**Adult Heart and HeartLung Status 3 Criteria 5 Extension Justification Form Medical Urgency Data**

You will be informed of any downgrades that are pending in the Critical Data section of Secure Enterprise. You may also view the Candidates Pending Downgrade Report section of WaitlistSM. The “Extend” button will be available 2 days prior to expiration of the status.

All required data must be submitted in order to list a candidate at status 3, or extend their listing at status 3, in accordance with criteria that are specified in [OPTN Policy](https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/media/1200/optn_policies.pdf?CTXT=SqMJ8VZL9UuDNYh9DLqIMh8iYoCpmRYIGrEjxjN4GUIL82UEnJ8Xtg%3D%3D). Use the search feature to locate specific policy information concerning adult heart status requirements.

## Status 3 Extension Criteria 5

If status 3, criteria 5: Mechanical circulatory support device (MCSD) with right heart failure, is selected, enter the following information:

**Mechanical circulatory support device (MCSD) with right heart failure**

Candidate is supported by an MCSD and has at least moderate right ventricular malfunction in the absence of the left ventricular assist device (LVAD) malfunction and meets the following qualifying requirements:

***Has been treated with at least one of the following therapies for at least 14 consecutive days and requires ongoing treatment with at least one of the following therapies:***

* Dobutamine: Enter the dosage of dobutamine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 5 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* Dopamine: Enter the dosage of dopamine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 4 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* Epinephrine: Enter the dosage of epinephrine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 0.05 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* Milrinone: Enter the dosage of milrinone in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 0.35 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* Inhaled nitric oxide: Select checkbox, if applicable. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* Intravenous prostacyclin: Select checkbox, if applicable. Enter the Date of Initiation. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.

***Within 7 days prior to initiation of any of the therapies above, all of the following are true within one 24 hour period:***

* + Pulmonary capillary wedge pressure less than 20 mmHg
  + Central venous pressure greater than 18 mmHg

**Pulmonary capillary wedge pressure:** Enter the candidate’s pulmonary capillary wedge pressure in mmHg. The entry must fall between 0 and 19 mmHg. Enter the **Test Date** of when the PCWP value was obtained. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available. Enter the **Test Time**. The time must be in the following 24-hour format: HH:MM. Time must be in military format.

**Central venous pressure:** Enter the candidate’s central venous pressure in mmHg. The entry must fall between 19 and 50 mmHg. Enter the **Test Date** of when the CVP value was obtained. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available. Enter the **Test Time**. The time must be in the following 24-hour format: HH:MM. Time must be in military format.

**Extending the candidate status under criteria 5**

The candidate continues to be treated by one of the following therapies:

* **Dobutamine:** Enter the dosage of dobutamine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 5 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* **Dopamine:**Enter the dosage of dopamine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 4 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* **Epinephrine:** Enter the dosage of epinephrine in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 0.05 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* **Milrinone:**Enter the dosage of milrinone in mcg/kg/min. The entry must fall between 0.35 and 999 mcg/kg/min. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* **Inhaled nitric oxide:** Select checkbox, if applicable. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.
* **Intravenous prostacyclin:** Select checkbox, if applicable. Enter the **Date of Initiation**. The date must be in the following format: MM/DD/YYYY. A calendar link is available.

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