Record Nr. UNINA9910823312403321 Autore Shenkman Martin M **Titolo** Estate planning: for people with a chronic condition or disability / / Martin M. Shenkman New York, NY,: Demos Medical Pub., c2009 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-282-11523-5 9786612115233 1-935281-07-0 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (227 p.) Disciplina 346.7305/2 Soggetti Estate planning - United States People with disabilities - Legal status, laws, etc - United States Trusts and trustees - United States Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Includes index. Cover; Title Page; Dedication; Contents; Introduction; Chapter 1: 7 Nota di contenuto Steps of Estate Planning; Chapter 2: Chronic Illness Estate Planning Basics; Chapter 3: Organizing Legal, Financial, and Other Information; Chapter 4: Competency Taking Legal Actions to Protect Yourself; Chapter 5: Power of Attorney Authorizing Someone to Take Legal Action For You; Chapter 6: Ensuring Access to Your Medical Records HIPAA; Chapter 7: Your Health Care Proxy and Living Will Designating Someone to Make Health Care Decisions for You; Chapter 8: Emergency Child Medical Form Chapter 9: Your Will: Distributing Assets and Caring for Your Loved OnesChapter 10: Revocable Living Trust Maintaining Control and Protecting You Through Disability; Chapter 11: Charitable Giving; Chapter 12: Other Considerations; Chapter 13: Getting Started; Index; **Back Cover** Sommario/riassunto This is the first comprehensive estate-planning guide for those living with a chronic disease or disability. This book is targeted at those planning for the disbursement of their estates, no matter their size. Estate-planning is crucial for those living with a chronic disease or disability: individuals must express their preferences whether to receive

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