

Medical Assistance in Dying

A comprehensive approach for patients, families and health care providers

Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) is a personal matter for many people, with implications for patients and their families, health care partners and provincial health system stakeholders.

Bayshore HealthCare is committed to providing high quality care to our end of life clients and has developed a comprehensive solution for those seeking support with Medical Assistance in Dying. We believe patients should, **at all times**, be treated with understanding, compassion and dignity and should be provided with factual, objective information about MAID.

Health care partners, Physicians, Nurse Practitioners and patients and their families are provided with a single point of contact at Bayshore, to ensure they have the support they need. Our integrated care team means the most responsible practitioner has access to nursing and pharmacy support, while patients are cared for with respect and dignity. Additionally, we can assist in the coordination and provision of all necessary palliative and end of life nursing care along with pharmacy services required for the process of Medical Assistance in Dying.



Better care for a better life

Bayshore HealthCare has been enhancing the quality of life, dignity and independence of Canadians in their homes since 1966. Offering a wide range of personal and community health care services through more than 60 home care offices and 30 community care clinics across Canada, we strive to make a difference in our clients lives – *every visit, every time*.

For more information or support, please contact Bayshore at **1.866.841.2036**. Our care team will ensure Physicians and Nurse Practitioners will have the nursing and pharmacy support required, while delivering quality, compassionate care to patients.



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Most Responsible Practitioner (MRP)

– PHYSICIAN OR NURSE PRACTITIONER

Nursing Services

- Bayshore Nurses educated in MAID who support the initiative
- Provide support and assistance to MRP who is providing MAID
- IV access and management
- Care of the body after death

Pharmacy Services

- All necessary medication and supplies in kit format
- Medication information
- Delivery of medication
- Physician/Nurse Practitioner support



Inquiry to Bayshore's Exclusive Medical Assistance in Dying Phone Line



Bayshore Agent connects caller to local single point of contact (clinical manager)



Specially educated clinical manager provides factual, objective information based on resources from governing bodies

Patient / Family

Integrated Nursing Services

- Palliative Care and End of Life services
- Support to the patient ensuring they have care at the chosen date and time in the environment of their choice
- Support for family
- Care after death