

DOCTOR'S STATEMENT

(Major Head Trauma / Head Trauma Requiring Reconstructive Surgery or Open Craniotomy / Surgery for subdural haematoma)

To be completed by the patient's attending doctor

A. Patient's particulars

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| Name (as shown in NRIC / Passport) | NRIC / Passport Number |
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B. Patient's medical records

1. Please state the period of patient's record with the Hospital/Clinic?

a. Date of first consultation

_____ (dd/mm/yyyy)

b. Date of last consultation

_____ (dd/mm/yyyy)

Please provide reason for consultations:

| Consultation date | Reason for consultation |
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2. Are you the patient's regular doctor?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, since when?

_____ (dd/mm/yyyy)

If No, please provide the Name and Address of the patient's regular doctor (if known to you):

3. Was the patient referred to you?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Date of referral | Reason for referral | Name and Address of referring doctor |
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4. Have you referred the patient to other doctor/hospital/clinic?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Date of referral | Reason for referral | Name and Address of doctor referred to |
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5. Does the patient have any family history?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Age at onset | Relationship to the patient | Nature of Condition |
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6. Does the patient have any other significant health conditions, medical history or any illnesses (e.g. hypertension, diabetes, hyperlipidaemia, tumour, hepatitis etc)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Diagnosis Date | Diagnosis & Treatment | Name and address of doctor who treated patient |
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7. Please give details of the patient's habits in relation to cigarette smoking.

| No. of years of smoking | No. of sticks per day | Source of information |
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8. Please give details of the patient's habit in relation to alcohol consumption.

| Type | Quantity | Frequency (per week / month) | Source of Information |
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C. Detail of Illness/Condition

1. When did patient first consult a doctor for the condition? _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

2. Please state symptoms presented and the date symptoms first appeared:

| Symptoms Presented | Date symptoms first appeared | Source of information (Patient / Referring doctor* / others*) <i>*Please specify name and address of source</i> |
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3. What was the underlying cause of the symptoms?

4. What was the exact diagnosis?

5. When was the date of diagnosis? _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

6. When was the diagnosis first made known to the patient? _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

7. Was the diagnosis confirmed by a medical specialist? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please provide details of the doctor who first made the diagnosis:

| Name of doctor / specialist | Address of doctor / specialist |
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8. Please provide details and results of all investigation / tests performed and attach a copy of them which confirmed the diagnosis:

| Investigation / tests | Date (dd/mm/yyyy) | Result of investigation / tests |
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9. Were the head trauma a result of accident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If No, please state the cause:

If Yes, please provide details:

a. Date of accident: _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

b. Time of accident: _____ a.m. / p.m.

c. Detail of how the accident happened:

- d. Was the accident reported to police? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Name of police officer | Branch of Police Division |
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Please attach copy of the police report.

If No, why not:

10. Is there reason to suspect that there were contributory circumstances which led to the injury e.g. under the influence of alcohol, drugs, fits? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details (e.g. result of blood alcohol concentration, alcohol breath test, name of drugs, quantity consumed etc)

11. Was the head injury due to participation or attempted participation in an unlawful act? ☐ Yes ☐ No

12. Was there any form of neurological deficit still present 6 weeks after date of accident? If Yes, please provide details of the deficits: ☐ Yes ☐ No
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13. Is the neurological deficit likely to be permanent (i.e. lasting throughout patient's lifetime)? If Yes, please provide your basis: ☐ Yes ☐ No
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If No, please state date of recovery or date which patient is expected to recover:

14. Please tick accordingly and provide details if the following neurological deficit with persistent clinical symptoms exists.

| Please tick | Symptoms | Assessment date (dd/mm/yyyy) | Body part involved | Is symptom expected to be permanent? | Please elaborate with supporting evidence |
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| | Numbness | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Paralysis | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |

| Please tick | Symptoms | Date of assessment (dd/mm/yyyy) | Body part involved | Is symptom expected to be permanent? | Please elaborate with supporting evidence |
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| | Localised weakness | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Dysarthria (difficulty with speech) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Aphasia (inability to speak) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Dysphagia (difficulty swallowing) | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Visual impairment | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Difficulty in walking | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Lack of coordination | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Tremor | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Seizures | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Dementia | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Delirium | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Coma | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| | Others, please specify: | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |

15. Did the patient suffer from facial injury?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

a. Date of accident resulting in facial injury?

_____ (dd/mm/yyyy)

b. Detail of how the accident happened:

c. Details of facial injury sustained:

d. Was there any reconstructive surgery done above the neck (restoration or re-construction of the shape of and appearance of facial structures which are defective, missing, or damaged or misshapened) to correct disfigurement as a direct result of the accident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide dates and detail of surgery performed:

e. Was the reconstructive surgery solely for treatment relating to teeth and/or any other dental restoration? ☐ Yes ☐ No

16. Did the patient suffer from accidental cervical spinal cord injury? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

a. Date of accident resulting in cervical cord injury _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

b. Detail of how the accident happened:

c. Details of cervical cord injury sustained:

d. Has the accidental cervical cord injury resulted in the loss of use of at least one (1) entire limb for at least 6 weeks from the accident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide detail on the extent and severity of the loss of use of the limb:

17. Did patient undergo any surgery for treatment of the head injury? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

a. Date of surgery: _____(dd/mm/yyyy)

b. Please provide of name & nature of surgery performed?

c. Did patient undergo open craniotomy surgery? ☐ Yes ☐ No

d. Did patient undergo burr hole surgery to drain subdural haematoma? ☐ Yes ☐ No

18. Was the patient's condition in any way related or due to:

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| a. Alcohol abuse/misuse? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. Drug abuse/misuse or use of drug not prescribed by registered medical practitioner? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. Presence of AIDS or HIV infection? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| d. Congenital anomaly or defect? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| e. Attempted suicide or self-inflicted injuries? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| f. Donation of any of his/her organs? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

If Yes to above, please provide details:

| Diagnosis date | Diagnosis | Name and address of doctor who treated patient |
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D. Other Information

1. Has the patient previously suffered from condition(s) specified above or any possible related illnesses? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details:

| Diagnosis date | Diagnosis | Name and address of doctor who treated patient |
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2. Is the patient mentally incapacitated in accordance to the Mental Capacity Act (Chapter 177A of Singapore)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please describe his/her mental and cognitive abilities.

3. Please provide us with any other additional information that will assist us in assessing the claim.

E. Medical reports

Please attach copies of the following reports:

- All diagnostic investigation reports including X-ray, CT/MRI & imaging scans, Operation report etc.
- All relevant hospital/surgical, laboratory and test results.

F. Details of attending Doctor

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| Signature of attending doctor | Date (dd/mm/yyyy) ____ / ____ / ____ |
| Name & Qualification: | Address and Official Stamp of Hospital / Clinic: |