

treatment, including the treatment and progress of patients after their POLSTs were written, this study aimed to identify the POLST-related characteristics of patients with lung diseases, including both lung cancer and non-malignant lung diseases like COPD. This was done in an effort to support the implementation of a system for choosing life-sustaining therapy based on the features of patients with lung cancer and non-malignant lung illnesses.

Conclusions

The coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic may be to blame for the current study's finding of a greater percentage of self-determination than in prior research. During the COVID-19 pandemic, the applicability of POLSTs for patients with lung illnesses.