

# **Medical Information Form (MEDIF)**

### APPLICATION FOR THE CARRIAGE OF SPECIAL NEEDS GUEST

(Sitting case / Wheelchair / Stretcher (selected sectors) / Oxygen)

### All questions must be answered in full.

Use **BLOCK letters** when completing this form.

Use a cross (X) in 'Yes' or 'No' boxes to indicate appropriate preference.

- Information on page 2 is to be completed by the Kingfisher Airlines Sales Office or at the airport ticketing office.
- Information on page 3 is to be completed by the patient's attending (nominated) physician.
- Notes for the guidance of a medical practitioner are on page 4.

Cabin attendants are not authorized to give special assistance to particular guests, to the detriment of their services to other guests. Additionally they are trained only in First Aid and are not permitted to administer any injections, or to give medication.

On completion, this form should be returned to the Kingfisher Airlines Sales Office or at the airport ticketing office.

A minimum of 48 hours (72 hours in case of stretcher cases) is required to complete MEDA formalities.

Fees, relevant to the provision of the information provided and for carrier-provided special equipment are to be paid by the passenger.

Oxygen cylinders are available in the aircraft for use in emergencies. These cylinders can deliver oxygen only at fixed flow rates of 2 or 4 litres/minute.

If prior clearance to fly has been obtained, then a second clearance may be required on the day of travel depending on the case details.

Attendant shall ensure that all items/medical equipment brought on the aircraft for the MEDA guest are removed at the time the guest is disembarked from the aircraft.

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## To be completed by IT Sales Office staff

A	Family Name / Initials Title		Nationality	Nationality:	
В	Proposed Itinerary (airline(s), flight number(s) class(es), date(s) and booking reference(s)			Transfer from one flight to another often requires LONGER connecting time.	
		Booking reference (PNR)			
С	Nature of Incapacitation				
D	Reservation Information for accompaying escort	Doctor         PNR           Medical Team         PNR           Family         PNR	Non-Medical	] PNR	
Е	Special in-flight arrangement NO YES Describe	If 'YES', describe and indicate	s, seating, leg rest, extra seat(s), special of for each item, (a) segment(s) on which required (expense. Provision of special equipment such as	b) airline arranged or arranging	
F	a) Ambulance needed at ori	gin ?  Ambulance / Hospital / Origin	b) Ambulance needed at Destination	? oulance / Hospital / Origin	
T	To be arranged by Guest ?  NO YES YES	Name Tel:	To be arranged by Guest ? Name  NO YES Tel:	vualice / Hospital / Origin	
G	Additional passenger information		•		
to pro depart in con of con physic I take genera codes I agree costs i	wide the airlines with the information ments for the purpose of determining sideration thereof I hereby relieve ph fidentiality in respect of such information's fees in connection therewith.  note that, if accepted for carriage, my all conditions of carriage/tariffs of the does not assume any special liability to reimburse the carrier upon demand nonnection with my carriage."	my fitness for carriage by air and visician of his/her professional duty tion, and agree to meet such journey will be subject to the carrier concerned and that the carrier exceeding those conditions/tariffs. d for any special expenditures or			
(When	,	, dated and signed by him / her or on his Date :	s / <b>her behalf</b> ) Guest's Signatu	ıre :	
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This form is intended to provide CONFIDENTIAL information to enable the airlines' Medical Departments to assess the fitness of the special needs guest to travel. If the guest is acceptable, this information will permit the issuance of the necessary directive to provide for the guest's welfare and comfort.

### To be completed by the PHYSICIAN ATTENDING the special needs guest

REQUIREMENTS Stretcher WCHR - WCHS WCHS WCHC can climb steps/walk cabin unable steps/can walk cabin Immobile					
Airline's Ref code MEDA 01	PATIENT'S Family Name / Initials Title  Sex: M F  Age:				
MEDA 02	ATTENDING PHYSICIAN Name, Address, Registration No.				
	Tele Business: Home: Mobile: Pager:				
MEDA 03	Medical Data: Vital Signs. BP: HB: HT: WT:				
	DIAGNOSIS in detail				
	Date of diagnosis: Date of first symptoms: Date of Operation:				
MEDA 04	PROGNOSIS for the journey:				
MEDA 05	Contagious and communicable disease ? NO YES Specify	]			
MEDA 06	Would the physical and/or mental condition of the patient be likely to cause distress or NO YES Specify discomfort to other guests?				
MEDA 07	Can patient use normal aircraft seat with seatback placed in the upright position when so required ?				
MEDA 08	Can patient take care of his own needs onboard unassisted?  NO Visit to toilet YES NO Visit to toilet YES NO				
MEDA 09	If no, mention type of assistance needed:  If to be ESCORTED, by whom?  Detter  Outlified  Page Therepiet  Non medical				
WIED/Y ()	If not, state travel companion or proposed escort by you:				
MEDA 10	Does patient need "OXYGEN" equipment in flight?  NO YES Liters per minute  Intermittent				
MEDA 11	A) on the ground while at the airports(s)  Does the patient need any MEDICATION, other that self-administered, and/or the use	]			
MEDA 12	of special apparatus such as respirator etc? (Other than mentioned in MEDA 05)  B) on board the aircraft  NO YES Specify	]			
MEDA 13	A) during long layover or at connecting points.  Does the patient need hospitalisation, (If yes, indicate arrangements made,	]			
MEDA 14	or if none were made, indicate 'No action taken')  B) upon arrival at destination 'NO YES Specify	]			
MEDA 15	Other remarks or information in the interest of your patients smooth and comfortable transportation  None Specify if any				
MEDA 16	Other arrangements made by the Attending physician.				
	Date: Place: Rubber Stamp & signature:				
KFA Doctor's Approval	Approved Stretcher Diaper/Pamper Doctor Olfy. Nurse Resp. Therapist Scort Remarks:  Need Details Stretcher Diaper/Pamper Sign & Stamp	<u></u>			



#### IN ASSESSING A PATIENT'S FITNESS FOR TRAVEL ON KINGFISHER AIRLINES

1. When assessing a patient's fitness for air travel. The effect of reduced atmospheric pressure and consequent reduction in oxygen tension must be considered. Even in pressurized aircraft, the cabin may be at a pressure equivalent to an altitute of 5,000 to 7,000 feet.

Although each case will be considered on its merit, the following conditions are generally considered unacceptable for air travel.

- A. Very severe and critical heart condition (e.g. severely decompensated cardiac patients or the patient who has sustained a recent coronary occlusion with myocardial infraction). Such cases are not normally considered within two weeks of onset.
- B. Introduction of air into body cavities for diagnostic or therapeutic purposes within seven days.
- C. Severe cases of otitis media and sinusitis.
- D. Acute contagious or communicable diseases.
- E. Skin diseases which are contagious or repulsive in appearance.
- F. Fractures of the mandible with fixed wiring of the jaws.
- G. Hypertensive disease with several complications.
- H. Peptic ulceration with hemorrhage within three (3) weeks of intened date of travel.
- I. Post operative cases
  - 1. Within 10 days of simple abdominal operations.
  - 2. Within 21 days of chest surgery
- J. Pregnancy beyond the end of thirty-six (36) weeks and newborns in the first week.
- K. Severe anaemia (Hb < 8.5 gm/dl). In exceptional cases they may be permitted to fly with a specialist's certificate.
- L. Acute phase of cerebral infarction (stroke) of any aetiology are generally not permitted within three weeks of onset.
- 2. Wheelchairs can be provided at most airports if notice is given.
- 3. Due to security reasons, personal oxygen cylinders etc. Will not be carried on board the aircraft. Any electronic medical equipment (if applicable) will have to be cleared by Engineering and Security before it is carried on board the aircraft.
- 4. Additional therapeutic oxygen and wheelchairs can be provided only on request only if advance notice is given (48 hours for oxygen cylinders).
- 5. Any fee for completion of this certificate, or for medical examination or report will be responsibility of the Guest.
- 6. Any case that Kingfisher Airlines considers might jeopardize the safety or operation of the aircraft will not be accepted.
- 7. Particular attention is drawn to the fact that the medical details given at the front of this form must be accurately type and completed. If at time of embarkation the condition of the special needs guest is worse than the details given, the carriage may have to be refused.
- 8. The details you have provided are transmitted by telex/fax. To ensure that your patient is accepted for carriage, it is important that all medical terms are legible.