

# A Self-Advocate's Guide To Patient Rights

A guide to help you be in control at your doctor visits.

## Americans with Disabilities Act

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a law that says that people with disabilities cannot be treated unfairly. It also states that people get equal entry to public settings.

Our basic rights and what they mean:



## The Right To Be Treated With Respect.



The Right to Get Your Medical Records.



The Right to Privacy of Your Medical Records.



The Right to Make Choices About Your Care.



The right to a support person at doctor appointments.



The Right to Informed Consent.



The Right to Make Decisions About End-of-Life Care.



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