

HIPAA PERMITS DISCLOSURE OF POST TO OTHER HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS AS NECESSARY

**West Virginia Physician Orders
for Scope of Treatment (POST)**

By state law, these medical orders must be followed until changed. Any section not completed indicates full treatment for that section.

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| Last Name | First | Middle |
| Mailing Address | | |
| City/State/Zip | | |
| Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) | Last 4 SSN | Gender |
| ____/____/____ | <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F |

**REVISE ADVANCE DIRECTIVES AS NEEDED
FOR CONSISTENCY WITH POST ORDERS.**

A
Check One

CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR): Person has no pulse and is not breathing.

Attempt Resuscitation/CPR When not in cardiopulmonary arrest, follow orders in B, C, and D.

Do Not Attempt Resuscitation/DNR

B
Check One

MEDICAL INTERVENTIONS: Person has pulse and is breathing.

Comfort Measures Treat with dignity and respect. Keep clean, warm, and dry. Use medications by any route, positioning, wound care and other measures to relieve pain and suffering and promote comfort. Use oxygen, suction and manual treatment of airway obstruction as needed for comfort. **Do not transfer to hospital for life-sustaining treatment. Transfer only if comfort needs cannot be met in current location.**
Treatment Plan: Maximize comfort through symptom management.

Limited Additional Interventions Includes care described above. Use medical treatment, IV fluids and cardiac monitoring as indicated. Do not use intubation or mechanical ventilation. **Transfer to hospital if indicated. Do not transfer to intensive care unit.**
Treatment Plan: Hospitalize for routine medical treatment.

Full Interventions Includes care above. Use intubation and advanced airway interventions, mechanical ventilation, and cardioversion as indicated. **Transfer to hospital if indicated. Include intubation and mechanical ventilation.**
Treatment Plan: Provide all medically indicated treatments including mechanical ventilation.

Additional Orders: _____

C
Check One Box Only in Each Column

MEDICALLY ADMINISTERED FLUIDS AND NUTRITION: Oral fluids and nutrition must be offered as tolerated.

No IV fluids (provide other measures to ensure comfort) **No feeding tube**

IV fluids for a trial period longer than _____ **Feeding tube long-term**

Additional Orders: _____

D

Discussed with:
 Patient/Resident Health care surrogate MPOA representative Spouse
 Court-appointed guardian Parent of Minor Other: _____ (Specify)

Authorization: INITIAL BOX if you agree with the following statement: If I lose decision making capacity and my condition significantly deteriorates, I give permission to my MPOA representative/surrogate to make decisions and to complete a new form with my MD/DO/APRN in accordance with my expressed wishes for such a condition if these wishes are unknown or not reasonably ascertainable, my best interests.

Registry Opt-In: INITIAL BOX if you agree to have your POST form, do not resuscitate card, living will and medical power of attorney form (if completed) submitted to the WV e-Directive Registry and released to treating health care providers. REGISTRY FAX - 844-616-1415

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| Signature of Patient/Resident, Parent of Minor, or Guardian/MPOA Representative/Surrogate (Mandatory) | | Date |
| Signature of MD/DO/APRN | | |
| MD/DO/APRN Name (Print Full Name) | MD/DO/APRN Phone Number | |
| MD/DO/APRN Signature (Mandatory) | Date and Time | |

FORM SHALL ACCOMPANY PATIENT/RESIDENT WHEN TRANSFERRED OR DISCHARGED

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Patient/Resident (Parent for Minor Child) Preferences as a Guide for this POST Form

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| Advance Directive (Living Will or MPOA) | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | <input type="checkbox"/> YES - Attach copy of documentation |
| Organ and Tissue Document of Gift | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | <input type="checkbox"/> YES - Attach copy of documentation |
| Court-appointed Guardian | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | <input type="checkbox"/> YES - Attach copy of documentation |
| Health Care Surrogate Selection | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | <input type="checkbox"/> YES - Attach copy of documentation |

MPOA/Surrogate/Court-appointed Guardian/Parent of Minor Contact Information

| | | |
|------|---------|-------|
| Name | Address | Phone |
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Person Preparing Form

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| Signature of Person Preparing Form | Preparer Name (Print) | Date Prepared |
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F

Review of this POST Form

| Date of Review | Reviewer | MD/DO/APRN Signature | Location of Review | Outcome of Review |
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Review of POST Form

This form should be reviewed if there is a substantial change in patient/resident health status or patient/resident treatment preferences. According to state law, the form must be reviewed if the patient/resident is transferred from one health care setting to another. If this form is to be voided, write the word "VOID" in large letters on the front of the form. After voiding the form, a new form may be completed. *If no new form is completed, note that full treatment and resuscitation may be provided.* FAX voided form and newly completed form to the Registry. Additional forms can be obtained by calling 877-209-8086 or ordered online from the WV Center for End-of-Life Care website at www.wvendoflife.org/Request-Information.

Instructions for Submission to the WV e-Directive Registry (if Opt-In Box is initialed)

FAX a copy of BOTH sides of the POST form to the e-Directive Registry at 844-616-1415. Copy form on your copy machine and adjust the lightness/darkness to contrast depending on your machine so that the form is readable prior to FAXing to the Registry. If you have questions about submission of this POST form or other advance directive documents to the Registry, call 877-209-8086. If you are using POST forms that were printed prior to 2010 and wish to submit them to the Registry, please complete a Sign-Up Form that contains the additional demographic information needed to identify the patient/resident in the Registry. The Sign-Up Form can be downloaded at www.wvendoflife.org/e-Directive-Registry.

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