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International End of Life Doula Association: https://inelda.org/toolbox-tips/

National End-of-Life Doula Alliance: https://www.nedalliance.org/

A Physician's Guide to Talking About End-of-Life Care:

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Providing Care and Comfort at the End of Life:

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End-of-life care: Medical aid in dying: https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/33166105/

The Five Wishes: https://www.fivewishes.org

MAID in the Senate:

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Communicating with patients and families about illness progression and end of life: a review of studies using direct observation of clinical practice:

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Beyond the NURSE acronym:

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The power of communication in palliative care: How words can heal and instill hope:

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