



ACTIVATION DATE
(insert date form is complete)

REQUIRED ANNUAL REVIEW DATE
(insert date 1 year from the date of activation)

ACTIVATION OF DPOAH/ADVANCE DIRECTIVE

In the manner of patient, _____ DOB: _____

As the patient's physician, I am making a clinical determination that the patient named above no longer has complex decisional capacity and is no longer able to make informed decisions in the follow areas: *(check all that apply)*

- determining where to live handling personal financial affairs independent care
- authorizing or refusing medical treatments consenting to supportive/complex medical treatment

This determination was made regardless of age or disability and due to the following:

- a) Medical diagnosis: _____
- b) Physical or psychological indications: _____
- c) The prognosis for improvement in the patient's condition is: _____ with an anticipated duration: _____

I understand that this determination requires the review, concurrence and signature of a second physician or licensed psychologist in order to become effective in activating their advance directive, that the patient has the right to dispute this determination in probate court and that this determination must be reviewed annually.

Hospital Attending Physician's Signature

Date of Initial Determination

Time of Initial Determination

SUPPORTING MEDICAL/PSYCHOLOGICAL STATEMENT

Based upon a request from the below named patient's attending physician, I have studied their current status and have also determined that this patient is no longer capable of participating in the medical treatment decision making process affecting their own health care. I am in full concurrence with the attending physician's determination.

Supporting Physician's or Licensed Psychologist's Signature

Date of Initial Determination

Time of Initial Determination

Annual Review Requirement

Michigan Law (MCL 700.5508) requires review of the activation of the DPOAH by both the patient's attending physician and another physician or licensed psychologist not less than annually.

