












# Queensland advance care planning document summary

What is the purpose?	Is it legally binding?	Who signs it?			
		Doctor/Nurse Practitioner	Person with capacity	Substitute decision-maker	JP/Comm Dec/ Notary Public or Lawyer
<b>Advance Health Directive</b>					
Gives direction about your future health care in specific medical circumstances. It also allows you to appoint an attorney(s) for health matters	Yes, the document is legally binding				
<b>Enduring Power of Attorney</b>					
Appoints one or more person(s) to make decisions on your behalf for health and/or financial matters	Yes, the document is legally binding				
<b>Statement of Choices Form A</b>					
Provides guidance to substitute decision-maker(s) and clinicians about a person's views, wishes and preferences for care in the event they are unable to make those health care decisions for themselves	No, but the document can guide clinical care				
<b>Statement of Choices Form B</b>					
Provides guidance to substitute decision-maker(s) and clinicians about a person's views, wishes and preferences for care in the event they are unable to make those health care decisions for themselves	No, but the document can guide clinical care				

For further information please contact Statewide Office of Advance Care Planning

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\*only required if attorney(s) are appointed in the Advance Health Directive