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Hunter New England-Voluntary assisted dying: What do you need to know?

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NSW Parliament passed the Voluntary Assisted Dying Act 2022 on 19 May last year. The legislation provides an 18-month implementation period before voluntary assisted dying becomes available in NSW from 28 November 2023.

Voluntary assisted dying is a choice that will be available to eligible people in NSW who are approaching the end of their life. This is in addition to other choices that people may make about their end-of-life care, including palliative care.

The legislation sets out these processes in detail and includes many safeguards to ensure that voluntary assisted dying in NSW is as safe and accessible as possible.

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- WHEN: Tuesday 17 October 2023
- TIME: 6.30 pm 8.00 pm
- WHERE: Online via GoToWebinar
- RSVP: Please <u>CLICK HERE</u> to register
- NOTE: The session will be recorded to allow for later viewing.

For further information, please visit the <u>NSW Health VAD website</u> or email the HNELHD Voluntary Assisted Dying Implementation Team at HNELHD-VAD@health.nsw.gov.au

