

IMPORTANT

PATIENT AND PASSENGER REQUIREMENTS

1. **Must provide a physician's statement confirming that patient is medically stable and able to fly in non-pressurized conditions. (If the passenger has a medical condition, they will need to have a signed Doctor's statement too.)**
2. **Must sign Wings of Mercy waiver prior to boarding the aircraft.**
3. **May be a blood or organ donor**
4. **May not be on any medication that may cause adverse effects at altitude.**
5. **Must be accompanied by a passenger who is able to assist the patient with any needs that may arise including assisting patient on to and off of the aircraft.**
6. **Must arrange their own ground transportation to and from airports.**
7. **Must give ample advance notice of flight requirements including exact date and time of appointment. All flights depend on weather conditions and pilot availability.**
8. **Must not smoke in or near the aircraft.**
9. **Must not drink coffee, soda pop, or any diuretics within 4 hours of the flight.**
10. **Must arrive at least one half hour prior to scheduled departure time.**
11. **Luggage must be packed in small or medium size containers. Large suitcases may not fit in stow areas.**
12. **For STRETCHER flights: Bring your own blankets and pillows**
13. **VERY IMPORTANT Due to safety precautions of aircraft performance each patient and passenger must provide ACCURATE body weight (to the exact pound – DO NOT ESTIMATE) to the Flight Director. Also, patient and passenger are limited to 15 pounds of luggage each. If total weight exceeds this limitation the pilot, at his discretion, may determine to abort the flight.**

ATTENTION If patient requires additional cargo (wheelchair, stroller, oxygen bottles, etc) it must be approved by the Flight Director and Pilot. Measurements and ACCURATE weights of these items must be provided.