

SITUATION A			
If I am in a coma or a persistent vegetative state and, in the opinion of my physician and one or more medical consultants, I have no known hope of regaining awareness and higher mental functions no matter what is done, then my wishes regarding use of the following, if considered medically reasonable, would be:			
I WANT	I want treatment tried. If no clear improvement, STOP!	I am undecided	I DO NOT WANT

SITUATION B			
If I am in a coma and, in the opinion of my physician and one or more medical consultants, have a small likelihood of recovering fully, a slightly larger likelihood of surviving with permanent brain damage, and a much larger likelihood of dying, then my wishes regarding use of the following, if considered medically reasonable, would be:			
I WANT	I want treatment tried. If no clear improvement, STOP!	I am undecided	I DO NOT WANT

SITUATION C			
If I have brain damage or some brain disease that leaves me unable to recognize people or communicate understandably, which in the opinion of my physician and one or more medical consultants cannot be reversed, and I also have a terminal illness, such as incurable cancer, that will likely be the cause of my death, then my wishes regarding use of the following, if considered medically reasonable, would be:			
I WANT	I want treatment tried. If no clear improvement, STOP!	I am undecided	I DO NOT WANT

SITUATION D			
If I have brain damage or some brain disease that leaves me unable to recognize people or communicate understandably, which in the opinion of my physician and one or more medical consultants cannot be reversed, but I have no terminal illness, and I could possibly live in this condition for a long time, then my wishes regarding use of the following, if considered medically reasonable, would be:			
I WANT	I want treatment tried. If no clear improvement, STOP!	I am undecided	I DO NOT WANT

N/A = Not Applicable

Amputation: Removing one or more limbs in an attempt to prolong my life.		N/A													
Antibiotics: Using drugs to fight infection.															
Artificial Nutrition and Hydration: Giving nutrition and fluid through a tube in my veins, nose, or stomach.															
Blood or Blood Products: Such as giving or receiving transfusions.															
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation: If at the point of death, using drugs and electric shock to keep my heart beating; artificial breathing.		N/A				N/A								N/A	
Chemotherapy: Using drugs to fight cancer.															
Invasive Diagnostic Tests: Such as using a flexible tube to look into my stomach.		N/A				N/A								N/A	
Kidney Dialysis: Cleaning my blood by machine or by fluid passing through my belly.															
Major Surgery: Such as removing my gall bladder or part of my intestine.		N/A				N/A								N/A	
Mechanical Breathing: Breathing by machine.															
Minor Surgery: Such as removing tissue from an infected toe.		N/A				N/A								N/A	
Pain Medication: Even if it dulls the consciousness and indirectly shortens my life.		N/A				N/A								N/A	
Radiation Therapy: Using radiation to fight cancer.															
Simple Diagnostic Tests: Such as blood tests or x-rays.		N/A				N/A								N/A	

_____ Date

_____ Printed Name

_____ Signature