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OFFICE BASED SURGERY LEVEL II UNANTICIPATED EVENTS REPORT

AS REQUIRED BY PUBLIC CHAPTER 927

On October 1, 2008, Public Chapter 927 became effective requiring physicians who perform Level II office based surgery to report certain "unanticipated events" to the **Board of Osteopathic Examination**. Under the new law, you must report:

- (i) The death of a patient during any level II office-based surgery or within seventy-two (72) hours thereafter;
- (ii) The transport of a patient to a hospital emergency department except those related to a natural course of the patient's illness or underlying condition;
- (iii) The unplanned admission of a patient to a hospital within seventy-two (72) hours of discharge, only if the admission is related to the level II office-based surgery, except those related to a natural course of the patient's illness or underlying condition;
- (iv) The discovery of a foreign object erroneously remaining in a patient from a level II office-based surgery at that office; or
- (v) The performance of the wrong surgical procedure, surgery on the wrong site, or surgery on the wrong patient.

Reports must be in writing and must include the information below:

Physician's name: _____ License number: _____

Date and time of the occurrence or discovery of the incident: _____ at _____

Office and address where the incident took place: _____

Name and address of the patient: _____

Type of level II office-based surgery that was performed: _____

Type and dosage of sedation or anesthesia utilized during the procedure: _____

Incident to be Reported:

_____ Expired with 72 Hours _____ Transport to Hospital ER _____ Foreign Object Retained

_____ Unplanned Hospital Admit _____ Wrong Procedure/Site/Patient

The circumstances surrounding the incident (attach additional pages if necessary): _____

Physician

Date

Please mail your report to the Board's administrative office at: State of Tennessee, Health Related Boards, **Board of Osteopathic Examination**, 665 Mainstream Drive, Nashville, TN 37243.