Proud, Prepared, and Protected
2SLGBTQ+ Canadian
Healthcare Bill of Rights
for Advanced Illness,
Frailty, and End of Life

Your rights . . .

- The right to healthcare that is free of discrimination under the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms regardless of your sexual orientation, gender identity, or gender expression.
- The right to decide your wishes for future healthcare and who will be your advocate if you cannot or choose not to speak for yourself.
- The right to have your gender identity and expression respected.

- The right to decide who does and does not visit you, regardless of your legal or biological relationship.
- The right to the privacy of your healthcare records and your identity.
- ► The right to protest if you are discharged due to discrimination.
- The right to refuse any treatments that are discriminatory or harmful to 2SLGBTQ+ people.
- Rights specific to Two-Spirit and Indigenous LGBTQ+ people.

The 2SLGBTQ+ Bill of Rights was created to help you advocate for quality, inclusive care. It does not constitute legal advice. For more detail and other helpful resources go to: virtualhospice.ca/2SLGBTQ



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