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Should Able MAID Requester/Recipients be Expected to Participate?

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A seamless transition has occurred in right-to-die advocacy from the concept of 'Assisted Suicide' to the concept of 'Physician Assisted Death'. I will argue that the change in nomenclature, although more politically efficacious, does nothing to avoid the deep philosophical and professional issues that we as a society continue to fail to address in the process of legalizing and implementing the procedure known now as MAID (Medical Assistance in Dying).

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