

I strongly urge you to stand up for the basic human rights of ALL people, including those with dementia & Alzheimer's. Please make sure legal protections are in place for these vulnerable people.

Please protect my healthcare choices by voting no on HB4135, which endangers my choices by removing the advance directive from statute. I want to retain my choices as to what kind of care I want at the end of life. Not only that, but as a person with Power of Attorney, I also want to be able to make choices that reflect my morals. If my husband or elderly mother get in a position where they can't express themselves, the last thing I want is for someone to decide not to sustain their needs for food or liquids.

HB4135 is not written carefully enough to protect Oregonians' rights to basic food and water. Please don't create more problems for end of life care. Please vote no on HB4135.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
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