

As you may know, the Supreme Court of Canada recognized medical assistance in dying as a constitutionally-protected right. According to the court's 2015 Carter v Canada decision, a person has a right to medical assistance in dying if they satisfy all the following criteria: they are a competent adult; they have a grievous and irremediable medical condition (illness, disease or disability); their condition causes them suffering that is intolerable to them; and they clearly consent to the termination of life. Do you support or oppose the Supreme Court's decision?

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		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P
Base: All Respondents (unwtd)	3502	323	3179	970	679	468	193	219	58	915	806	823	410	1331	132	667	2835
Base: All Respondents (wtd)	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
Top 2 Box (Net)	3020	264	2756	865	515	409	199	188	41	804	620	708	343	1247	102	621	2399
	86%	86%	86%	88%	81%	92%	92%	89%	64%	84%	80%	85%	79%	95%	71%	84%	87%
				DHI	H	DHI	DHI	DH	*	H	N	JLN		JKLN	*		
Strongly support	1765	152	1612	523	279	271	140	134	23	395	345	385	166	833	36	397	1368
	50%	50%	50%	53%	44%	61%	64%	63%	35%	42%	45%	46%	38%	64%	25%	54%	49%
				DHI		CDHI	CDHI	CDHI	*		N	LN	N	JKLN	*		
Somewhat support	1255	112	1143	342	235	138	59	54	19	408	275	324	177	414	67	224	1031
	36%	37%	36%	35%	37%	31%	27%	25%	29%	43%	35%	39%	41%	32%	46%	31%	37%
				G	FG				*	CDEFG		M	M		JM*		O
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	482	41	441	114	120	35	18	24	23	148	155	128	93	64	43	114	368
	14%	14%	14%	12%	19%	8%	8%	11%	36%	16%	20%	15%	21%	5%	29%	16%	13%
					CEFG				CDEFGI*	CEF	KM	M	KM		JKM*		
Somewhat oppose	290	28	262	69	62	19	16	17	9	99	77	86	61	42	25	75	215
	8%	9%	8%	7%	10%	4%	7%	8%	13%	10%	10%	10%	14%	3%	17%	10%	8%
					E				E*	CE	M	M	M		JKM*		
Strongly oppose	192	13	179	45	58	16	2	7	15	50	78	42	32	22	18	39	154
	5%	4%	6%	5%	9%	4%	1%	3%	23%	5%	10%	5%	7%	2%	12%	5%	6%
				F	CEFGI				CDEFGI*	F	KM	M	M		KM*		
Sigma	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
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In 2016, Parliament responded to the Supreme Court's decision by passing assisted-dying legislation. Bill C-14 included a new requirement that limited access to medical assistance in dying to only those patients whose natural deaths are "reasonably foreseeable". This requirement was later challenged in court by two Quebec patients with severe chronic medical conditions who had been denied medical assistance in dying because their natural deaths were not "reasonably foreseeable". In September 2019, the judge in the case ruled that the "reasonably foreseeable" requirement is unconstitutional because it violates the plaintiffs' right to personal autonomy and forces them to live in a state of intolerable suffering. In response, the federal government is considering whether to remove this requirement from the assisted-dying law. Do you support or oppose removing the "reasonably foreseeable" requirement from the federal assisted-dying law?

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Base: All Respondents (wtd)	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
Top 2 Box (Net)	2494	224	2270	733	443	362	159	142	34	620	530	566	278	1032	88	492	2001
	71%	73%	71%	75%	70%	82%	73%	67%	53%	65%	68%	68%	64%	79%	61%	67%	72%
				GHI	H	CDFGHI	H		*					JKLN	*		O
Strongly support removing the requirement	1112	89	1023	344	181	174	93	71	8	241	225	251	102	504	30	236	875
	32%	29%	32%	35%	29%	39%	43%	34%	12%	25%	29%	30%	23%	38%	20%	32%	32%
				DHI	H	DHI	DHI	HI	*			L		JKLN	*		
Somewhat support removing the requirement	1382	136	1247	389	262	188	66	71	27	379	305	315	176	528	58	256	1126
	39%	44%	39%	40%	41%	42%	30%	34%	41%	40%	39%	38%	40%	40%	40%	35%	41%
				F	F	F			*	F					*		O
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	1008	81	927	246	192	82	58	69	30	332	245	270	158	279	57	243	766
	29%	27%	29%	25%	30%	18%	27%	33%	47%	35%	32%	32%	36%	21%	39%	33%	28%
				E	E		E	CE	CDEF*	CE	M	M	M		M*	P	
Somewhat oppose removing the requirement	723	58	665	179	125	70	34	51	12	252	167	183	127	206	40	172	551
	21%	19%	21%	18%	20%	16%	16%	24%	19%	27%	22%	22%	29%	16%	28%	23%	20%
								E	*	CDEF	M	M	JKM		M*		
Strongly oppose removing the requirement	285	23	262	66	67	12	24	18	18	79	78	86	31	73	17	71	215
	8%	8%	8%	7%	11%	3%	11%	9%	28%	8%	10%	10%	7%	6%	11%	10%	8%
				E	CE		E	E	CDEFGI*	E	M	M			M*		
Sigma	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
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Medical assistance in dying should/only be available for patients who are competent at the time of the request and at the time the request is/can be carried out. Would you support or oppose medical assistance in dying for patients who meet all the criteria, have been approved for medical assistance in dying and who are competent at the time of the request, but who lose competency before the procedure can be carried out? For example, a patient and her doctor agree on Friday to schedule an assisted death for sometime within the next three weeks, but in the interim the patient slips into a coma.

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Base: All Respondents (wtd)	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
Top 2 Box (Net)	2985	251	2733	852	519	391	206	191	42	784	616	718	350	1194	106	618	2366
	85%	82%	86%	87%	82%	88%	95%	90%	65%	82%	79%	86%	80%	91%	74%	84%	86%
				DHI	H	DHI	CDEHI	DHI	*	H		JLN		JKLN	*		
Strongly support	1603	115	1488	480	255	244	122	103	20	380	323	364	158	716	42	344	1260
	46%	38%	47%	49%	40%	55%	56%	49%	30%	40%	42%	44%	36%	55%	29%	47%	46%
			A	DHI		DHI	DHI	HI	*		N	LN		JKLN	*		
Somewhat support	1381	136	1245	372	264	147	84	88	23	404	293	354	191	479	65	275	1107
	39%	45%	39%	38%	42%	33%	39%	41%	35%	42%	38%	42%	44%	37%	45%	37%	40%
					E				*	E		M	M		*		
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	517	54	463	126	115	53	12	21	22	168	159	118	86	116	38	117	401
	15%	18%	14%	13%	18%	12%	5%	10%	35%	18%	21%	14%	20%	9%	26%	16%	14%
				F	CEFG	F			CDEFGI*	CEFG	KM	M	KM		KM*		
Somewhat oppose	349	38	311	83	68	43	8	16	9	123	86	82	62	93	26	84	265
	10%	13%	10%	8%	11%	10%	4%	8%	14%	13%	11%	10%	14%	7%	18%	11%	10%
				F	F	F			F*	CF	M		KM		KM*		
Strongly oppose	168	16	152	43	47	11	4	5	14	45	73	36	23	23	13	32	136
	5%	5%	5%	4%	7%	2%	2%	2%	21%	5%	9%	4%	5%	2%	9%	4%	5%
					CEFGI				CDEFGI*		KLM	M	M		M*		
Sigma	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
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Assume a person had a diagnosis of a grievous & irremediable condition. Would you support or oppose medical assistance in dying for patients who meet the other criteria for medical assistance in dying and are competent at the time of the request but not competent at the time the request is carried out? For example, if a patient has a diagnosis of dementia and, while they are still competent, requests that medical assistance in dying be provided when they can no longer recognize their loved ones or communicate with the people around them.

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Base: All Respondents (wtd)	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
Top 2 Box (Net)	2874	244	2630	829	490	386	201	173	46	749	585	692	329	1169	100	596	2279
	82%	80%	82%	85%	77%	87%	93%	82%	71%	79%	76%	83%	76%	89%	69%	81%	82%
				DHI		DHI	CDGHI		*			JLN		JKLN	*		
Strongly support	1512	126	1386	449	242	235	129	99	23	335	291	369	141	667	44	331	1181
	43%	41%	43%	46%	38%	53%	59%	47%	36%	35%	38%	44%	32%	51%	31%	45%	43%
				DI		CDHI	CDGHI	DI	*			JLN		JKLN	*		
Somewhat support	1362	118	1244	380	249	151	72	74	23	414	294	323	188	501	55	264	1098
	39%	39%	39%	39%	39%	34%	33%	35%	35%	43%	38%	39%	43%	38%	38%	36%	40%
									*	EF					*		
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	628	61	567	149	144	58	16	38	19	203	190	144	107	142	45	139	488
	18%	20%	18%	15%	23%	13%	7%	18%	29%	21%	24%	17%	24%	11%	31%	19%	18%
				F	CEF			F	CEF*	CEF	KM	M	KM		KM*		
Somewhat oppose	436	39	397	108	86	49	13	30	8	142	97	109	77	123	30	87	348
	12%	13%	12%	11%	14%	11%	6%	14%	12%	15%	13%	13%	18%	9%	21%	12%	13%
				F				F	*	CF		M	JM		JKM*		
Strongly oppose	192	22	170	41	58	9	3	8	11	62	93	35	30	19	15	52	140
	5%	7%	5%	4%	9%	2%	1%	4%	18%	6%	12%	4%	7%	1%	10%	7%	5%
					CEFG				CEFGI*	EF	KLM	M	M		KM*		
Sigma	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
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Would you support medical assistance in dying for patients who are competent at the time of the request even if they are not diagnosed with a grievous and irremediable medical condition? For example, a person with no history of cardiovascular disease may wish to write advance instructions specifying that they are to receive an assisted death if they have a stroke and are unable to move or communicate.

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Top 2 Box (Net)	2630	226	2404	745	445	350	186	165	37	702	523	613	300	1100	94	555	2075
	75%	74%	75%	76%	70%	79%	85%	78%	57%	74%	67%	73%	69%	84%	65%	75%	75%
				DH		DH	CDHI	DH	*	H		J		JKLN	*		
Strongly support	1222	98	1123	368	192	183	103	94	15	266	236	280	120	547	38	269	952
	35%	32%	35%	38%	30%	41%	47%	45%	23%	28%	30%	33%	28%	42%	26%	37%	34%
				DI		DHI	CDHI	DHI	*					JKLN	*		
Somewhat support	1408	127	1281	377	253	168	83	71	22	436	287	333	179	553	56	286	1123
	40%	42%	40%	39%	40%	38%	38%	34%	34%	46%	37%	40%	41%	42%	39%	39%	41%
									*	CDEG				J	*		
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	872	80	793	233	190	93	32	46	28	250	252	223	136	210	51	180	692
	25%	26%	25%	24%	30%	21%	15%	22%	43%	26%	33%	27%	31%	16%	35%	25%	25%
				F	CEFG				CEFGI*	F	KM	M	M		M*		
Somewhat oppose	589	57	532	154	124	61	24	37	14	174	139	155	89	175	30	122	467
	17%	19%	17%	16%	20%	14%	11%	18%	22%	18%	18%	19%	20%	13%	21%	17%	17%
					EF				*	F	M	M	M		M*		
Strongly oppose	283	23	261	80	66	32	8	9	13	76	113	68	47	35	21	59	225
	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	7%	4%	4%		21%	8%	15%	8%	11%	3%	14%	8%
				F	FG					CDEFGI*	KM	M	M		M*		
Sigma	3502	305	3197	978	634	444	217	211	65	952	775	836	436	1311	145	735	2767
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