

**Michigan Physician Orders for Scope of Treatment (MI-POST)**

This MI-POST form is **VOID** if **Patient** Information or **Section D** are blank. Leaving blank any section of the medical orders (Sections A, B, or C), **does not void** the form and implies **full treatment** for that section.

**PATIENT INFORMATION**

Patient Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)		Gender M    F	
Date of Birth    /    /	Date Form Prepared    /    /		
Diagnosis supporting use of MI-POST			

This form is a **Physician Order** sheet based on the medical conditions and decisions of the person identified on this form.

Paper copies, facsimiles and digital images are **valid** and should be followed as if an original copy.

This form is for adults with an advanced illness. It is not for healthy adults.

**MEDICAL ORDERS**

**CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR): Person has NO pulse AND is NOT breathing.**

**A**

- Attempt Resuscitation/CPR (Must choose Full Treatment in Section B)
- DO NOT attempt Resuscitation/CPR (DNR/No CPR, Allow Natural Death)

**B**

**MEDICAL INTERVENTIONS: Person has pulse and/or is breathing.**

- Comfort-Focused Treatment – primary goal of maximizing comfort.**  
Relieve pain and suffering through use of medication by any route, positioning, wound care and other measures. Use oxygen, manual suction treatment of airway obstruction and non-invasive respiratory assistance as needed for comfort. Food and water provided by mouth as tolerated.
- Selective Treatment – goal of treating medical conditions while avoiding burdensome measures.**  
In addition to care described in comfort-focused treatment, use IV fluid therapies, cardiac monitoring including cardioversion, and non-invasive airway support (CPAP, BiPAP) as indicated. DO NOT use advanced invasive airway interventions or mechanical ventilation.  
**May involve transportation to the hospital. Generally avoid intensive care.**
- Full Treatment – primary goal of prolonging life by all medically effective means.**  
In addition to care described in selective treatment, use intubation, advanced invasive airway interventions, mechanical ventilation, cardioversion and other advance interventions as medically indicated.  
**Likely to involve transportation to the hospital. May include intensive care.**

**C**

**ADDITIONAL ORDERS:** Medical orders for whether or when to start, withhold, or stop a specific treatment. Treatments may include but are not limited to dialysis, nutrition, long-term life-support, medications, and blood products.

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**D**

**SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN, NURSE PRACTITIONER (NP) OR PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT (PA)**

*My signature below indicates that these orders are medically appropriate given the patient's current medical condition and reflect to the best of my knowledge the patient's goals for care.*

Signature	Date
Name (print)	Phone #

**COMPLETE BELOW IF ORDERS ARE ISSUED BY NURSE PRACTITIONER OR PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT**

Name of collaborating Physician (print)	Phone #
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**HIPAA PERMITS DISCLOSURE OF MI-POST TO OTHER HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS AS NECESSARY**

**Patient Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Patient First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E**

**SIGNATURE OF PATIENT OR PATIENT REPRESENTATIVE**  
*My signature indicates I have discussed, understand and voluntarily consent to the medical orders on this MI-POST form. I acknowledge that If I am signing as the patient's representative, these decisions are consistent with the patient's wishes to the best of my knowledge.*

Patient       Patient Advocate/Durable Power of Attorney for Healthcare (DPOAH)       Court-appointed Guardian

Name	Signature	Date
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**INFORMATION OF LEGALLY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**  
**Complete this section if this MI-POST form was signed by a Patient Advocate/DPOAH or Court-appointed Guardian**

Address	Phone #	Alternate Phone #
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**F**

**INDIVIDUAL ASSISTING WITH COMPLETION OF MI-POST FORM**

Preparer's Name (print)	Title	Date
Preparer's Signature	Organization	Phone #

**G**

**TO REAFFIRM OR REVOKE THIS FORM**

This MI-POST form can be reaffirmed or revoked at any time. If any of the following has occurred, the form must be revoked or reaffirmed by the patient or patient representative **and** the Attending Health Care Provider within the time frame indicated from the time the event occurred, or the form will be considered VOID.

- **One year** from the date since the form was last signed or reaffirmed
- **30 days** from a change in the patient's attending health care provider
- **1 week** from a change in the patient's place of care, level of care, or care setting; or any unexpected change in the patient's medical condition

**Reaffirming this MI-POST form indicates there are no changes** and requires signatures with dating of reaffirmation below. If treatment changes are desired, revocation of this MI-POST form is required, and a new MI-POST form should be completed. Write "revoked" over the signatures of the patient or patient representative; **and** the signature(s) of the Attending Healthcare Provider, in Sections D and G, if used, on this MI-POST form

- Write "VOID" diagonally on both sides in large letters and dark ink
- Take reasonable action to notify attending health professional, patient, patient representative, and care setting.

If a section was previously blank (Sections A, B or C) and is later completed, follow the procedures for reaffirming.

**If a new form is not completed, full treatment and resuscitation will be provided.**

Reaffirmation #1		Reaffirmation Date
Healthcare Provider Name/Collaborative Physician if applicable	Patient/Representative Name	
Healthcare Provider Signature	Patient/Representative Signature	
Reaffirmation #2		Reaffirmation Date
Healthcare Provider Name/Collaborative Physician if applicable	Patient/Representative Name	
Healthcare Provider Signature	Patient/Representative Signature	
Reaffirmation #3		Reaffirmation Date
Healthcare Provider Name/Collaborative Physician if applicable	Patient/Representative Name	
Healthcare Provider Signature	Patient/Representative Signature	
Reaffirmation #4		Reaffirmation Date
Healthcare Provider Name/Collaborative Physician if applicable	Patient/Representative Name	
Healthcare Provider Signature	Patient/Representative Signature	

**SEND FORM WITH PATIENT WHENEVER TRANSFERRED OR DISCHARGED**