



A Volunteer Client Adviser can help you with the most difficult end-of-life decisions

End of Life Washington provides advocacy, counseling, and emotional support to individuals who desire a peaceful, humane death. We encourage everyone who calls us to explore all options for end-of-life care. Our volunteers empower patients to seek excellent end-of-life care and effective pain and symptom management, while upholding the individual's right to seek aid in dying via the Death with Dignity Act to avoid intolerable suffering. There is never a fee for any service provided by End of Life Washington.

The Volunteer Client Adviser can help with:

1. Talking to your loved ones about dying.
2. Making decisions about what you want at end-of-life.
3. Understanding hospice, palliative care, and pain and symptom management.
4. Discussing the many ways to control the manner and timing of death.
5. The Death with Dignity Act (DWDA), including
 - Information and guidance through the process.
 - Instruction for talking to your doctors about Death with Dignity.
 - Locating physicians and pharmacists who support a patient's choice to use the law.
 - Preparing the Death with Dignity medication.
 - Being present with you, if you choose to take the Death with Dignity medication.

Although open and honest dialogue about dying is becoming more common, many people still feel constrained in speaking their minds. End of Life Washington was founded so people can have these conversations without discomfort, knowing that their concerns will be addressed in a nonjudgmental atmosphere.

Please visit endoflifewa.org. It contains all of our patient resources, physician resources, links to related websites, and other resources you might find helpful.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact our office at 206.256.1636. Of course all contacts and information are held in the strictest confidence.