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## POLST Update

### Register Now!

#### **POLST: It Starts with a Conversation**

##### **The California POLST Education Program**

This two-day train-the-trainer course uses the standardized California POLST training curriculum designed to provide an understanding of the POLST Paradigm, as well as how to complete the form to reflect a patient's wishes. The training provides opportunities for attendees to develop skills for facilitating meaningful conversations with patients and their families about POLST and goals of care, ideas for implementing POLST within communities, and training other individuals.

The program is designed for those who are:

- Initiating a POLST program
- Educating professional healthcare staff about POLST, including: nursing, social service, chaplains and other interested staff from skilled nursing and acute care hospitals, emergency medical services, home health and hospice

##### **Dates/Locations:**

July 27-28 – Dominican Hospital, Santa Cruz

Aug 31-Sept 1 – Citrus Valley Health Partners, Covina (LA area)

Sept 20-21 – Eden Medical Center, Castro Valley (Oakland area)

Cost - \$169 (partial scholarships available)

Registration - <http://www.finalchoices.org/events.html>

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