**20:06:21:43.  Elderly applicants -- Required information.** Before issuance of a long-term care policy or certificate to an applicant age 80 or older, the insurer must obtain one of the following:

 (1)  A report of a physical examination;

 (2)  An assessment of functional capacity;

 (3)  An attending physician's statement; or

 (4)  Copies of medical records.

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