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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.	ched original documents or copy thereof.
1. Name of conveying party(ies): National Patent Medical Partnership, L.P.	Name and address of receiving party(ies):     Name: American White Cross, Inc.
Individual(s) Association General Partnership Z Limited Partnership Corporation-State of	Street Address: 349 Lake Road  City: Dayville State: Connecticut ZIP: 06241
Other  Additional Name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  YesX_ No	Individual(s) citizenship  Association  General Partnership  Limited Partnership  X Corporation-State of Delaware  Other
3. Nature of conveyance:  [X] Assignment [] Merger  [] Security Agreement [] Change of Name  [] Other  Execution Date: September 11, 1997	Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? Yes No
<ul> <li>4. Application number(s) or registration number(s):</li> <li>A. Trademark Application No.(s)</li> <li>Additional numbers attached? [ ] Yes [ X ] No</li> </ul>	B. Trademark Registration No.(s): 1,756,375
5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning documents should be mailed:  Name: Paula D. Morris	6. Total number of applications and registrations involved: [1]
Address: Madan & Morris, PLLC 2603 Augusta Drive, Suite 700 Houston, TX 77057	7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$40.00  [ ] Authorized to be charged to deposit account [ X ] Check Enclosed
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9. Statement and signature.  To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true copy of the original document.  Paula D. Morris  Name of Person Signing  Signature	june 30, 1998  Date
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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NATIONAL PATENT MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP, L.P., having its principal offices at 349 Lake Road, Dayville, Connecticut, has adopted, used, and its successor in interest is using and is the owner of the following trademarks now registered in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

TRADEMARK REGISTRATION NO. REGISTRATION DATE

STAT STRIP 1,756,375 March 9, 1993

WHEREAS, AMERICAN WHITE CROSS, INC., a Delaware corporation, having its principal offices at 349 Lake Road, Dayville, Connecticut 06241, has succeeded to the business, assets and appurtenant goodwill of said NATIONAL PATENT MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP, L.P.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, NATIONAL PATENT MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP, L.P., hereby assigns all right, title and interest in the United States in and to said trademarks and said registrations thereof, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by said trademarks and the registrations thereof.

Signed this // day of September, 1997.

RECORDED: 06/30/1998

NATIONAL PATENT MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP, L.P.

Name:

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