

When someone is terminal

Making the most of the time that remains.

The items marked urgent need to happen while the person still has legal capacity. The rest can be taken at your own pace.

NOW

- ☐ **Talk to the palliative care team** AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
Understand what support is available — at home, in hospital, in hospice.
- ☐ **Check or make a will** URGENT
While the person has capacity. Update if needed.
- ☐ **Check or make an Enduring Power of Attorney** URGENT
Financial and medical. Must be done while they have capacity.
- ☐ **Complete an Advance Care Directive** URGENT
Their wishes for medical treatment, in writing.

SOON

- ☐ **Discuss funeral wishes** WHEN COMFORTABLE
Burial or cremation? What kind of service? Record it.
- ☐ **Review super death benefit nominations** SOON
Binding nominations lapse after 3 years. Check each fund.
- ☐ **Organise important documents** THIS MONTH
Will, EPOA, insurance, super, bank details — all in one place.

WHEN NEEDED

- ☐ **Consider home care or My Aged Care** IF NEEDED
The End-of-Life Pathway provides up to \$25,000 support.

WHEN READY

- ☐ **Talk to family about wishes** WHEN READY
The most important conversation you can have.