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Re: Advance Care Planning: Making Future Health Care Choices
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What type of health care would you want if you were unable to tell your health care providers yourself? Planning ahead is an important step in making sure your wishes are honored. Adults of all ages are encouraged to attend Advance Care Planning programs being held at all North Olympic Library System (NOLS) locations.

Whether you’re just starting a family, are a single adult, have a teenager at home or are a retiree, having a plan in place is important. Trained representatives from Olympic Medical Center will discuss future and end-of-life health care choices available to you.

Port Angeles Main Library
Thursday, February 20 at 6pm

Clallam Bay Branch Library
Friday, February 21 at 2pm

Forks Branch Library
Friday, February 21 at 6pm
Sequim Branch Library
Saturday, February 22 at 2pm

These Advance Care Planning programs are the beginning of a process to help you understand possible health care choices and make a plan that you can share with your loved ones. Information will be provided about advance care planning documents including Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care, Health Care Directives, and Physician Order for Life Sustaining Treatment. A question and answer period will follow each of the 60-minute presentations. Additional resources about advance care planning can be found through Honoring Choices Pacific Northwest at http://www.honoringchoicespnw.org/. For information about Olympic Medical Center visit http://www.olympicmedical.org.

For more information about this and other events happening at the Library, visit www.nols.org, call 360.417.8500, or email Discover@nols.org. The Clallam Bay Branch Library is located at 16990 Highway 112 in Clallam Bay. The Forks Branch Library is located at 171 Forks Avenue South. The Port Angeles Main Library is located at 2210 South Peabody Street. The Sequim Branch Library is located at 630 North Sequim Avenue.
Advance Care Planning programs will be held at NOLS February 20-22.

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