



## Medical Examination Report Concerning a Person's Ability to Drive

A medical examination report is required either because of the class of licence you hold, the class of licence you are applying for, your age or because you have a medical file with us.

Please have your medical doctor complete form on the back of this letter and return it to the Medical Section at the address above. Please note, you are responsible for any costs

If you are unable to meet this request or if you have any questions you can call the Medical Section at 709-729-0345 or toll free at 1-877-636-6867.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

### For Physician Use Only

**Cardiac – if clinical or objective diagnosis of heart disease, the N.Y.H.A as follows:**

- Class I** no symptoms, no limitation with ordinary physical activity & comfortable at rest
- Class II** mild symptoms, slight limitation with ordinary activity & comfortable at rest
- Class III** marked limitation in activity, even with less-than ordinary activity; comfortable only at rest
- Class IV** severe limitations, symptoms even while at rest

*A period based assessment by a cardiologist is required for professional drivers.*

**Vision Standards** - corrected or uncorrected VA & Fields with both eyes open & examined together.

- Class 5:** VA = **20/50 (6/15)** or > & fields **120** or >
- Class 4 Taxi:** VA = **20/40 (6/12)** or >; worse eye **20/200 (6/60)** or > & fields **120** or >
- Class 1, 2, 3 4 (Emergency):** Acuity **20/30 (6/9)** or >; worse eye 20/100 (6/30) or > & fields are **150** or >

**Aneurysm of the Aorta** - Vascular Surgeon's opinion may be required. If surgery done & recovery satisfactory, may be permitted to apply for/retain any Class of licence.

Eligible if the aneurysm or dissection is not at the stage of imminent rupture as determined by size, location or recent change. **Class 5 - Men** - <6.5 cm; **Women** - <6 cm. **Class 1, 2, 3 or 4 - Men** <6; **Women** < 5.5 cm.

**Epilepsy** - If seizure free for 6 months, compliant with medication and under regular medical care, may hold a Class 5. If seizure free on/off medication for 5 years and/or receives a favourable report from the usual/treating Neurologist/Physician, may hold any Class of licence.

**Neurological/MSK Disorders** - description of functional limitations required.

**Diabetes** - commercial drivers treated with insulin MUST maintain a log of their blood sugars.

**Respiratory Conditions** - if on supplemental oxygen or experiencing cognitive issues may be required to have an on road assessment of driving skills.

### CLASS OF DRIVERS LICENCES

- Class 1 - Semi-trailer and Tractor trailer combinations
- Class 2 - Buses (more than 24 passengers)
- Class 3 - Trucks with 3 or more axles
- Class 4 - Taxis, Buses (</24 passengers), Emergency Vehicles and Ambulances
- Class 5 - Private Vehicles
- Class 6 - Motorcycles or Mopeds