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To: Administrator, DNS, Medical Director, Director of Social Services, Infection Preventionist and QA Committee

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Re: Revisions to the MOLST Form (DOH-5003)

As you may already be aware, earlier today the Department released a Dear Administrator Letter (found here) outlining the revisions made to the Medical Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (MOLST) (DOH-5003) form. The MOLST webpage has been updated and contains general instructions, legal requirements checklists for adult patients, and a glossary for the MOLST.

Existing MOLST forms that have already been completed for residents remain valid. No changes have been made to the one-page Nonhospital Order Not to Resuscitate DOH-3474.

Providers are encouraged to replace their current supplies of MOLST with the most updated version. To order MOLST forms, complete <u>doh_publication_order_form.pdf</u> and email it to <u>bmcc@health.ny.gov</u>.

We recommend you review and incorporate the MOLST Checklists located here: https://www.health.ny.gov/professionals/patients/patient_rights/molst/.

If you are an eMOLST user in need of technical support, please contact Excellus IT at emolstadmin@excellus.com.

In addition, you can access the updated FAQ document here: MOLST FAQs.

Thank You, GNYHCFA Team