also be emailed to secure@dac950.com.

Below is an example of what your physician must include in the letter.

Sincerely,

Cheri Williams
Insurance Manager

Example:

DATE: _____

(Name) has been diagnosed with (medical condition). (Name) will require sedation services as it is medically necessary for dental care to be completed.