

Advanced Healthcare Directive / Document of Advanced Wills / Living wills

First Name Last name.....

ID Card/Passport number

Home address.

Postcode.. City Telephone

I have sufficient capacity to make a decision freely, and with the appropriate information that has allowed me to deeply consider and reflect on this matter.

1. I State:

In accordance with Law 21/2000 of the Parliament of Catalonia and Basic Law 41/2002 of the Spanish State, I hereby sign this Document of Advanced Wills. **This is so that when** I find myself in a situation in which I become unable to make my own decisions or express my own will, the values and preferences **that the instructions** I set out are based upon shall be known. I want them to be respected regarding my health care.

2. LIFE VALUES: For my life project, the **quality of life** is a very important aspect and I relate this quality of life to the following assumptions:

- I have the ability to communicate and relate consciously with other people.
- I do not suffer physical or mental pain.
- I have functional capacity which allows me to be autonomous in daily life.
- I don't want my life to be artificially prolonged when the clinical situation is irreversible.

ASSUMPTIONS AND SITUATIONS: I want the aforementioned vital values to be respected in the following situations:

- I have a severe and irreversible brain damage, from any cause or even by accident
- I suffer a degenerative disease in the disabling phase.
- I have reached an advanced old age with significant deterioration in my general condition.
- I suffer a disease with a fatal prognosis.
- I am in a situation in which there are no expectations of recovery without consequences that prevent a dignified life as I understand it and I expressed in the previous section.

Select the one option from the three below that you would like your instructions to be followed from.

- Moderate dementia**, which prevents me from living alone and/or carrying out activities such as: going out unaccompanied, cooking, shopping, ...
- Moderately severe dementia**, which makes it impossible to fend for myself in activities such as: dressing, showering, eating alone, going to the toilet, reading, writing,...
- Severe dementia**, which prevents me from: communicating or recognizing people close to me emotionally and/or keeps me immobilized in a chair or in bed, ...

3. INSTRUCTIONS ON HEALTH ACTIONS:

In the situations previously expressed I want the adequacy of the diagnostic and therapeutic efforts to be carried out:

- Not initiating cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- Not initiating or withdrawing treatments that would prolong my life by artificial means with life support techniques or futile treatments of any kind.
- Administering the necessary drugs to avoid possible physical and/or mental suffering, reaching, if necessary, deep and continuous palliative sedation.
- If my dementia makes me unable to feed and hydrate myself, I do not want to be fed or hydrated by any procedure.
- I only accept mechanical or pharmacological restraint when it is to avoid harm to myself or to third parties, and always with a medical prescription.
- Faced with a complication of my condition, whenever possible, I want to be taken care of in the place where I reside.
- Some pathologies are characterized by a lack of illness awareness. If, at a time of executing my will as expressed in this document, I express an opinion that differs from its content, I demand that my will as stated herein prevail.
- Subject to the fulfillment of the requirements set out in the current legislation, I hereby request medical assistance in dying via euthanasia. I wish for this document to serve as a formal application for such assistance.
- I hereby donate my organs and tissues.

4. ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS:

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5. I REQUEST:

Health professionals who are not in a position to attend to my wishes should refer me to another care team that can.

APPOINTMENT AS REPRESENTATIVE (optional),

In the event that I am unable to express my wishes, and in accordance with current legislation, I appoint the following individuals as my representatives for the interpretation and application of this document, in accordance with the healthcare team that will care for me:

Signature of the representative:

First Name Last name.....
ID Card/Passport number
Home address.
Postcode.. City Telephone

Alternate representative:

First Name Last name.....
ID Card/Passport number
Home address.
Postcode.. City Telephone

Signature of the person making this Advanced Healthcare Directive

City.....
Date.....
Signature: