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Inspiring Minds

Whose Life is it Anyway? Assisted Suicide in Canada

Most of us see death as the final act of life's drama and many people want that last act to end on their own terms. But what happens if we are too sick? Should a doctor be allowed to prescribe lethal pills for us? Or would a government that allowed this be failing to protect us at our most vulnerable time?

Canadian law currently forbids physicians from helping patients kill themselves, but legal changes may be on their way. Come join us for complementary hors d'oeuvres and drinks as we talk about the latest developments. And let us know what you think. Would legalizing physician-assisted suicide be progress, or a turn down the wrong road?



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