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I, \_\_\_\_\_ MAKE THIS MEDICAL DIRECTIVE AS AN INDICATION OF MY WISHES REGARDING MEDICAL TREATMENT IN THE EVENT THAT ILLNESS SHOULD MAKE ME UNABLE TO COMMUNICATE THEM DIRECTLY. I MAKE THIS DIRECTIVE, BEING 18 YEARS OF AGE OR MORE, OF SOUND MIND, AND APPRECIATING THE CONSEQUENCES OF MY DECISIONS. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS IS NOT A LEGAL DOCUMENT, BUT IS TO BE USED AS A GUIDE FOR MY PROXY.

Signature:	Witness to signature:

LEGEND  W = I want  DNW = I do not want  UND = I am undecided	Situation A If I become acutely ill and unable to express my wishes and in the opinion of my physicians there is <b>reasonable hope that I can return to my previous state of health</b> , then the following guidelines should be followed:	Situation B If I become acutely ill and unable to express my wishes and in the opinion of my physicians there is <b>little or no reasonable chance that I can return to my previous state of health</b> , then the following guidelines should be followed:	Situation C If I become acutely ill and unable to express my wishes and in the opinion of my physicians <b>I have severe permanent brain damage which would make me unable to recognize people or make rational decisions</b> , then the following guidelines should be followed:
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Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) - the use of artificial means to start the heart beating	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Mechanical breathing - use of a ventilator	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Artificial nutrition - nutrition and feeding given through a tube in the vein, nose, or stomach	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Major surgery - potential complications and discomfort	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Kidney dialysis -	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

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Minor surgery or invasive diagnostic tests - such as removing some tissue or using a flexible tube to look in the stomach with potential discomfort	<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>			
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Simple Diagnostic Tests - little potential for complications or discomfort such as X-rays	<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>			
Pain medication even if they may indirectly hasten by death	<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>				<table border="1" style="width:100%; height:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%; height:30px;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> <td style="width:33%;"></td> </tr> </table>			
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