

## Oregon POLST Coalition Endorsement

Reaffirming endorsement of PAs ability to sign POLST forms:

**“The Oregon POLST Coalition reaffirms our endorsement of the authority of physician assistants to independently sign POLST orders without the counter signature of their supervising physician. In addition the Coalition endorses retaining the name (but not the signature) of their supervising physician on the back of the form. These standards have been approved by the Oregon Medical Board and have been in place since 2007. These standards are reflected in the current version of the Oregon POLST form. The Oregon POLST Coalition reaffirms our support of these standards.”**

Approved by the Oregon POLST Coalition: October 17, 2019