

CACI – Retained Kidney Stone(s) Worksheet

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To determine the applicant's eligibility for certification, the AME must review a [current, detailed Clinical Progress Note](#) generated from a clinic visit with the treating physician or specialist **no more than 90 days prior** to the AME exam. If the applicant **meets ALL the acceptable certification criteria** listed below, the Examiner can issue. Applicants for first- or second-class must provide this information annually; applicants for third-class must provide the information with each required exam.

AME MUST REVIEW	ACCEPTABLE CERTIFICATION CRITERIA
<p>A current status report from the treating physician that notes the airman's condition is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Asymptomatic;• Stable (no increase in number or size of stones);• Unlikely to cause a sudden incapacitating event;• If surgery has been performed, the airman:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Is off pain medication(s);○ Has made a full recovery; and○ Has a full release from the surgeon;• No history of complications (including chronic hydronephrosis; metabolic/underlying condition; procedures (3 or more in the last 5 years); renal failure or obstruction; sepsis; or recurrent UTIs due to stones.)	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>
<p>Is there an underlying cause for stone recurrence?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p>Current or recommended treatment</p> <p>After a single stone event - if follow up imaging verifies no further stone(s) present, annotate this in Block 60. No further follow up is required unless there is a change in condition.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> None</p> <p>Supportive treatments such as hydration or medications (such as thiazides, allopurinol, or potassium citrate) to decrease recurrence (with no side effects) are allowed.</p>

AME MUST NOTE in Block 60 one of the following:

☐ CACI qualified Retained Kidney Stone(s).

☐ Has current OR previous SI/AASI but now CACI qualified Retained Kidney Stone(s).

☐ NOT CACI qualified Retained Kidney Stone(s). I have deferred. (Submit supporting documents.)