



**Clinical Parameters For Admission and Recertification  
AIDS**

Patient: \_\_\_\_\_ MR#: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: CIRCLE OR CHECK THE APPROPRIATE DATA AS COMPLETELY AS POSSIBLE

**General Characteristic**

1. Consider the entire physical and psychosocial condition of the patient.
2. Review history and conduct physical examination of the presenting terminal diagnosis including medications.
3. Patient/CG should desire no further aggressive intervention including acute care hospitalizations or cardio-pulmonary resuscitation.
4. Patient with multiple medical problems that dictate a terminal prognosis and a need for symptom management rather than an aggressive approach.

**Clinical Characteristics**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Category IV**

\_\_\_\_\_ CD4 = T cell count less than 25 Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Viral Load over 100,000 despite anti-retroviral therapy Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Opportunistic Infections**

_____ Candida	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Coccidiomycosis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Meningitis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Histoplasmosis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ MAI / MAC	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Nocardia	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Salmonellosis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ TB	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Cryptosporidium	_____ present	_____ past
_____ PCP	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Toxoplasmosis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ CMV - colitis / retinitis	_____ present	_____ past
_____ Herpes	_____ present	_____ past
_____ PML	_____ present	_____ past

\_\_\_\_\_ **Neoplasms**

_____ Kaposi Sarcoma	treatment: _____
_____ CNS Lymphoma	treatment: _____
_____ Non- Hodgkin's Lymphoma	treatment: _____
_____ Cervical Lymphoma	treatment: _____

\_\_\_\_\_ **Other Conditions:**

\_\_\_\_\_ AIDS Dementia  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Wasting Syndrome (10-25% of usual body weight)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ End stage Organ Failure (ie: renal failure)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Karnofsky Performance Scale (KPS) less than 50 %  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Palliative Performance Scale (PPS) less than 70%

**Clinical Narrative:**

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**Information Obtained From:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**H&P Requested:** \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Source:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_