

Making A Difficult Decision Easier For Your Family

As technology and medical advances extend the average American's life span, it is important that you document your wishes for end-of-life medical treatment. Making your wishes known to physicians and family will spare them the burden of making a complicated decision during a difficult time.

Living wills and durable powers of attorney can guide your loved ones and doctors if you are unable to make decisions about your medical care. Even if you are in good health, you should consider writing an advance directive. Accidents and serious illnesses can happen suddenly. If you have a signed advance directive, your wishes are more likely to be followed.

Laws about advance directives, living wills and health care powers of attorney differ by state. That is why it is important to consult your attorney, who can help you prepare these documents. For more information, call the Hyatt Legal Plans Client Service Center at **800-821-6400** or visit the web site at www.legalplans.com.



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