

National POLST logos

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Logo Program

- The National POLST office provides customized logos to qualified, participating POLST programs, generally those which achieve Endorsed status. Logo guidelines and ready to use formats are also provided as part of this service.
- The purpose of the logo program is to promote the recognition of qualifying state programs as adherent to and compliant with National POLST, via continuity of branding and logo usage.



Glossary

- **National POLST** is the nonprofit entity that, through its governance body standardizes the core requirements for POLST. National POLST promotes and educates on those standards nationally, as well as reviews state POLST Programs for compliance with those standards.
- The **Leadership Council** is similar to a board of directors for National POLST. It is responsible for managing the nonprofit from a business standpoint.
- The **Plenary Assembly** is the body of representatives, ideally 1 or 2 from every POLST program in the U.S. It votes on issues such as formal guidance and policies which establish standards for National POLST and its programs ("programmatic elements").
- **POLST** is the process of eliciting, completing, documenting and honoring a POLST form promoted by National POLST. This includes appropriate conversations and completion of the form, as well as use of the form across care settings in honoring patient treatment wishes.

Organizational chart (see www.polst.org/leadership)

