

Sample 1000 Adult Interviews
 Conducted September 12 - 14, 2015
 Margin of Error ±3.9%

1. Thinking about end of life medical care, what comes closest to your wishes?

I would rather live longer, even if I spent my last days in pain or unable to talk 8%
 I would rather spend my last days in comfort, even if I did not live as long 75%
 Not sure 16%

2. Should physician-assisted suicide be allowed for terminally ill people with less than 6 months to live?

Yes 54%
 No 24%
 Not sure 22%

3. Should physician-assisted suicide be allowed for patients who aren't terminally ill but are suffering from severe pain or severe disability?

Yes 36%
 No 36%
 Not sure 28%

4. If a close family member of yours was diagnosed with a terminal illness and wanted to end his or her life, would you...

Help your family member end his or her life 19%
 Neither help nor prevent your family member from ending his or her life .. 37%
 Prevent your family member from ending his or her life 20%
 Not sure 25%

5. How much, if at all, do you worry that assisted suicide laws put vulnerable people at risk of being pressured into suicide by relatives?

A lot	26%
A little	34%
Not at all	25%
Not sure	16%

6. Do you support or oppose state laws that allow physicians to prescribe life-ending medication to some patients?

Support	47%
Oppose	29%
Not sure	24%