Leaflet for the Family Doctor

Incomplete information in the application forms often leads to unnecessary delays in granting cure treatments. For the medical examination, it is imperative that the application forms are filled in precisely, completely and legibly. By the way, the family doctors can easily complete the Medical certificate that is part of the Application for a cure on the computer. Illegible certificates unfortunately lead to a considerable extension of the time spent on dealing with the matter and to unnecessary delays in the application procedure.

In case of **incomplete details**, it cannot be excluded that there might be considerable health risks involved in taking a cure, and the desired effect of the cure would be jeopardized.

The following items have to be pointed out in particular:

- If the person concerned has **been in hospital** during the last two years, the report of discharge from hospital should be added.
- The family doctor should indicate **all diseases**, not only those recognized as having been caused by persecution.
- There should be indicated all drugs prescribed and all measures of treatment, not only those indicated for the affections recognized as having been caused by persecution.
- The findings should include the values relating to height, weight, blood pressure, sedimentation reaction, blood count and urinalysis, and the laboratory results should be added.

The remark "normal" will not be sufficient!

- The necessity of an accompanying person must be substantiated thoroughly from a medical point of view and with reference to findings.

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