FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Office of Medical Marijuana Use

Florida's Official Source for Medical Use

Know the Facts: Patients

HOW IT WORKS

A qualified physician diagnoses a patient with a qualifying medical condition.

If the patient is younger than 18 or terminal, a second physician must concur and this determination must be reflected in the patient's medical records.

The physician enters the patient's information and order into the Medical Marijuana Use Registry.

If the patient has a caregiver, they must also be added in the registry.

- The patient and their caregiver must then apply for a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification Card.
- The patient may fill the physician's order at any approved Medical Marijuana Treatment Center or via delivery.

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A Qualified Patient Must:

- Be a permanent or seasonal Florida resident
- Be diagnosed with a qualifying medical condition
- Obtain a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification Card

Know the Responsibilities of Your Physician:

- Obtain the voluntary, written, informed consent from the patient or their legal guardian
- Enter an order for the patient into the Medical Marijuana Use
 Registry and update the registry within 7 days of any change

Qualifying Conditions:

Cancer

Epilepsy

Glaucoma

HIV/AIDS

Crohn's disease

Parkinson's disease

Multiple sclerosis (MS)

Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)

Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)

Medical conditions of the same kind or class as or comparable to those listed

A terminal condition diagnosed by a physician other than the qualified physician issuing the physician certification

Chronic nonmalignant pain caused by a qualifying medical condition or that originates from a qualifying medical condition and persists beyond the usual course of that qualifying medical condition

For More Information:

- To find a qualified physician
- To apply for a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification Card
- To locate a Medical Marijuana Treatment Center
- To learn more

Go to KnowTheFactsMMJ.com or call 800-808-9580