Q1 The special joint committee recommended that "individuals with a grievous and irremediable medical condition that causes enduring suffering be able to have assistance to die".Do you agree with this recommendation?

Answered: 6,184 Skipped: 59


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $65.01 \%$ | 4,020 |
| Agree | $15.82 \%$ | 978 |
| Disagree | $4.56 \%$ | 282 |
| Strongly disagree | $14.62 \%$ | 904 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,184 |

Q2 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that "physicians, nurse practitioners and registered nurses working under the direction of a physician all be allowed to provide medical assistance to die"?

Answered: 6,182 Skipped: 61


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $50.68 \%$ | 3,133 |
| Agree | $25.95 \%$ | 1,604 |
| Disagree | $7.30 \%$ | 451 |
| Strongly disagree | $16.08 \%$ | 994 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,182 |

Q3 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that medical assistance to die be provided in all publicly funded healthcare institutions. (Publicly funded institutions would include hospitals, hospices and long-term care homes.)


Q4 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that a request for medical assistance in dying can only be carried out if two independent physicians have determined that the patient meets all the eligibility criteria?


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $36.63 \%$ | 2,224 |
| Agree | $37.74 \%$ | 2,291 |
| Disagree | $12.78 \%$ | 776 |
| Strongly disagree | $12.85 \%$ | 780 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,071 |

Q5 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that where possible, the request should be made in writing and witnessed by two people who have no conflict of interest?


Q6 Do you Agree or Disagree with the committee's recommendation that medical assistance to die should not include a prior review and approval process?

Answered: 5,996 Skipped: 247


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $31.10 \%$ | 1,865 |
| Agree | $33.31 \%$ | 1,997 |
| Disagree | $17.31 \%$ | 1,038 |
| Strongly disagree | $18.28 \%$ | 1,096 |
| TOTAL |  | 5,996 |

Q7 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that any period of reflection contained in legislation be flexible and take into account the nature of the patient's medical condition?


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $49.63 \%$ | 3,001 |
| Agree | $34.93 \%$ | 2,112 |
| Disagree | $5.24 \%$ | 317 |
| Strongly disagree | $10.20 \%$ | 617 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,047 |

Q8 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that informed consent be determined by established medical practices? (Thus a psychiatric evaluation would be required only when one or both of the physicians assessing the patients eligibility believed a psychiatric assessment to be necessary).


Q9 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that Individuals whose suffering comes from a psychological rather than a physical illness should be eligible to receive medical assistance to die provided all other criteria are met?


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $21.60 \%$ | 1,304 |
| Agree | $36.68 \%$ | 2,214 |
| Disagree | $23.41 \%$ | 1,413 |
| Strongly disagree | $18.31 \%$ | 1,105 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,036 |

Q10 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that the process for providing medical assistance in dying must respect a health practitioner's freedom of conscience; while at the same time respecting the needs of a patient who seeks medical assistance in dying? (At a minimum, the committee recommended that the objecting practitioner must provide an effective referral for the patient).

Answered: 6,054 Skipped: 189


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $46.02 \%$ | 2,786 |
| Agree | $40.80 \%$ | 2,470 |
| Disagree | $4.21 \%$ | 255 |
| Strongly disagree | $8.97 \%$ | 543 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,054 |

Q11 Do you agree or disagree with the committee's recommendation that an individual who has been diagnosed with a grievous and irremediable medical condition may make an advance request for medical assistance in dying? (For example an individual who is diagnosed with dementia may request an assisted death for a future time when they are no longer competent).

Answered: 6,109 Skipped: 134


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Strongly agree | $53.18 \%$ | 3,249 |
| Agree | $27.35 \%$ | 1,671 |
| Disagree | $6.07 \%$ | 371 |
| Strongly disagree | $13.39 \%$ | 818 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,109 |

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## Q12 Additional comments.

Answered: 1,740 Skipped: 4,503

## Q13 What is your gender?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Male | $47.14 \%$ | 2,893 |
| Female | $52.86 \%$ | 3,244 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,137 |

## Q14 What is your age range?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Under 45 | $1.54 \%$ | 95 |
| $45-54$ | $1.93 \%$ | 119 |
| $55-64$ | $17.15 \%$ | 1,059 |
| $65-74$ | $52.02 \%$ | 3,212 |
| $75-84$ | $24.36 \%$ | 1,504 |
| $85+$ | $3.00 \%$ | 185 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,174 |

## Q15 What is your level of education?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Primary School or less | $0.00 \%$ | 0 |
| Some high school or less | $2.48 \%$ | 153 |
| Graduated high school | $8.64 \%$ | 533 |
| Some college / Trade School | $11.67 \%$ | 720 |
| Graduated from college /Trade School | $17.94 \%$ | 1,107 |
| Some university, but did not finish | $9.58 \%$ | 591 |
| University undergraduate degree | $22.43 \%$ | 1,384 |
| University graduate degree | $27.25 \%$ | 1,681 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,169 |

## Q16 Where do you live?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| BC | $16.46 \%$ | 1,015 |
| Alberta | $8.63 \%$ | 532 |
| Saskatchewan | $1.95 \%$ | 120 |
| Manitoba | $2.09 \%$ | 129 |
| Ontario | $62.51 \%$ | 3,854 |
| Quebec | $3.50 \%$ | 216 |
| Newfoundland | $0.52 \%$ | 32 |
| Prince Edward Island | $0.41 \%$ | 25 |
| Nova Scotia | $2.35 \%$ | 145 |
| New Brunswick | $1.23 \%$ | 76 |

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| Northern Territories | $0.34 \%$ | 21 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| TOTAL |  | 6,165 |

## Q17 What is your annual income?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Less than $\$ 25 \mathrm{~K}$ | $4.71 \%$ | 288 |
| $\$ 25 \mathrm{~K}-<\$ 55 \mathrm{~K}$ | $21.22 \%$ | 1,298 |
| $\$ 55 \mathrm{~K}-<\$ 100 \mathrm{~K}$ | $30.04 \%$ | 1,837 |
| $\$ 100 \mathrm{~K}-<\$ 150 \mathrm{~K}$ | $10.74 \%$ | 657 |
| $\$ 150 \mathrm{~K}+$ | $5.44 \%$ | 333 |
| Prefer not to answer | $27.84 \%$ | 1,703 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,116 |

Q18 Sometimes people identify themselves with a specific ethnicity or cultural background which is different from their citizenship or nationality. Thinking about your own identity in ethnic or cultural terms, please select which group you most identify yourself with?


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| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |
| :--- | :--- |
| African | $0.15 \%$ |
| American (US) | $1.00 \%$ |

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| Arabic / Middle Eastern | 0.08\% | 4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| British | 10.50\% | 547 |
| Cambodian | 0.06\% | 3 |
| Canadian | 74.63\% | 3,888 |
| Caribbean (not including Jamaican) | 0.48\% | 25 |
| Chinese | 0.54\% | 28 |
| Dutch (Netherlands) | 1.61\% | 84 |
| East Indian (India) | 0.40\% | 21 |
| Filipino | 0.12\% | 6 |
| French | 0.50\% | 26 |
| German | 1.44\% | 75 |
| Greek | 0.04\% | 2 |
| Hungarian | 0.23\% | 12 |
| Iranian | 0.04\% | 2 |
| Irish | 1.52\% | 79 |
| Italian | 0.63\% | 33 |
| Jamaican / Caribbean | 0.15\% | 8 |
| Japanese | 0.02\% | 1 |
| Korean | 0.04\% | 2 |
| Latin American (other than Mexican) | 0.06\% | 3 |
| Mexican | 0.02\% | 1 |
| Pakistani | 0.04\% | 2 |
| Polish | 0.44\% | 23 |
| Portuguese | 0.13\% | 7 |
| Russian | 0.13\% | 7 |
| Spanish | 0.04\% | 2 |
| Ukrainian | 0.52\% | 27 |
| Vietnamese | 0.00\% | 0 |
| Other Central / Eastern European (Romanian, Slovak, etc.) | 0.44\% | 23 |
| Other Western European (Belgium, Norway, etc.) | 0.71\% | 37 |
| Other South Asian / South East Asian (Bangladeshi, Indonesian, etc.) | 0.06\% | 3 |
| Other | 1.07\% | 56 |
| Prefer not to say | 2.17\% | 113 |
| TOTAL |  | 5,210 |

# Q19 How often do you attend church, temple, mosque, synagogue services at your place of worship? 



## Q20 Do you have children?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Yes | $82.54 \%$ | 5,054 |
| No | $17.46 \%$ | 1,069 |
| TOTAL |  | 6,123 |

## Q21 What is your employment status?



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Employed full-time | $8.05 \%$ | 496 |
| Employed part-time | $4.01 \%$ | 247 |
| Self employed | $6.67 \%$ | 411 |
| Unemployed but looking for a job | $0.42 \%$ | 26 |
| Unemployed and not looking for a job | $0.18 \%$ | 11 |
| Long-term sick or disabled | $0.84 \%$ | 52 |
| Full-time parent, homemaker or caregiver | $0.76 \%$ | 47 |
| Retired | $77.31 \%$ | 4,764 |
| Student/Pupil | $0.18 \%$ | 11 |
| Military | $0.18 \%$ | 11 |

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| Prefer not to answer | $1.40 \%$ | 86 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| TOTAL | 6,162 |  |

## Q22 What is your marital status



