

# ELLC End of Life Law for Clinicians

## A free online training program to support health students

End of Life Law for Clinicians (ELLC) is a free online training program for all social work, speech pathology and paramedicine students about Australian law on end of life decision-making. Knowing about end of life law can prepare students to apply the law in clinical practice, manage legal issues in practice, and deliver optimal end of life, palliative, primary and aged care.

### Learn about:

- › Allied and other health professionals and the role of law in end of life care
- › Capacity and consent to medical treatment
- › Withholding and withdrawing life-sustaining medical treatment
- › Advance Care Planning and Advance Care Directives
- › Substitute decision-making for medical treatment
- › Legal protection for providing pain and symptom relief
- › Children and end of life decision-making
- › Futile or non-beneficial treatment
- › Urgent treatment for adults
- › Managing conflict
- › Voluntary assisted dying
- › Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Peoples and end of life law
- › Inclusive end of life decision-making with people from diverse populations



### Enhancing university curriculum

ELLC's online training modules can be implemented in social work, speech pathology and paramedicine schools' curriculum to support teaching on law and ethics and palliative and end of life care.

Schools can use some or all modules to compliment teaching. To find out more contact ELLC at [endoflifelaw@qut.edu.au](mailto:endoflifelaw@qut.edu.au)

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Certificates of completion are available.



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