



The Royal Society of Canada presents:

Medically-Assisted Dying: Next Steps for Canada A Luncheon Lecture with Dr. Jocelyn Downie, FRSC

March 15, 2019, 11:30 am – 1:00 pm
Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, Ontario

This event features Dr. Jocelyn Downie, a key thought leader in medically-assisted dying. Dr. Downie will address the challenges and opportunities for the future of medically-assisted dying in Canada. Her comments will be grounded in the current state of knowledge, with particular reference to the Expert Panel Report entitled “End-of-Life Decision-Making” published in 2011 by the Royal Society of Canada, and the recent Assessments on “Medical Assistance in Dying” published by CCA and laid before Parliament in late 2018. A Q&A will follow.

11:30	Registration opens and lunch is served	
12:00	Opening Remarks	Chad Gaffield, President, RSC
12:10	Medically-Assisted Dying: Perspectives and possible next steps.	Jocelyn Downie
12:35	Discussion with the audience	Moderator: Chad Gaffield
