

APPENDIX B**PRESUMPTIVE MEDICAL APPROVAL - SSI-RELATED MEDICAID AND M-WIN UNDER AGE 18**

When the individual's medical condition or diagnosis is not listed in this Appendix, refer to Section 12.9 regarding the presumptive approval process.

MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM DISORDERS

This must be confirmed by a pediatrician or orthopedist with x-rays.

- Juvenile rheumatoid arthritis with joint inflammation, significant limitation of motion of two major joints or severe deformity of two major weight bearing joints.
- Congenital deformities of the musculoskeletal system such as dislocation of the hip in which walking is possible only with crutches or a walker.

DISORDERS OF THE SPINE

This must be confirmed with reports from an orthopedist or pediatrician.

- Fractured vertebra with spinal cord involvement, resulting in paralysis.
- Scoliosis with spinal curve measuring 60 degrees or greater, established by physical examination and x-ray.
- Chronic osteomyelitis, as confirmed by x-ray, with persistent drainage, despite treatment.

RESPIRATORY IMPAIRMENTS

This must be confirmed by physical examination, x-ray and/or pulmonary function studies.

- Bronchial asthma with recurrent intense attacks, or persistent prolonged wheezing and x-ray findings of bronchial disease.
- Cystic Fibrosis with poor response to treatment, diagnosed by specific laboratory tests.