## Prerequisite 7 - VT Sonographer Statement – Sample Form Template

(THIS IS A MANDATORY TEMPLATE CONTAINING ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION)

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Note: This form letter must be printed on official hospital/facility letterhead

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# Prerequisite 7 Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Form To be completed by an Active ARDMS Credentialed Vascular Technologist

I understand that, for purposes of satisfying this requirement, Applicant must be evaluated while scanning actual patients in a diagnostic setting. Simulation is **not** acceptable for this assessment.

This form will serve as verification that [name of Applicant] was employed by and worked with me at [above named facility] between [start date] and [end date] as a Vascular Technologist.

Furthermore, I verify that while under my direct supervision (insert name of Applicant) has successfully performed at least the minimum Required Number of Cases Performed in each study area, as is defined within the chart below.

| Type of Study                                    | Required Number of Cases Performed |
|--|------------------------------------|
| Cerebrovascular                                  |                                    |
| Extracranial Cerebrovascular                     | 25                                 |
| Transcranial Cerebrovascular                     | 10                                 |
| Extremity Venous                                 |                                    |
| Upper Extremity                                  | 10                                 |
| Lower Extremity                                  | 25                                 |
| Extremity Arterial                               |                                    |
| Physiologic                                      | 15                                 |
| Duplex   | 15                                 |
| Visceral (any combination)                       | 10                                 |
| Miscellaneous                                    |                                    |
| Hemodialysis access, vein mapping, venous reflux | 10                                 |

The content outlines found on ARDMS.org/VT under the "Prepare" tab should be reviewed for full examination knowledge, skills and abilities.

[Name of Applicant] performs scans independently and effectively. I attest that the technical quality of [name of Applicant] scans for diagnostic interpretation meets industry standards. Additionally, I verify that [name of Applicant] uses independent professional judgment to adapt the protocol(s) to optimize examination results.

I understand that this verification form may be used by the ARDMS for the purpose of certifying the Applicant in the field of medical sonography. The ARDMS certification is relied upon by both the healthcare community

and consumers as reassurance that the individual performing the ultrasound examination has met national standards in regards to the knowledge, skills and abilities essential to quality sonography.

I agree that by signing this verification form to be subject to and bound by ARDMS disciplinary rules relating to the submission of false or misleading documentation in connection with obtaining or renewing ARDMS certification or recertification.

I understand that submitting false documentation to ARDMS is a violation of ARDMS rules and may result in sanctions including but not limited to revocation of my certification and eligibility for registration (certification) in all categories, including those already held.

My signature below verifies that I have read this form in its entirety and completed it truthfully.

[Insert Signature of the Active ARDMS Credentialed Vascular Technologist]

### [Insert Current Date]

#### ARDMS VT REGISTERED SONOGRAPHER

[Insert Name of the Active ARDMS Credentialed Vascular Technologist]
[Insert ARDMS Number of the Active ARDMS Credentialed Vascular Technologist]
[Insert E-mail Address of the Active ARDMS Credentialed Vascular Technologist]