

**LWV New York State Concurrence Position on Death with Dignity, Revised:**

1. The League of Women Voters of New York believes state laws should grant the option for a terminally ill person to request medical assistance from a relevant, licensed physician to end one's life.
2. The League of Women Voters believes such legislation should include safeguards against abuse of the dying and protections for medical personnel who act in good faith compliance with the law.

The position was revised to match the exact wording approved by the delegates at the June 2017 convention of the League of Women Voters of New York State.

**Reminder:** League members should take the background materials that they received with the November and December Voters with them to the program on January 13.