

DIABETES MELLITUS TYPE I OR TYPE II INSULIN TREATED - CGM OPTION

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CGM RENEWAL CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

(Updated 08/30/2023)

Once the individual has obtained an Authorization for Special Issuance, they should submit the requirements specified in their Authorization Letter. The item numbers below correspond to the numbers on [Initial Certificate Consideration Requirements sheet](#).

Note: The AME may **NOT re-issue a medical certificate** UNLESS the Authorization letter specifically indicates the AME may re-issue a time-limited certificate.

In general, the renewal information required is as follows:

EVERY 6 MONTHS

ITEM #1 Every 3 months, a comprehensive endocrinology clinical examination.

- Every 6-month visit must be in-person and performed by your endocrinologist.
- The 3-month interval visits may be in person or virtually at the discretion of the endocrinologist. These interval visits may be from your endocrinologist or a mid-level practitioner [physician assistant (PA) or nurse practitioner (NP)] associated with your endocrinologist:
- It should include all parts of the clinical examination: summary of the history of the condition; current medications (dosages and side effects, if any); clinical exam findings; comprehensive foot exam (e.g., visual inspection, sensation, 10-g monofilament exam, etc.); results of any testing performed; diagnosis; assessment; plan (prognosis); and follow-up.
- After the examination, obtain the current, detailed Clinical Progress Note from your provider;**
NOTE: A letter from your endocrinologist is **NOT** sufficient and cannot substitute for a **current detailed Clinical Progress Note**.
- If additional visits occur, submit those actual clinic record(s) to the FAA also.

ITEM #3 Monthly CGM data reports for the previous 6 months:

- Collect data for each month. Separate the data by month (e.g., Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1-28, March 1-31, etc.);
- Continue ongoing use with a CGM device that meets FAA requirements.

EVERY 12 MONTHS

- All items listed in the “**EVERY 6 MONTHS**” section above, **PLUS:**
- ITEM #2 - Lab** - Annual comprehensive panel;
- ITEM #4 - Eye evaluation** from a board-certified ophthalmologist (M.D. or D.O). Exam by an optometrist is **NOT** acceptable; AND
- ITEM #5 - Cardiac Risk Evaluation for Age 40 and above** from a **board-certified cardiologist including lab;**
- ECG, stress test or other cardiac testing, if clinically indicated;** (Note: stress test required every five (5) years, sooner if concerns or clinically indicated.

Additional information may be required on a case-by-case basis.

EVERY 24 MONTHS: (updated 8/30//2023)

ITEM #5 Cardiac Risk Evaluation for UNDER Age 40

- From either your **board-certified-endocrinologist OR a board-certified cardiologist, including lab;**
- **ECG, stress test or other cardiac testing, if clinically indicated;**
(Note: stress test required every five [5] years, sooner if concerns or clinically indicated.)

Submit all above items to your AME for upload into your FAA file. See [How to Submit Documents for Initial or Recertification/Renewal.](#)