

ePayment.02 - Physician Certification Statement

Definition

Indication of whether a physician certification statement (PCS) is available documenting the medical necessity or the EMS encounter.

National Element	No	Pertinent Negatives (PN)	No
State Element	No	NOT Values	No
Version 2 Element	E07_02	Is Nillable	No
Usage	Optional	Recurrence	0 : 1

Code List

Code	Description
9922001	No
9922003	Unknown
9922005	Yes

Data Element Comment

Data Element Name changed from Certificate of Medical Necessity to Physician Certification Statement. The PCS statement and documentation of medical necessity is a requirement of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. The circumstances are defined in 42 CFR 410.40 (d)(2) and (d)(3). <http://www.cms.gov/>

A PCS is required for the following non-emergency transport:

- 1) Non-Emergency Repetitive Scheduled
- 2) Non Emergency Non-Repetitive-Scheduled
- 3) Non Emergency Services - Non Scheduled - Under direct care of a physician