



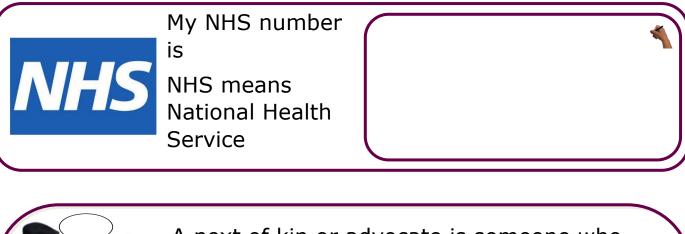
## My plan for before I die

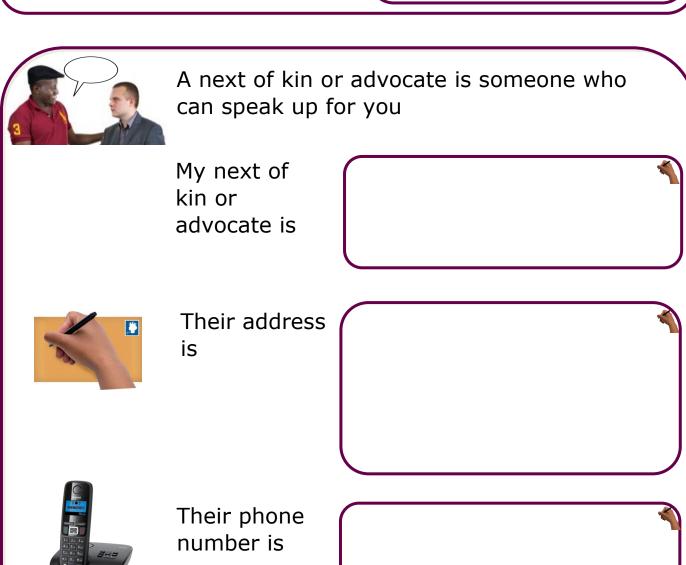
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CONFIDENTIAL	This information is private  This plan can be shared with people who support me like family and staff and health professionals  This is so they know what I want and can follow my plan	



This is **not** a legal document

- it has what I want in it
- or what people who know me well think I want









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Some words in this form are difficult



We have tried to explain the difficult words



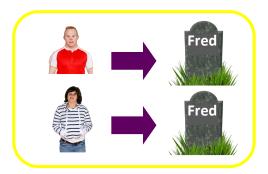
If you need support to understand any of the words you can ask your staff to help



# Making a plan for when I die



We know all people die at some time



Some people are very old when they die

Some people are **not** very old when they die



Lots of people like to have a plan for when they die



This means things can happen the way you want them to



This means you have taken control



Making a plan about when you die may be difficult but it is very important



Your staff can help you with this plan



Other people can help you with this plan

- your family
- your special friends
- your doctor



There is lots to think about when making a plan about your wishes for when you die



You can make this plan slowly if you want to



You can make choices about your hospital treatment now for things that may happen later

This is called an **Advanced Decision** 



You can choose **not** to have treatment from doctors or the hospital

This is called an **Advanced decision to** refuse treatment



This is a very important choice You must be over 18 years old to make this choice



You must be able to understand what this choice really means

This means you have mental capacity



You can make this choice with the help of a doctor or a lawyer
They will help you



The Advanced Decision will only be used if you can **not** make a choice when you are ill



### **Being Resuscitated**



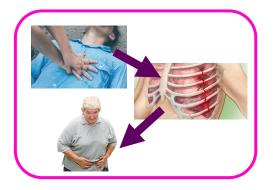
You can make a choice about being resuscitated

Resuscitate means bring back to life



#### Resuscitation could be

- CPR
- Medicine
- Other life saving treatment



CPR is **not** easy or nice

It can be sore while you are getting better

but sometimes it can bring people back to life



Some people want CPR Some people do **not** want CPR



You can choose if you want CPR
There is no right or wrong choice
It is up to you



Sometimes medicine can help save a life

Medicines can have horrible side effects but sometimes they can make people well again



Some people want these medicines
Some people do **not** want these
medicines



You can choose if you want these medicines

There is no right of wrong choice It is up to you



There are other life saving treatments like

- Ventilator
- Technology life saving devices
- Artificial hydration and nutrition



Some people want life saving treatments

Some people do **not** want life saving treatments



You can choose if you want these life saving treatments

There is no right of wrong choice It is up to you



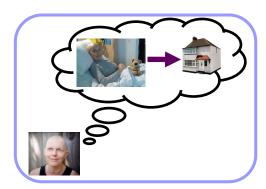


Are there any other life saving treatments you do **not** want





# Where I want to be when I am very ill or dying



You can choose where you would like to be when you are really ill



If you are very ill and you can **not** look after yourself which of these would you think about living in



Your home



Your parents home



A hospital



A hospice - this is where people can be looked after when they are very ill



A nursing home







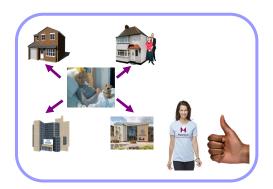






Where would you be **most** happy if you were too ill to look after yourself





Your choice may **not** be possible but MacIntyre will try their best to do what you want



Professionals call this place my preferred place of care



You can choose where you would like to be when you are dying



If you are dying which of these would you think about living in



Your home



Your parents home



A hospital



A hospice - this is where people can be looked after when they are very ill



Nursing home





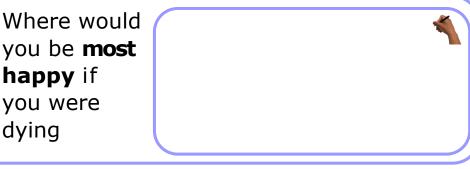


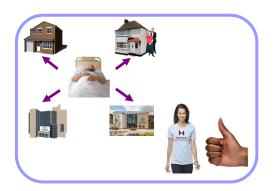






you be **most** happy if you were dying





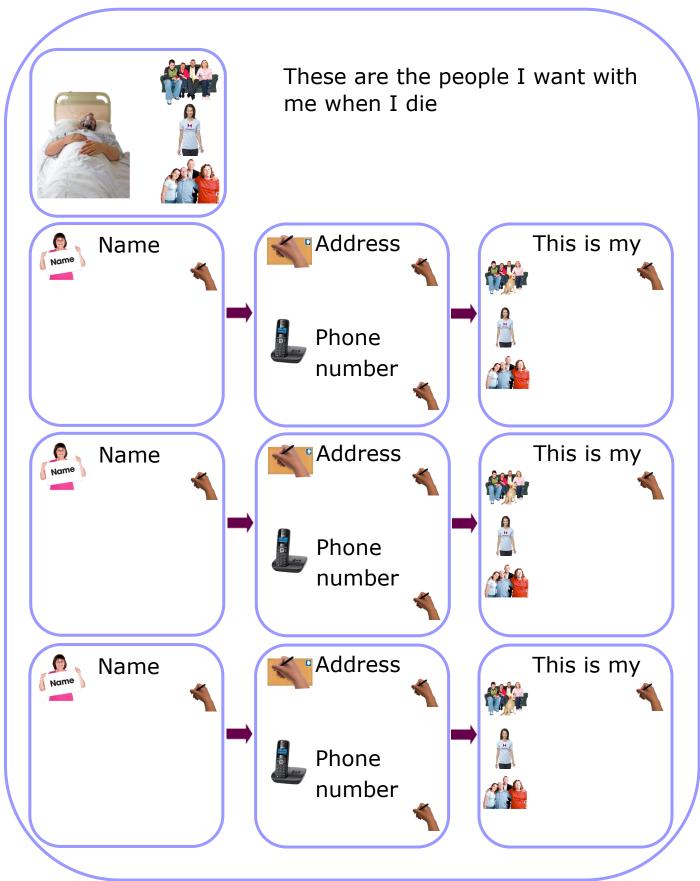
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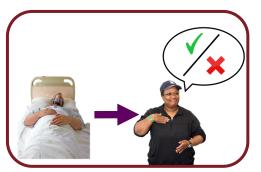
You can have people with you when you die





#### Life decision maker

Also called Health and Welfare Lasting Power of Attorney and Property and Financial Affairs Lasting Power of Attorney



A Life decision maker is someone you can choose to make decisions for you They will make decisions when you can **not** make decisions for yourself anymore



You can ask the Life decision maker to make decisions about different things



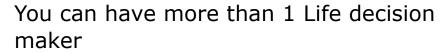
#### Decisions about

- Health and wellbeing like
  - medical care
  - moving house
  - what to eat
  - what to wear



#### **Decisions about**

- Money and things like
  - paying bills
  - collecting benefits
  - selling your home



The Life decision maker must be older than 18 years old





The Life decision maker can be

- a family member
- a friend
- a professional like a lawyer



The Life decision maker must be able to make the decisions that you need This is called **mental capacity** 



You will sign a form when you ask someone to be a Life decision maker and make decisions for you

The form is called **A Lasting Power of Attorney** 



If you do **not** have a Life decision maker then decisions will be made by people like

- your family
- your doctor

This is called Best Interest Decisions



To find out more go to www.gov.uk/power-of-attorney



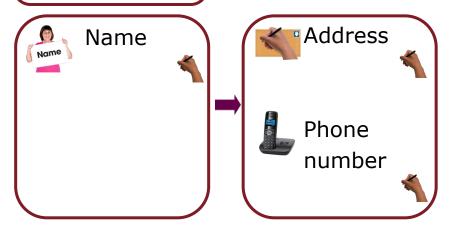
I have a Life decision maker to decide what will happen about my health





If yes

fill in the boxes about your Life decision maker for health





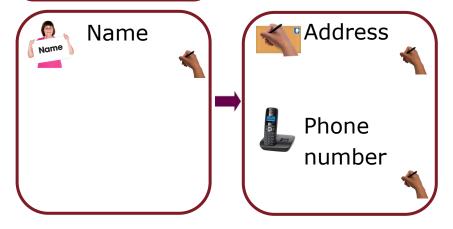
I have a Life decision maker to decide what will happen about my things and money

Yes	No



If yes

fill in the boxes about your Life decision maker for things and money







# **Thinking about**Ways doctors might try to help me







This is how I feel about taking tablets Things like

- with water
- crushed
- with help









This is how I feel about having injections

Things like

- I need support
- I need extra time







## This is how I feel about being in hospital instead of at home







This is how I feel about having tubes put into me to help me eat or drink or take medicines







This is how I feel about

- having operations
- being cut open





This is how I feel about having medicines or a machine to help me breathe





### What needs to happen next



This page is for planning
What do I want to know more about
How will staff help me with this

