

**ILLINOIS LIVING WILL**  
*DECLARATION*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ being of sound mind and lawful age do hereby declare this to be my Living Will which I freely and voluntarily made on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ (month), 20\_\_\_\_ ( year). Should I have a prior Living Will, I hereby revoke same and declare this to be my Living Will.

I, willfully and voluntarily, make known my desires that my moment of death shall not be artificially postponed.

If at any time I should have an incurable and irreversible injury, disease, permanent unconsciousness or illness judged to be a terminal condition by my attending physician, who has personally examined me, and my attending physician has determined that my death is imminent, except for death delaying procedures, I direct that procedures which would only prolong the dying process be withheld or withdrawn.

I further direct that I be permitted to die naturally with only the administration of medication, sustenance, or the performance of any medical procedure deemed necessary by my attending physician to provide me with comfort care only.

In the absence of my ability to give directions regarding the use of such death delaying procedures, it is my intention that this declaration shall be honored by my family and physician as the final expression of my legal right to refuse medical or surgical treatment and accept the consequences from such refusal.

Should a conflict exist between my Healthcare Power of Attorney form and my Living Will, it is my intention that my HPOA shall be followed as evidence of my preference in this matter.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (Street); \_\_\_\_\_ (City) \_\_\_\_\_ (State)

## WITNESS DECLARATION

The declarant is personally known to me and I believe him or her to be of sound mind. I saw the declarant sign the Living Will declaration in my presence (or the declarant acknowledged in my presence that he or she had signed the declaration) and I signed the declaration as a witness in the presence of the declarant.

I did not sign the declarant's signature above for or at the direction of the declarant.

At the date of this instrument, I am not entitled to any portion of the estate of the declarant according to the laws of intestate succession or, to the best of my knowledge and belief, under any Last Will and Testament of declarant or any other instrument taking effect at declarant's death, or directly financially responsible for declarant's medical care.

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

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Signature

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Print Name

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[Two witness signatures required.]