

# **Provider Statement of Need**

The Provider Statement of Need (PSON) is required prior to the initial assessment for Personal Assistance Services (PAS), Personal Care Services (PCS) or Habilitation (HAB). The PSON must be obtained from a Medicaid-enrolled physician, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) or Physician Assistant (PA) practitioner who has examined the member and reviewed the medical record within the last 12 months. The practitioner is also required to sign the PSON no more than 90 calendar days prior to the date of the request for services.

**Instructions:** Please fax the completed form to 1-866-703-0502 within five (5) business days. For any questions, concerns or need to discuss this member's care, please call the Superior HealthPlan Service Coordination team at 1-877-277-9772.

## Provider Statement of Need (To be completed by the Physician, APRN or PA)

#### Member Information:

Member Name:	
Medicaid Member ID:	
Member Date of Birth:	

### Please check all functional limitations related to the member's medical diagnoses:

Shortness of breath	Unable to stand for long	Limited range of motion	Cognitive impairment	Behavioral/emotional problems
Dizziness	□ Difficulty swallowing	$\Box$ Falls easily	Paralysis	□ Incontinence
□ Pain	□ Limited dexterity	□ Spasticity	□ Nausea	□ Contractures
□ Blackouts	□ General weakness	□ Tremors	□ Numbness	□ Vision impairment
□ Limited mobility	Hearing impairment	□ Other:		

#### Please check only one:

- □ Yes, I hereby certify that:
  - this individual has been examined within the past 12 months; and
  - this individual has a medical need resulting in one or more functional limitations, as indicated above.

□ No, I am unable to certify that this individual has been examined by me within the past 12 months <u>and</u> has a medical need resulting in one or more functional limitations.

Practitioner's Signature:	
Date of Signature:	
Practitioner Name and Credentials:	
Practitioner Telephone Number:	