

# DO NOT ATTEMPT CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION

Adults aged 16 years and over

DNACPRadult.1(2015)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
NHS number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of DNACPR decision:

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**DO NOT PHOTOCOPY**

In the event of cardiac or respiratory arrest no attempts at cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) are intended. All other appropriate treatment and care will be provided.

**1 Does the patient have capacity to make and communicate decisions about CPR?** YES / NO

If "YES" go to box 2

If "NO", are you aware of a valid advance decision refusing CPR which is relevant to the current condition? If "YES" go to box 6 YES / NO

If "NO", has the patient appointed a Welfare Attorney to make decisions on their behalf? If "YES" they must be consulted. YES / NO

All other decisions must be made in the patient's best interests and comply with current law. Go to box 2

**2 Summary of the main clinical problems and reasons why CPR would be inappropriate, unsuccessful or not in the patient's best interests:**

**3 Summary of communication with patient (or Welfare Attorney). If this decision has not been discussed with the patient or Welfare Attorney state the reason why:**

**4 Summary of communication with patient's relatives or friends:**

**5 Names of members of multidisciplinary team contributing to this decision:**

**6 Healthcare professional recording this DNACPR decision:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

**7 Review and endorsement by most senior health professional:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Review date (if appropriate):

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_