

Crosswalk of changes to form CMS-1882

Current

H37	<p>§486.106 REFERRAL FOR SERVICE AND PRESERVATION OF RECORDS.</p> <p>All portable X-ray services performed for Medicare beneficiaries are ordered by a doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy and records are properly preserved.</p>
H38	<p>(a) Referral by a Physician</p> <p>Portable X-ray examinations are performed only on the order of a doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy licensed to practice in the state. The supplier's records show that: (1) the X-ray test was ordered by a licensed doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy, and (2) Such physician's written, signed order specifies the reason an X-ray test is required, the area of the body to be exposed, the number of radiographs to be obtained, and the views needed; it also includes a statement concerning the condition of the patient which indicates why portable X-ray services are necessary.</p>
H39	<p>(b) Records of Examinations Performed</p> <p>The supplier makes for each patient a record of the date of the X-ray examination, the name of the patient, a description of the procedures ordered and performed, the referring physician, the operator(s) of the portable X-ray equipment who performed the examination, the physician to whom the radiograph was sent, and the date it was sent.</p>

Proposed

H37	<p>§486.106 REFERRAL FOR SERVICE AND PRESERVATION OF RECORDS.</p> <p>All portable X-ray services performed for Medicare beneficiaries are ordered by a physician or a nonphysician practitioner as provided in 410.32(a) of this chapter or by a nonphysician practitioner as provided in 410.32(a)(2) and records are properly preserved.</p>
H38	<p>(a) Referral by a Physician or Nonphysician Practitioners.</p> <p>Portable X-ray examinations are performed only on the order of a physician licensed to practice in the state or by a nonphysician practitioner acting within the scope of State law. Such nonphysician practitioners may be treated the same as physicians treating beneficiaries for the purpose of this paragraph. The supplier's records show that: (1) the portable X-ray test was ordered by physician or nonphysician practitioner acting with the State scope of law, and (2) Such physician or nonphysician practitioner's written, signed order specifies the reason an X-ray test is required, the area of the body to be exposed, the number of radiographs to be obtained, and the views needed; it also includes a statement concerning the condition of the patient which indicates why portable X-ray services are necessary.</p>
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