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Oregon POLST Registry

News and Announcements

Tips from OPR

- **COVER UP so we can FOLLOW UP** Please include a coversheet with every fax so we can follow up and give you “credit” for your submissions.
- **Need a coversheet?** Visit our website! www.orpolstregistry.org
- **Pre-screen** See the quick reference guide below!
- **Did you know?** 20-25% of POLST forms received each month are Not Registry Ready (NRR) and cannot be entered into the Registry. Pre-screening helps to reduce this rate.
- **Questions?** Call or email! *We are here to help!*

Fact

The Oregon POLST Registry has received POLST form requests from every county in Oregon and five other states.

OPR Annual Report

The Oregon POLST Registry is excited to announce the release of our 2015 annual report! The report details 6 years of POLST Registry operations and growth. Electronic copies can be found on our website on the Reports and Publications page.

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✂ *Make pre-screening forms easy! Detach the below and post near your fax*

Oregon POLST Registry Quick Reference:

Completed POLST Forms

- ✓ Confirm required fields are complete and legible
 - Full name –Provider Signature
 - Date of Birth –Date Signed
 - At least one order selection is completed* (example: In section B ‘Limited Intervention’ is checked)
 - *The Registry cannot accept forms marked Attempt CPR & Comfort Measures Only
- ✓ Confirm the patient has not “opted-out”
 - If the “opt-out” box (forms 2009 and newer) is checked the form should not be sent to the Registry
- ✓ Inclusion of address information for the patient is **HIGHLY** recommend
- ✓ Send to the Registry:
 - Copies of the **front and back** sides of the POLST form
 - Cover sheet to identify your institution

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