

# *Help* **Stop Assisted Suicide**



*Hospice and Palliative care are better options than suicide.*

*Say No on  
Question 2.*

*Flawed Law,  
False Choice*

## **Why Oppose Assisted Suicide?**

*There are many reasons to vote **No on Question 2**. Some people oppose Question 2 because of the values of the medical profession or faith. Others believe a ballot initiative should not determine a complex issue such as assisted suicide. Others see the proposed bill as a flawed law and false choice for these reasons:*

- Doctors agree that patients often outlive terminal diagnoses of 6 months.
- Patients requesting suicide are not required to consult a psychiatrist or a palliative care/hospice expert, or to notify family members, even though many terminally ill patients suffer from depression.
- No doctor is present when the patient takes the lethal prescription.
- We should be supporting improved hospice and palliative care statewide, not legalized suicide.

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