

# Office of Medical Marijuana Use

## Low-THC Cannabis & Medical Marijuana

### Patient's Guide

#### HOW IT WORKS

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A physician diagnoses a patient with a qualifying condition for low-THC cannabis or medical marijuana. 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.

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The physician obtains voluntary, written, informed consent from the patient.

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The physician enters the order into the Medical Marijuana Use Registry.

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The patient must apply for a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification card.

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The patient may fill the order at any approved Medical Marijuana Treatment Center.

#### Know the Responsibilities of Your Physician:

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

#### A Qualified Patient Must:

- Be diagnosed with a qualifying condition
- Has/obtains a Medical Marijuana Use Registry Identification Card.
- Be a Florida resident

#### Qualifying Conditions

Cancer	Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)
Epilepsy	Atrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS)
Glaucoma	A terminal condition diagnosed by a physician other than the qualified physician is suing the physician certification
HIV/AIDS	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
Crohn's disease	
Parkinson's disease	
Multiple sclerosis (MS)	
Medical conditions of the same kind or class as or comparable to those above	

#### For More Information:

- To find a qualified physician
- To locate a Medical Marijuana Treatment Center
- To learn more

Go to [www.flhealth.gov/ommu](http://www.flhealth.gov/ommu)

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