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Medical Marijuana Certification Begins In Missouri

Green Health Docs Offers Certificates Ahead of Registry Opening

St. Louis, Columbia & Kansas City, MO (June 5, 2019) — The Missouri medical marijuana program is about to get underway, as the state will open its medical cannabis registry July 5, 2019. Patients, however, can begin receiving their medical marijuana certifications from licensed medical marijuana physicians 30 days prior, beginning June 4, 2019.

Enter <u>Green Health Docs</u>, a medical marijuana evaluation clinic with offices in Maryland, Ohio, Oklahoma and Missouri. Their licensed physicians help patients obtain Missouri medical marijuana cards at three convenient Missouri locations in <u>St. Louis</u>, <u>Kansas City</u> and <u>Columbia</u>.

"Our patients are beyond excited to finally have access to a healthy alternative to opioids," Dr. Anand Dugar, owner of Green Health Docs, stated. "They're also excited to take part in Missouri history. Availability of medical cannabis is a game-changer for many patients, and the Show-Me State has now joined that powerful movement."

After June 4, patients will be able to obtain their official certification from their medical marijuana doctor. Once the registry is open, these patients will be able to register their certification with the state and receive their official medical marijuana card. A medical marijuana card grants a patient access to buy, grow, transport, possess and use medical cannabis throughout Missouri.

In order to qualify for a medical marijuana card, Missouri residents must have documented evidence of one of the 21 qualifying conditions, including Alzheimer's disease (or agitation related to), any terminal illness, autism, cancer, Crohn's disease, chronic pain or neuropathy, epilepsy, glaucoma, hepatitis C, HIV/AIDS or cachexia or wasting syndrome, Huntington's disease, IBS, intractable migraines, Lou Gehrig's disease, multiple sclerosis, opioid substitution, Parkinson's disease, PTSD or other "debilitating psychiatric disorders," Tourette syndrome, sickle cell anemia, and seizures.

If you do not have one of the qualifying conditions above, however, the State of Missouri has also added a special clause stating that "any other chronic, debilitating or other medical condition that may be alleviated by marijuana is in the professional judgement of a physician."

This means that patients can bring their medical records to a medical marijuana doctor, and this physician can determine if cannabis would help their ailments during the evaluation.

"Missouri's diverse culture and political landscape make it a great place to expand the medical marijuana movement," Randy Shaffer, National Marketing Manager for Green Health Docs, noted. "The more people learn about medical marijuana, the more they understand who medical marijuana patients really are. These are not just stoners. These are real people struggling to find a safe alternative to medicines that are either dangerous, or haven't worked for them at all. In fact, the more people learn about cannabis, the more they often realize they, too, might want to become a medical marijuana patient."

The details of Missouri medical marijuana dispensaries are still being hashed out. Dispensaries are expected to begin rolling out in early 2020. Medical marijuana patients will be allowed to grow their own cannabis plants — up to six female flowering plants, six male plants and six clones, for a total of 18 plants. To do so, patients must first obtain an identification card from the Missouri Department of Health.

Current Green Health Docs patients can call 1-877-242-0362 or stop by their <u>Missouri offices</u> to receive their official certification. To become a Green Health Docs patient, simply call or text the number above. The support team at Green Health Docs can walk you through the entire process, from gathering medical records to obtaining your official Missouri medical marijuana card once the registry is active.

About Green Health Docs

Green Health Docs is a trusted, leading provider of medical marijuana evaluations throughout Maryland, Ohio, Oklahoma and Missouri. Their mission is to combat the opioid crisis in America by providing healthy alternative medicines, like medical marijuana and CBD.

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