



Procedure and Periodicity of the medical examination

Recommendations

1. Group 1

Procedure: At first issue: a medical declaration, co-signed by a doctor.

Contents of the medical declaration:

- visual acuity
 - cognitive disturbances (fits, seizures, faints, giddiness, dizziness, diabetes)
 - perception - judgement (brain surgery, head injury; psychiatric diseases)
 - use of limbs
 - use of alcohol - drugs
 - neurological diseases (i.e. epilepsy)
- The visual acuity must be checked separately.

Periodicity:

A medical examination from the age of 60, thereafter every 5 years. The contents of this medical examination should comprise the same items as those asked for in the medical declaration at issue of the driving licence.

2. Group 2

Procedure: At first issue of the driving licence: a medical examination.

Contents of the medical examination at first issue of the driving licence:

- short anamnesis (medical history of a candidate)
- blood pressure
- eyesight test
- urine test
- check of the functioning of the limbs
- a medical declaration:
 - cardiovascular diseases
 - epilepsy
 - drugs and alcohol dependency

Periodicity Categories C and D:

- until the age of 50: every 10 years
- from the age of 50: every 5 years

Categories C1, D1 and taxi:

- at the age of 50, thereafter every 5 years