

New Patient Process

Are you thinking of becoming a medical marijuana patient in Montana? It's very simple! Follow these easy steps

WHERE DO I GO??

Go to a physician for a quick visit to obtain your recommendation? Aren't sure where to find a Doc? We frequently recommend Dr. Hedgyes at Wellness Solutions Montana. His website is wellnesssolutionsmt.com, and schedule yourself an appointment!!

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING??

Copy of MT Driver's License, MT State ID, or MT Tribal ID.
For minor cardholder applicants, a copy of MT Driver's License, MT State ID, or MT Tribal ID of legal guardian.

WHAT CONDITIONS MAKE ME ELIGIBLE??

- Cancer, glaucoma or positive status for human immunodeficiency virus, or acquired immune deficiency syndrome when the condition or disease results in symptoms that seriously and adversely affect the patient's health status.
- Cachexia or wasting syndrome
- Severe chronic pain that is persistent pain of severe intensity that significantly interferes with daily activities as documented by the patient's treating physician
- Intractable nausea or vomiting
- Epilepsy or an intractable seizure disorder
- Multiple sclerosis
- Crohn's disease
- Painful peripheral neuropathy

- A central nervous system disorder resulting in chronic, painful spasticity or muscle spasms
- Admittance into hospice care
- Post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)

**The cost may vary at different physician's office, but it is usually between \$130 – \$150 dollars .

WHAT NEXT?

Now you need to submit your Physicians Statement to the Montana State Health Department for Approval .

Have your ID handy! You will have to take a picture of your ID and a photo of yourself to complete the application. *The Photo of yourself cannot include sunglasses or a hat*.

1. Visit <https://mt-public.mycomplia.com/#:/signin>
2. Register (in the upper right hand corner, there is a 'Register Button'
 - a. Follow the steps for the registrations, and you will receive an email for confirmation
3. After you confirm you account, you can log in!!
4. Once in the portal, select 'new application' from the left hand menu
 - a. Then, select 'New Patient Registration'.
 - b. Complete Each section of the application, and after each page, click 'save and next' to ensure your info is saved in case of any problems!
 - c. The section labled 'Documents' is where you have to submit photos of your ID, the photo of yourself, and photos of your Physician Statement.
 - i. We suggest taking these photos and emailing them to yourself, saving them to your desktop and then downloading them into the Documents section.
5. Complete the Application by clicking pay and submit, at which time you can enter your credit or debit card information (the fee to the state is \$30.00).

Congrats!! You're Done!!

Now all you have to do is wait for the state to receive and accept your application. This usually takes 7-14 days, although with COVID19, wait times have been longer!

****ALWAYS Remember that you can call ANY of our five locations for assistance with this process!**** We are here to help you during every part of your new relationship with cannabis!******

If your card doesn't come within 3 weeks or so, please call the state to check on the status of your application (406) 444-0596