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Walker with Seat/ Rollator In Order for Medicare to approve item, CLINICAL EVALUATION WITH ICD 10 CODES MUST BE WRITTEN IN PATIENT'S PROGRESS NOTES. Please use this example as a guide:

Assessment / Impression and Plan: Patient has difficulty walking. Patient is falling down in the home. Patient is unable to walk more than 10 ft without falling. Due to lack of stability Patient has severe risk of falling with use of a cane. Prescribing Rollator with Seat for Patient to use in their dwelling. Rollator will help Patient to go to the kitchen for feeding, and bathroom for toileting. Patient can safely use rollator, but must have seat for the patient has limited endurance.

ICD 10 CODES:

*R29.6 Difficulty Walking *M62.81 Muscle Weakness *Plus all related diagnosis CHART MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING FOR APPROVAL:

- 1) The date of the exam
- 2) Specify mobility instructions
- 3) Why a cane or walker with not be suffice(i.e risk of falling)
- 4) Specify the need of in home use to complete ADL'S(Feeding/bathing)
- 5) Related Diagnosis