

APPENDIX 1: THE FULL SURVEY

Please answer all of the questions to the best of your ability. Thank you.

Gender:

- Male Female

Age:

- 55–60 61–65 66–70 71–75 76–80 >80

Race or Ethnicity:

- Caucasian/White Black/ African-American Hispanic/Latino Asian
 Other Prefer not to say

Annual income:

- ≤10K 10K–30K 30K–50K 50K–75K
 75K–100K >100K

Education:

- Some high school Graduated high school Some college Graduated college
 Post graduate college

Health Insurance

- Self-pay Private insurance Public insurance (i.e. Medicare, Medicaid, Gateway)

Do you have a family doctor that you see at least once a year?

- Yes No

How many times have you been to the emergency department in the past 1 year?

- 0 1–5 6–10 11–15 >15

How many times have you been hospitalized (admitted upstairs) in the past 1 year?

- 0 1–2 3–4 5–6 >6

How often does an adult live and return to their normal lives after having cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) while not in the hospital?

- 0–10% 11–25% 25–50% 50–75% 75–100%

How often does an adult live and return to their normal lives after having cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) while in the hospital?

- 0–10% 11–25% 25–50% 50–75% 75–100%

How often does a heartbeat come back after a patient gets “shocked?”

- 0–10% 11–25% 25–50% 50–75% 75–100%

Has your family doctor ever talked to you about whether or not you would want CPR or if you would want to be put on a ventilator (breathing machine)?

- Yes No I'm not sure

When you have been hospitalized, has any doctor or medical provider ever talked to you about whether or not you would want CPR or if you would want to be put on a ventilator (breathing machine)?

- Yes No I have never been hospitalized

Have you ever signed or been asked to sign a living will, DNR/DNI form, or any paperwork about what medical care you would want if you had a life-threatening illness?

- Yes No I'm not sure

Have you ever talked to your family about whether you would want to be put on a breathing machine or have CPR?

- Yes No

What happens during CPR?

What is intubation?

___What is comfort care?

What complications can be caused by having CPR (for example, medical injuries, or problems that happen from having CPR)?

What is a POLST (physician orders for life-sustaining treatment paradigm)?

How would you describe a “good death” (for example, where you would want to be, who would you want there)?

What is most important in having a “good death”? Please number 1–9, with 1 being the most important
___ Dying at home ___ Having family present ___ Having no pain

___ Having no nausea ___ Having no trouble breathing ___ Living as long as possible

___ Having a doctor there ___ Dying in the hospital ___ Having religious people there

Is there anything that you would like to know about CPR, DNR, DNI, comfort care, or living wills?
