

Weaving Cultural Knowledge and Palliative Care

PRACTICING INDIGENOUS END-OF-LIFE GUIDES:

- Share Indigenous perspectives on death, grief and healing (e.g., facilitating connections to traditional healers and Knowledge Keepers).
- Share information and facilitate discussions on after-death procedures (e.g., morgues, death certificates, funeral and burial planning, finances).
- Support families who are experiencing grief (e.g., facilitating discussions between family members about final wishes, providing emotional support to families following a loss).
- Support health system navigation (e.g., answering questions about palliative care, advanced care planning, advocating for individuals and their families).
- Are volunteers that are located in each region of BC and are open to supporting First Nations people and their families on their end-of-life journey.



If you have questions about caregiving, reach out to your health care team, an Elder, Knowledge Keeper or someone you trust to talk about your needs and concerns.

For more information on
Indigenous End-of-Life Guides
please scan the QR code below.



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an Indigenous End-of-Life Guide
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