Last Steps Facilitators in the Hospital Setting: A Collaborative Test of Change

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Learning Objectives

• Describe one strategy used to identify individuals through the EHR who are appropriate for POST
• List three key components that are necessary to create a successful POST service in the hospital setting
Would you be surprised if this patient dies within the next 12 months?

If no, a consult for POST-LAST Steps is recommended. Click accept, then sign the order. An ACP facilitator will coordinate an appropriate time for discussion with patient.

If no, but you do not want a facilitator to see patient this admission click "Not appropriate for this admission" and accept.

If yes, click "Patient unlikely to die in <12 months" and accept.

If you are not on primary service for this admission, click "Defer to Primary Physician" and accept.

Order | Do Not Order | Consult for POST / Last Steps (ACP)

The following actions have been applied:

- Patient identified as candidate for POST discussion

Acknowledgment Reason

- Patient unlikely to die in <12 months
- Not appropriate for this admission
- Defer to Primary Physician

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Consult for Last Steps / POST

Consult: From: To:
Priority: Routine | Routine | STAT
Frequency: ONE TIME - TODAY | Timed | 1 Time Today
Scheduled Time: 09/18/2018 08:28

Comments:

- POST is for patients with serious illness or frailty for whom their health care professional would not be surprised if they died within a year.

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Thank You