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[“When patients choose to end their lives.”](#) Jane Brody, *The New York Times* (4/5/2021)

[“Doctor Assisted Suicide Is Contagious, Too. Why Aren't We Sounding the Alarm?”](#) *Kansas City Star* (6/21/18)

[“A Year After DC Passed Its Controversial Assisted Suicide Law, Not a Single Patient Has Used It.”](#) *Washington Post* (4/10/18)

[“Voting for aid in dying was easy, but one Colorado couple struggled toward a graceful death.”](#) *The Denver Post* (12/14/17)

[“I’m dying of brain cancer. I prepared to end my life. Then I kept living.”](#) *Washington Post* (9/29/17)

[“Compassionate Responses to Suffering at the End of Life.”](#) Jennifer Moore Ballentine, *Colorado Medicine* (May/June 2017)

[“The Effect of Legalizing Assisted Suicide on Palliative Care and Suicide Rates: A Response to Compassion and Choices.”](#) Richard Doerflinger, MA, for the Charlotte Lozier Institute (3/3/2017)

[“Physician Aid in Dying by Advance Directive.”](#) Bioethics Blog Tracker, Bioethics Research Library of Georgetown University (3/2/2017)

[“‘Take My Name Off the List; I Can't Do Any More’: Some Doctors Are Backing Out of Assisted Death.”](#) Sharon Kirkey, *The National Post* (Canada, 2/26/2017)

[“Docs in Northwest Tweak Aid-in-Dying Drugs to Prevent Prolonged Deaths.”](#) JoNel Aleccia, Kaiser Health News (2/21/2017)

[“Doctor-Assisted Suicide? Neutrality is not an option.”](#) Frederick J. White, MD, *Orlando Sentinel* (11/20/16)

[“No on Proposition 106.”](#) *The Denver Post* opposes legalization of physician-assisted death in Colorado (10/11/16)

[“Oregon State Assisted Suicide Reports Substantiate Critics’ Concerns.”](#) Not Dead Yet (10/4/2016)

[“A Doctor-Assisted Disaster for Medicine.”](#) William L. Toffler, MD, *Wall Street Journal* (8/17/15)

[“Law and Sausage: Physician-Assisted Death and the Solution to Suffering.”](#) Jennifer Moore Ballentine, *Natural Transitions* (7/2016)

[“Against Euphemisms – Part 4 – Assisted Death.”](#) Drew Rosielle, MD, Pallimed blog (7/26/16)

[“Debating Physician-Assisted Suicide: The Risks vs The Right to Choose.”](#) New Hampshire Public Radio (3/6/16)

A radio interview on [“Colorado Matters”](#) (Colorado Public Radio, 2/27/2016) discussing concerns about the new Colorado End-of-Life Options Act and educational programs to ensure providers understand the law, their responsibilities, and their choices.

[“The Death Treatment.”](#) Rachel Aviv, *The New Yorker*, (6/22/2015), detailing the practices of physician-assisted suicide and euthanasia for depression in Belgium

[“Democrats shouldn't endorse suicide.”](#) Ira Byock, MD, *Politico* (6/8/2015)

["Always Care, Never Kill: How Physician-Assisted Suicide Endangers the Weak, Corrupts Medicine, Compromises the Family, and Violates Human Dignity and Equality."](#) Ryan T. Anderson, PhD, The Heritage Foundation (3/2015)

["Physician-Assisted Suicide Is Always Wrong."](#) Ryan T. Anderson, PhD, *Newsweek* (3/26/15)

A [20-minute televised interview](#) with Jennifer Ballentine (opposing), Barbara Combs Lee (President Compassion & Choices, supporting) and two legislator bill sponsors (supporting) (2/1/15)

["We \(Canadians\) have the right to die but no right to quality palliative care."](#) Harvey Chochinov, MD, The Providence (blog) (2/15)

["Dying shouldn't be so brutal."](#) Ira Byock, MD, editorial in *New York Times* (1/31/15)

["We should think twice about 'death with dignity.'"](#) Ira Byock, MD, editorial in *Los Angeles Times* (1/30/15)

["Assisted Dying Debate, Bristol Museum."](#) Katherine Sleeman (1/26/15)

A [brief televised interview](#) with Jennifer Ballentine (opposing) regarding PAS and a difficult patient case in Denver (1/17/15)

["Hospice Opposes Physician-Assisted Suicide"](#) (1/15/15)

["14 Reasons to Oppose Physician-Assisted Suicide,"](#) prepared by the New Jersey Hospice and Palliative Care Organization to defeat proposed bill, 2015

["A Progressive case against an assisted suicide law."](#) Disability Rights Education and Defense Fund (2014)

["Suicide tourism" to Switzerland has doubled since 2009."](#) J. Wilson, CNN online news (2014)

[Vermont Senate Testimony,](#) Ira Byock, MD (1/31/13)

["Liberals should be wary of physician-assisted suicide."](#) E.J. Dionne, Jr., *Washington Post* blog (11/12)

["Four myths about doctor-assisted suicide."](#) Ezekiel Emanuel, MD, *New York Times* (10/27/12)

["Question 2 insults Kennedy's memory."](#) Vickie Kennedy (widow of Sen. Edward Kennedy), *Cape Cod Times* (10/12). Note: Question 2 was a ballot initiative launched in Mass. to legalize PAS. It failed in November 2012.

["Why I Am Against Physician-Assisted Suicide."](#) Eddie Ytuarte, Peace and Freedom Party, California's Feminist Socialist Political Party, 2007

["How does assisted suicide work: A guide to Death with Dignity in Oregon."](#) M. Engber, *Slate* (10/6/05)