You may be eligible if you have been diagnosed with one of these 10 medical conditions (cancer, HIV infection or AIDS, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), Parkinson’s disease, multiple sclerosis, spinal cord injury with spasticity, epilepsy, inflammatory bowel disease, neuropathy, and Huntington’s disease) accompanied by an associated condition (cachexia or wasting syndrome, severe or chronic pain, severe nausea, seizures, or severe or persistent muscle spasms),

You are a resident of New York State (NYS) or if you are receiving treatment in New York State for one of the above-listed conditions.

If your physician is registered with the New York State Department of Health’s Medical Marijuana Program, he or she may issue you a certification for medical marijuana.

If your treating physician would like to register with the program, additional information can be found on the Department’s website: [https://www.health.ny.gov/regulations/medical_marijuana/practitioner/](https://www.health.ny.gov/regulations/medical_marijuana/practitioner/)

If your physician is not registered, he/she can make a referral for you by accessing a database (via Health Commerce System) that will identify registered physicians who consented to be listed and their specialties.

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Once you have a doctor’s certification*, you may register as a patient.

**Certification expires after a year or sooner, if specified by your doctor, and must be renewed

Log in to your NY.gov account or create one by visiting [https://my.ny.gov](https://my.ny.gov).

Click on “Health Applications” and then “Medical Marijuana Data Management System”

For your application will need to provide:
- Name, DOB, a doctor’s signed certification, photo ID and proof of residency
- A $50 application fee that can be waived with proof of financial hardship

After your application is completed and approved, you will receive your registry ID card in the mail, which you need in order to purchase medical marijuana from a dispensary
- Find a dispensary closest to you: goo.gl/HDSsxz

**A patient may designate up to 2 caregivers who also need to complete the online registration

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1. Determine your eligibility for medical marijuana.
2. Speak with your treating physician about whether medical marijuana may help you.
3. Register with DOH’s online patient registration system**:

For more information on the registration process:
- Visit our website: [http://www.compassionatecarenyny.org/resources/](http://www.compassionatecarenyny.org/resources/)
- Visit NYS DOH’s website: [https://www.health.ny.gov/regulations/medical_marijuana/patients/](https://www.health.ny.gov/regulations/medical_marijuana/patients/)
- Contact the Medical Marijuana Program: 866-811-7957 or mmp@health.ny.gov

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