ADVANCE CARE PLANNING

MyChart DOCUMENT UPLOADING GUIDELINES

Prior to uploading your document into MyChart please review the essential elements of a valid advance directive or DPOA for health care legal document.

1. Your document is called an advance directive, durable power of attorney for health care or patient advocate designation.

Other documents that may be uploaded include:

- Living Will
- Five Wishes Form
- Respecting Choices Optional Worksheets
- Michigan Physician Orders for Scope of Treatment (MI-POST)
- 2. Your name is on the document.
- **3.** Your patient advocate's name is on the document.
 - To add or edit a patient advocate in MyChart you must have an advance directive legal document uploaded or on file.
- **4.** You have signed and dated the document.
- 5. Two witnesses signed and dated the document.

The witness cannot be:

- the person appointed as your patient advocate
- under the age of 18
- related to you by blood, marriage or adoption
- your physician or health care provider
- an employee of a health care facility that is caring for you
- an employee of your life or health insurance provider
- a creditor or any one who will be entitled to any part of your estate
- *a notary is not required
- **6.** The dates of the signatures match.

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YOU MUST UPLOAD YOUR MULTIPLE PAGE DOCUMENT AS **ONE FILE** (you cannot upload the pages separately)

