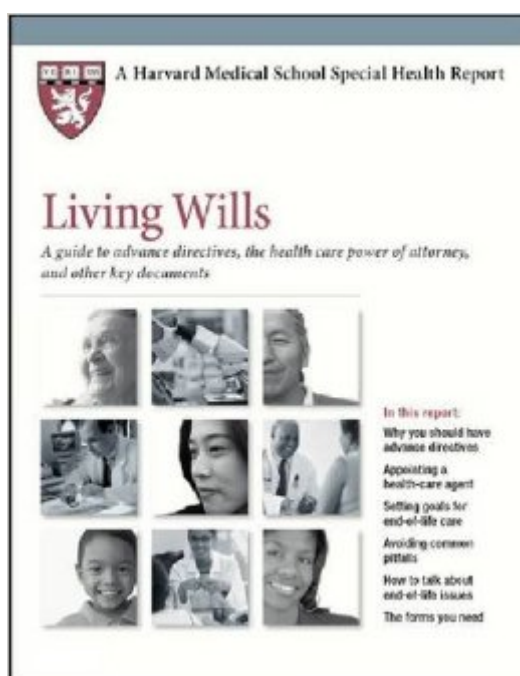


The book was found

# Harvard Medical School Living Wills: A Guide To Advance Directives, Health Care Power Of Attorney, And Other Key Documents (Harvard Medical School Special Health Reports)



## Synopsis

Many people shy away from preparing a living will or health care power of attorney, perhaps because it's difficult to ponder death, or they aren't sure what their end-of-life wishes are, or don't know how to go about doing it. But taking some time to think about what kinds of medical treatment you would or wouldn't want if you were unable to speak for yourself is can be a blessing for your loved ones. Living wills and health care proxies documents known as advance care directives give you a voice in decisions about your medical care. Yet only a quarter or less of Americans have filled out advance directives. Without these documents, choices may be left up to a doctor or someone appointed by a judge a person who may not know your values, beliefs, or preferences (your health care philosophy). Not only is it possible that the care you receive isn't in keeping with your wishes, but this also may be a great burden on a loved one, who is forced to make difficult decisions without knowing what you would want. So take the time to learn about and complete the necessary forms the sooner the better. This report walks you through the process, explains the medical terms and procedures you'll need to know, helps you determine what kind of end-of-life care you would want, and even provides the forms you'll need.

## Book Information

Series: Harvard Medical School Special Health Reports

Paperback: 44 pages

Publisher: Harvard Health Publications (August 1, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1614010528

ISBN-13: 978-1614010524

Product Dimensions: 10.9 x 8.5 x 0.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 0.3 ounces

Average Customer Review: 4.3 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (3 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #2,050,919 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #46 in [Books > Law > Estate](#)

[Planning > Living Wills](#) #67953 in [Books > Parenting & Relationships](#) #200249 in [Books >](#)

[Health, Fitness & Dieting](#)

## Customer Reviews

We moved from one state to another, and I wanted to rewrite my Living Will and Health Proxy to be in line with the new state's requirements, but I didn't want to pay to have them done by a lawyer, as we had originally. Using this book, both my husband and I felt we were able to think through all the

things we needed to know and to make them clear to whoever was doing our proxy work. This one book brings together all sorts of information I'd found here and there, but gives you great confidence that you know what you're doing.

Excellent Item and Fast Shipping! Thanks!

Good

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Harvard Medical School Living Wills: A guide to advance directives, health care power of attorney, and other key documents (Harvard Medical School Special Health Reports) Harvard Medical School The Joint Pain Relief Workout: Healing exercises for your shoulders, hips, knees, and ankles (Harvard Medical School Special Health Reports) Living Well With Osteoarthritis: A Guide to Keeping Your Joints Healthy (Harvard Medical School Special Health Reports) Attorney Responsibilities and Client Rights: Your Legal Guide to the Attorney-Client Relationship (Attorney Responsibilities & Client Rights) The Harvard Medical School Guide to Achieving Optimal Memory [HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL GT ACHI] [Paperback] Harvard Medical School Guide to Lowering Your Blood Pressure (Harvard Medical School Guides) Harvard Medical School Guide to Healing Your Sinuses (Harvard Medical School Guides) Doctor, Please Close the Door!: A Book on Living Wills, Powers of Attorney, Terminal Care, and the Right to Die With Dignity The Harvard Medical School Guide to Men's Health: Lessons from the Harvard Men's Health Studies by Simon, Harvey B. unknown Edition [Paperback(2004)] Living Wills & Powers of Attorney for California The Harvard Medical School Guide to Tai Chi: 12 Weeks to a Healthy Body, Strong Heart, and Sharp Mind (Harvard Health Publications) (Paperback) - Common The Harvard Medical School Guide to Tai Chi: 12 Weeks to a Healthy Body, Strong Heart, and Sharp Mind (Harvard Health Publications) Stedman's Medical Transcription Skill Builders: Creating Surgical Reports (Stedman's Sample Reports) Living Will & Power of Attorney for Health Care Kit Heal Your Aching Back: What a Harvard Doctor Wants You to Know About Finding Relief and Keeping Your Back Strong (Harvard Medical School Guides) Life planning in New Mexico: Your guide to state law on powers of attorney, right to die, nursing home benefits, wills, trusts, and probate Spinal Cord Injury and the Family: A New Guide (Harvard University Press Family Health Guides) (The Harvard University Press Family Health Guides) Formatting Legal Documents With Microsoft Office Word 2007: Tips and Tricks for Working With Pleadings, Contracts, and Other Complex Documents Key West D.O.A.: A Jack Marsh Briar Malone Key West Action Thriller (Key West Action Thriller Series Book 6) 55 Successful

Harvard Law School Application Essays: With Analysis by the Staff of The Harvard Crimson

[Dmca](#)