## Post Test-Answer Key Advance Directive





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## **POST TEST ANSWER KEY - ADVANCE DIRECTIVE**

|    | Question: True or False?   | Answer   |
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| 1. | All residents have the right to decline medical or<br>surgical treatment even if that means they possibly<br>could die.                                    | True – the Resident has the<br>right to choose or refuse care.<br>The facility has the obligation to<br>ensure informed decision<br>making by providing an<br>explanation of care including<br>risks and benefits.   |
| 2. | The Advance Directive is required for every individual entering a long term care facility.   | <b>False</b> – The facility is required to<br>determine upon admission,<br>whether the resident has<br>executed an advance directive<br>or has given other instructions<br>for care in the event of<br>incapacity, provide written<br>information on the policy, offer<br>to assist in formulation - but the<br>resident is not required to have<br>one. |
| 3. | A key element to an individual at end of life is having a voice in treatment options.  | <b>True</b> -The resident is able to<br>make choices on treatment<br>options and change them at any<br>time in order to have a voice<br>regarding their preference(s).   |
| 4. | The facility is required to advise the resident and family of the right to establish an advance directive and offer assistance to the resident to execute. | <b>True</b> -the facility is required to<br>advise the resident of their<br>rights and offer to assist, but<br>the resident does have the<br>option to accept or refuse to<br>execute an advance directive.  |
| 5. | Once an individual had made the decision to have a DNR, they are unable to rescind it.   | False—the resident can change<br>their directive and the facility<br>will need to document and<br>honor the resident choice.   |

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