

DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST FOR PATIENT LIFTS

Policy References:

- Local Coverage Determination (LCD) (L33799)
- Policy Article (A52516)

Documentation References: Standard Documentation Requirements Policy Article (A55426)

The supplier must be able to provide all of these items on request:

Standard Written Order (SWO)

Beneficiary Authorization

Proof of Delivery (POD)

Continued Need

Continued Use

Medical records from treating practitioner as noted below

Medical records should contain:

A patient lift is covered if:

Transfer between bed and a chair, wheelchair, or commode is required; and

Without the use of a lift, the beneficiary would be bed confined.

A patient lift described by code E0630, E0635, E0639, or E0640 is covered if:

The basic coverage criteria are met.

A multi-positional patient transfer system described by code E0636, E1035, or E1036 is covered if the following criteria are met:

The basic coverage criteria for a lift are met; and

Beneficiary requires supine positioning for transfers.