



Our mission is to improve care.

The Academy of Aid-in-Dying Medicine is a nonprofit clinical teaching organization. We provide evidence-informed best practices, education, guidance, and practical resources that help clinicians and care teams deliver compassionate, clinically sound care for patients considering or completing medical aid in dying.

Our role is clinical education

The Academy is not an advocacy organization. We do not lobby for legislation or seek to persuade individuals or organizations to support or oppose medical aid in dying. Our role is clinical education: helping professionals respond skillfully and respectfully to patient questions and needs where medical aid in dying is legal.

We work with organizations across the spectrum of participation.

Whether an organization participates, does not participate, or is developing its approach, patients and families deserve accurate information, excellent end-of-life care, and respectful support.

Our approach supports care teams

Aid-in-dying care begins when a patient raises a question—not when a prescription is written. Our education equips interdisciplinary teams to provide patient-centered, nonjudgmental support throughout the process, and to deliver care aligned with applicable laws, organizational policies, and clinical best practices.

Clinical Resources

Overview of Aid-in-Dying Care: Seven Essential Courses

An online series that brings together core materials and best practices. Free to access; CEs available for purchase.



Clinicians Listserv

Receive updates, exchange resources, and connect with a national community of clinicians and advocates.



Clinician's Hotline

Direct clinical support for clinicians, especially prescribers and bedside care teams, available by phone at 510-298-1135 or by email at CliniciansHotline@AADM.org.



Journal of Aid-in-Dying Medicine

peer-reviewed scholarship and practical perspectives on the clinical, ethical, legal, and policy dimensions of aid-in-dying care.



Academy Presenters Network

Connects organizations with experienced aid-in-dying clinicians and educators for thoughtful, evidence-informed presentations.



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