



## PATIENT & CAREGIVER EDUCATION

# What Is a Health Care Proxy?

This video explains what a Health Care Proxy is and why it's important to have one. It also explains what a health care agent is and what their responsibilities are.



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