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Attending Physician Statement - Alzheimer's Disease

Instruction to doctor: This patient is insured with us against the happening of certain contingent events associated with his health. A claim has been submitted in connection with Alzheimer's disease. To enable us to assess the claim, please complete this report and return it directly to our company. For questions where date is applicable, please complete in the format of day/month/year.

To be completed and signed by the Attending Physician

I hereby certify that I personally examined the patient and my records and medical opinion are as follows:

1. Name of patient: _____ NRIC no. : _____

2. Are you the patient's regular medical attendant? ☐ Yes ☐ No
   If yes, please provide details beginning with the first record in your clinic:

Date(s) consulted	Purpose & details of Consultation(s)	Diagnosis	Nature of treatment rendered, including type of tests and/or surgeries done

If no, do you know the name and address of the patient's regular medical attendant(s)?
☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details:

Name of medical attendant	Address

3. Details of the consultation

3.1 Date you were first consulted for Alzheimer's disease: _____

a. State the symptoms presented, the medical history as presented by the patient and date when the symptoms first appeared.

Symptoms Presented at first consultation	Date symptoms first started

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b. Where is the source of this information about the patient's condition? (Patient or referring doctor or others. If others, please specify)

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c. In your opinion, how long do you think the symptoms first appeared prior to consulting you?

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d. If the patient was referred to you OR if the patient had seen other doctor(s) before consulting you for this medical condition or its symptoms, please provide details:

Name of doctor(s) or hospital(s)	Address of doctor(s) or hospital(s)	Date consulted or date referred to you

(Please continue with your documentation on a blank page if there are more than 3 records and attach it with this report)

4. Details of the illness

4.1 Details of diagnosis:

Doctor's diagnosis	
Diagnosis date	
Underlying cause (if any)	

4.2 Date of when patient was first informed of the diagnosis: _____

4.3 Name of doctor or hospital who first made the diagnosis:

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4.4 What is the Mini–Mental State Examination (MMSE) or Folstein test score of the patient?

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4.5 Does patient have permanent clinical loss of the ability to remember? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide document of clinical confirmation by a specialist/ consultant

4.6 Does patient has permanent clinical loss of the ability to reason? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide document of clinical confirmation by a specialist/ consultant

4.7 Does patient has permanent clinical loss of the ability to perceive, understand, express and give effect to ideas? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide document of clinical confirmation by a specialist/ consultant

4.8 Is there evidence of deterioration or loss of intellectual capacity or abnormal behaviour resulting in significant reduction in mental and social functioning and requiring the continuous supervision of the patient? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details.

a. Describe your findings in details, including limitations in the mental and social functioning abilities.

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b. Did the deterioration or loss of intellectual capacity or abnormal behaviour arise from Alzheimer's Disease or irreversible organic disorders? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes and if it is due to irreversible organic disorders, please state the forms of such organic disorders.

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c. Did the deterioration or loss of intellectual capacity or abnormal behaviour arise from neurosis or psychiatric illnesses? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide details.

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d. Has the deterioration or loss of intellectual capacity or abnormal behaviour been confirmed by clinical evaluation and imaging tests? ☐ Yes ☐ No

4.9 Is patient's Alzheimer's disease or dementia due to irreversible organic brain disorders confirmed by a consultant neurologist? ☐ Yes ☐ No

4.10 Was the above diagnosis supported by radiological, neurological assessment or laboratory evidence and confirmed by a specialist in the relevant field? ☐ Yes ☐ No

a. If yes, please state mode of investigation done to establish the diagnosis and attach copies of CT scan, MRI, psychological and neurological assessment, electroencephalography and other diagnostic reports.

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b. If no, why and on what basis did you derive at such diagnosis?

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4.11 Is the patient's condition or surgery performed in any way related or due to:

a. AIDS or HIV related illness? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b. Use of drug not prescribed by a registered medical practitioner or drug abuse? ☐ Yes ☐ No

c. Alcohol related brain damage? ☐ Yes ☐ No

d. Congenital anomaly or defect? ☐ Yes ☐ No

e. Attempted suicide or self-inflicted injuries? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details and enclose a copy of the test result:

Diagnosis date	
Name and address of doctor who first diagnosed the patient with the above conditions	

5. Details of treatment and surgery

5.1 State the full details of all treatment provided (example medication, therapy, etc.).

Nature of treatment	Date(s) of treatment

5.2 Was there any surgery performed or going to be performed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details and enclose a copy of the operation report:

Nature of surgery performed or going to be performed	Date(s) of surgery

5.3 Patient's response to the treatment: _____

5.4 Was the patient referred to other doctor(s) for follow up or further management? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please state name and address of doctor(s) or hospital(s) and the reason(s) for referral.

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5.5 Is the patient still on follow up treatment with you? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please state the follow up treatment plan.

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6. Regarding the patient's medical history

6.1 Has the patient *previously* suffered from any neurosis or any other psychiatric disorder? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details:

Dates of consultations	
Resulting diagnosis	
Name and address of doctor who attended to patient (if not attended to by you)	

6.2 Has this patient *previously* suffered from the same condition or any related illnesses, especially any consultations, however minor in nature, concerning neurological symptoms or complaints? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details:

Date of when condition was first diagnosed	
Resulting diagnosis	
Name and address of doctor who attended to patient (if not attended to by you)	

6.3 Is the patient suffering from or suffered from any other medical conditions? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide details:

Name of doctor(s) or hospital(s) & Address	Diagnosis	Diagnosis date	Nature of treatment rendered, including type of tests and/or surgeries done

(Please continue with your documentation on a blank page if there are more than 3 records and attached it with this report)

6.4 Is there anything in the patient's personal medical history which would have increased the risk of Alzheimer's Disease or organic degenerative brain disorders? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please provide full details, including the date of diagnosis, name and address of attending doctor and source of information.

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6.5 Is there anything in the patient's family history which would have increased the risk of Alzheimer's Disease or organic degenerative brain disorders? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide details, including relationship, nature of illness, diagnosis date and source of information.

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6.6 Please provide details of the patient's habits in relation to cigarette smoking, including the duration of the smoking habit, number of cigarettes smoked per day and source of information.

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6.7 Please provide details of the patient's habits in relation to alcohol consumption, including the amount of alcohol consumption per day and source of information.

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7. Please provide us with any other additional information that will enable us in assessing this claim.

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Date Name and signature of doctor

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Address and official stamp Qualifications