

Date _____

RE: _____ SSN: _____

Dear Doctor,

Your patient was seen today in our office for a physical examination required for commercial driving. This person is currently on Coumadin.

While being on Coumadin does not disqualify a person from passing the examination, the Department of Transportation requires that the examining physician determines that the examinee's anticoagulation level is therapeutic. (For a copy of the physical requirements, go to http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/safetyprogs/spe_pdfs/Medical_Report.pdf)

In order to make this determination, I need the results of an INR that has been performed within the previous 30 days. In order to qualify, the result must be between 2 and 3. In addition, I need your opinion as to whether the examinee's control of his/her coagulation status is stable.

To make reporting this information as easy as possible, I am asking you to answer the following questions, enter your office address and phone number, sign the form, and fax it back to us.

WE CAN NOT ISSUE A DOT OR SCHOOL BUS DRIVER'S CARD UNTIL THIS INFORMATION IS RECEIVED. IF WE DON'T RECEIVE THIS INFORMATION WITHIN 2 WEEKS, THE EXAMINEE WILL FAIL THE EXAMINATION.

Thanks for your help and feel free to call if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,

Medical Director

Physician's Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

INR ____ Date of test _____ (Must be within the last 30 days)

I believe this patient's anticoagulation status is under good control and will not interfere with his/her ability to safely operate a motor vehicle.

Signature _____ Date _____