Record Nr.	UNINA9910815494503321
Titolo	The Case against assisted suicide : for the right to end-of-life care / / edited by Kathleen Foley and Herbert Hendin
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Baltimore, : Johns Hopkins University Press, 2002
ISBN	0-8018-7554-4
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (384 p.)
Altri autori (Persone)	FoleyKathleen M. <1944-> HendinHerbert
Disciplina	174/.24
Soggetti	Assisted suicide Terminal care - United States
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	""Contents""; ""Preface""; ""Acknowledgments""; ""Contributors""; ""Introduction: A Medical, Ethical, Legal, and Psychosocial Perspective""; ""Autonomy, Compassion, and Rational Suicide""; ""Chapter 1 - a€œl Will Give No Deadly Druga€?: Why Doctors Must Not Kill""; ""Chapter 2 - Compassion Is Not Enough""; ""Chapter 3 - Reason, Self-determination, and Physician-Assisted Suicide""; ""Practice versus Theory""; ""Chapter 5 - The Dutch Experience"" ""Chapter 6 - Palliative Care and Euthanasia in the Netherlands: Observations of a Dutch Physician"""Chapter 7 - The Oregon Experiment""; ""Chapter 8 - Oregona€?s Culture of Silence""; ""Chapter 9 - Deadly Days in Darwin""; ""Reason to Be Concerned""; ""Chapter 10 - Not Dead Yet""; ""Chapter 11 - Vulnerable People: Practical Rejoinders to Claims in Favor of Assisted Suicide""; ""Chapter 12 - Depression and the Will to Live in the Psychological Landscape of Terminally III Patients""; ""A Better Way""; ""Chapter 13 - A Hospice Perspective"" ""Chapter 14 - Compassionate Care, Not Assisted Suicide""" ""Chapter 14 - Compassionate Care, Not Assisted Suicide""" "Conclusion: Changing the Culture""; ""Notes""; ""Index""
Sommario/riassunto	Thoughtful and persuasive, this book urges the medical profession to improve palliative care and develop a more humane response to the complex issues facing those who are terminally ill.

1.