

**CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL NECESSITY:
TRANSCUTANEOUS ELECTRICAL NERVE STIMULATION (TENS) UNITS**

Identifying Information [This section may be completed by the provider.]

Individual		Prescriber	Provider
Name		Name	Name
Medicaid ID number		Medicaid provider number	Medicaid provider number
Date of birth		NPI	NPI
Height (in.)	Weight (lbs.)	Telephone number	
Address*		*Note: Provision of or payment for equipment and supplies used by a resident of a long-term care facility (LTCF) is the responsibility of the LTCF.	

Description of requested unit

Certification [This section may be transcribed by the provider.]

Mark all items that apply.

Diagnosis code(s)	Date of evaluation
<p>Rental</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> For neurogenic pain: The individual is experiencing intractable, nerve-related pain that has lasted at least six months. The use of a comparable TENS unit for at least thirty days produced substantial relief from pain <input type="checkbox"/> <i>and, if applicable</i>, enabled a significant reduction in medication (e.g., muscle relaxants, narcotics, analgesics). Initial 30-day period: from ___/___/____ to ___/___/____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> For post-operative pain: Treatment lasting no longer than thirty days is needed for acute pain following surgery. Date of surgery: ___/___/____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The use of more than two leads is medically necessary.</p>	
<p>Purchase</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Continued treatment after the initial rental period is medically necessary.</p>	

Attestation [This section must be completed by the prescriber.]

<i>I hereby attest that the certification information above is true, correct, and complete.</i>	
Signature of prescriber	Date of signature

False certification constitutes Medicaid fraud.