



# Summary of my Advance Care Plan

Please return your completed "Summary of my Advance Care Plan" form to your GP Practice who will upload a copy to your personal health care record at Waikato Hospital.

**1. This is my advance care plan summary and contains my choices. Please follow this plan if I am unable to tell you what I want.**

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ NHI number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. What matters to me**

This is what I want my family/whānau and loved ones and healthcare team to know about who I am and what matters to me:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**3. What worries me**

This is what I want my family/whānau, loved ones and healthcare team to know about what worries me:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**4. Why I'm making an Advance Care Plan**

This is why I am making an Advance Care Plan: \_\_\_\_\_

I am receiving care and treatment for the following: \_\_\_\_\_

If my time were limited my priorities would be: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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NHI:	_____ DOB: _____ <small>dd/mm/yy</small>

A D V A N C E  C A R E  P L A N	<p><b>5. If I am unable to make decisions:</b> If I am unable to make decisions, I would prefer them to be made like this:</p> <p>I want my activated enduring power of attorney (EPA) for personal care and welfare to make decisions using the information in this summary of my advance care plan.</p> <p>I have discussed my future care and treatment options with them <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>My EPA's name is: _____</p> <p>Relationship to me: _____</p> <p>Mobile: _____ Other phone: _____</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I don't have an enduring power of attorney.</p> <p>Using the information in this summary of my advance care plan, the following person will help my healthcare team make the best decisions for me:</p> <p>Name: _____ Relationship: _____</p> <p>Mobile: _____ Other phone: _____</p> <p>In addition, the following people know me well and understand what is important to me. I would like them included in discussions about my care and treatment</p> <p>Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____</p> <p>Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____</p>
	<p><b>6. If I am dying</b> If I am dying I would prefer to be cared for in this place: _____</p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I don't mind where I am cared for <i>(tick if this applies)</i></p>
	<p><b>7. My cultural, religious and spiritual values, rituals and beliefs:</b></p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
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### 8. Emergency directions - My treatment and care choices if I am unable to make decisions for myself

*This section is best completed with help from a doctor, nurse or specialist.*

*The following best describes the care I would like to receive. I understand this does not require the healthcare team to provide treatments which will not be of benefit to me.*

**Choose only ONE of these options below.**

<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">A</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Signature</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Date <small>dd/mm/yy</small></div>	<p>I would like my treatment to be aimed at keeping me alive as long as possible. I wish to receive all treatments that the healthcare team think are appropriate to my situation.</p> <p>The exceptions to this would be:</p> <hr/> <hr/> <p>If required and appropriate I would want CPR to be attempted:  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No  <input type="checkbox"/> I will let my doctor decide at the time.</p>	
<b>OR</b>	<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">B</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Signature</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Date <small>dd/mm/yy</small></div>	<p>I would like my treatment to focus on quality of life. If my health deteriorated I would like to be assessed and given any tests and treatments that may help me to recover and regain my quality of life, but I DO NOT WANT TO BE RESUSCITATED.</p> <p>For me quality of life is:</p> <hr/> <hr/>
<b>OR</b>	<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">C</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Signature</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Date <small>dd/mm/yy</small></div>	<p>I would like to receive only those treatments which look after my comfort and dignity rather than treatments which try to prolong my life. I DO NOT WANT TO BE RESUSCITATED.</p>
<b>OR</b>	<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">D</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Signature</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Date <small>dd/mm/yy</small></div>	<p>I cannot decide at this point. I would like the healthcare team caring for me to make decisions on my behalf at the time, taking into account what matters to me and in close consultation with the people I have listed in Number 5.</p>
<b>OR</b>	<div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">E</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">Signature</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;">Date <small>dd/mm/yy</small></div>	<p>None of these represent my wishes. What I want is documented on my Advance Directive which is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Advance Directive completed and attached</p>



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**9. Signatures**

By signing below, I confirm:

- I understand this is a record of my preferences to guide my healthcare team in providing appropriate care for me when I am unable to speak for myself
- I understand treatments that would not benefit me will not be provided even if I have specifically asked for them.
- I agree that this advance care plan can be in electronic format and will be made available to all health-care providers caring for me.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ dd/mm/yy Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Healthcare professional who assisted me**

By signing below the healthcare professional confirms that:

- I am competent at the time I created this advance care plan.
- We discussed my health and the care choices I might face.
- I have made my advance care plan with adequate information.
- I made the choices in my advance care plan voluntarily.

Healthcare professional: \_\_\_\_\_ Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility/organisation: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ dd/mm/yy

I understand that it is important to discuss these healthcare preferences with my GP, local hospital and my family/whānau/friends, including my substitute decision maker (usually medical enduring power of attorney if appointed). I have discussed and provided a copy of my advance care plan to:

GP
  Local hospital  
 EPA
  Family/whānau/friend (name) \_\_\_\_\_

It is recommended that an advance care plan is reviewed, every year, or when there is a change in personal or medical situations. If it needs to be altered or changed we recommend you complete a new summary of my advance care plan form and provide copies of the changes to your substitute decision maker, family/whānau, GP and local hospital.

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