

Taking Steps Brattleboro

Free Advance Care Planning

National Healthcare Decision Week – April 17 -23, 2017

"If I had a serious accident or illness and couldn't communicate, would people know my wishes?"

On April 17th to the 23rd, communities all across the country are promoting the importance of Advance Care Directives.

Taking Steps Brattleboro is joining in, providing information and events at convenient locations in Brattleboro.

Come to one or more, or call Joanna at *Taking Steps* 802-257-0775 x 101 for more information.

**Monday,
April 17**

"Who's Your Person? Choosing an Agent: How do you do that?" with Suzanne Weinberg

Bring your brown bag lunch from 12-1pm, The River Garden, 157 Main St.

Free Information Table – Your Questions Answered: Brattleboro Food Co-op, 11am-1pm

**Tuesday,
April 18**

"Advance Care Planning for Those Under 35 – Why me, why now?" with Hannah Thurber

An informal presentation. Bring your brown bag lunch from 12-1pm, The River Garden, 157 Main St.

Free Information Table – Your Questions Answered:

- Brattleboro Food Co-op, 11am-1pm
- The Richards Building Lobby at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, 11am-1pm

**Wednesday,
April 19**

"What is Living Well to Me?" An interactive exploration using GO WISH Cards with Penfield Chester

Bring your brown bag lunch from 12-1pm at The River Garden, 157 Main St.

Free Information Table – Your Questions Answered:

- Brattleboro Food Co-op, 11am-1pm & 4-6pm
- The Richards Building Lobby at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, 11am-1pm
- Brattleboro Senior Center at Gibson Aiken Center, 207 Main St., 11:30am-1pm

**Thursday,
April 20**

"Advance Directives Discussion for Men" (A discussion often avoided) with Don Freeman

Bring your brown bag lunch from 12-1pm, The River Garden, 157 Main St.

Free information Table – Your Questions Answered:

- Brattleboro Food Co-op, 11am-1pm
- The Richards Building Lobby at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, 11am -1pm

**Friday,
April 21**

"What Does It Take to Be a Healthcare Agent" with Edie Mas

Bring your brown bag lunch from 12-1pm, The River Garden, 157 Main St.

Free Information Table – Your Questions Answered:

- The Richards Building Lobby at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, 11am -1pm

**Weekend,
April
22 & 23**

Free Films (and conversation)

- SATURDAY (Earth Day) 2:30 pm *"A Will for the Woods"* the story of one man's quest for Green Burial
The Meeting Room, Brooks Memorial Library, 224 Main St.
- SUNDAY 4 pm *"Defending your Life"* an afterlife comedy starring Meryl Streep & Al Brooks
The Latchis Theatre, Theatre 3, 50 Main St.



Advance Care Planning –
It's how people care for one another.

