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Summary Information

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Abstract	Madalon Amenta is a leader in hospice care and practice. She found the Pennsylvania Hospice Network, be a founding member of the Hospice Nurse Association, and was active in many other organizations, including the (then) National Hospice Organization. These papers document Amenta's research, consultative and speaking engagements, and her involvement with professional organizations.

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Biography/History

Madalon O'Rawe Amenta is a well-respected hospice nurse and advocate. She earned her nursing degree from Yale in 1957, after previously obtaining a bachelor's degree in history and following a brief acting stint in New York. She continued her education at the University of Pittsburgh where she earned her Master's degree and later a PhD in healthcare.

Dr. Amenta focused her attention to the hospice care movement after serving on research project and was introduced the work nurses did. She would later found and be first president of the Pennsylvania Hospice Network, be a founding member of the Hospice Nurse Association, and be active in many other organizations, including the (then) National Hospice Organization. In addition to her work in organizations, she was a consultant for developing and evaluating hospice care programs and curriculum at the local, state, regional, and national level.

Dr. Amenta co-wrote and was first author of the first comprehensive hospice nursing text, *Nursing Care of the Terminally Ill* in 1986. She has won numerous awards and honors from universities and organizations across the country. A lover of poetry throughout her life, in her retirement Dr. Amenta returned to poetry and even produced a chapbook of her work, *Kandinsky and the Stars*.

Scope and Contents

These papers primarily span Dr. Amenta's professional career (c. 1960s-1997) documenting her academic research, speaking engagements, publications and experience with various professional organizations and institutions.

Administrative Information

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Controlled Access Headings

GEOGRAPHIC NAME(S)

- Pennsylvania.

OCCUPATION(S)

- Nurse

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- Amenta, Madalon
- Amenta, Madalon

SUBJECT(S)

- Hospice Care
- Hospice nurse
- Nursing--History.
- Palliative care
- Terminal care.

Collection Inventory

SERIES 1.. EDUCATION AND CAREER MATERIALS, 1967-2010.

Scope and Contents note

This section contains materials related to Dr. Amenta's education as well as additional career related documents. Items include grants, correspondence, consultation work, reviews as well as awards and honors. In addition, her published poetry chapbook *Kandinsky and the Stars* is housed in this section.

	Box	Folder
Master's Thesis- A study of certain factors which influence a return to active professional nursing after withdrawal for marriage and child raising, May 1967.	1	1
Doctoral Dissertation- Modular coalition: an administrative model for the organization of primary health care in the United States, 1978.	1	2
Grant Proposals, c. 1980-1991.	1	3
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Correspondence, Sept 1984-Mar 1985.	1	5
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Correspondence, c. 1990-1995.	1	12
Correspondence, Dec 1995-June 1996.	1	13
Additional correspondence, Mar 1982, May 1983-Jan 1995.	1	14
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Correspondence regarding Nursing Care of the Terminally Ill book, Nov 1985- Dec 1989.	1	16
Oncology Nursing Forum Review Board, 1986-1989.	1	17
Oncology Nursing Forum Review Board, 1986-1989.	1	18
Forbes Hospice Volunteer Handbook, Feb 1981.	1	19
VNA of Western Pennsylvania Audit Materials, 1986-1987. Restricted.	2	1
Press Releases, Letters to Editors, honors, c. 1980s-2006.	2	2
Awards and Honors, correspondence, 2002-2005.	2	3
Awards, Honors, Citations, legal size, 1979-1988, 1998.	2	3b
Poetry book: <i>Kandinsky and the Stars</i> Finishing Line Press: Kentucky, 2010.	2	4

SERIES 2.. PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, 1979-2007.

SERIES 2.1. NATIONAL HOSPICE ORGANIZATION, 1979-1992.**Scope and Contents note**

This subseries focuses on Dr. Amenta's work at the (then) National Hospice Organization (currently the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization-NHPCO). This organization was founded in 1978, and Dr. Amenta was a founding member. She served on the Evaluation and Research Committee from 1979-1983 and in 1985 was liason from the NHO Board to the committee. The records here document her work on the Evaluation and Research Committee, data and results, reports, minutes and meetings, as well other materials.

	Box	Folder
Annual Report, Evaluation and Research Committee, National Hospice Organization and November minutes, 1979 .	2	5
Evaluation and Research Committee notes, minutes and Final Report 1980, June-Dec 1980, April and Aug 1981.	2	6
Evaluation and Research Committee notes, correspondence, and reports, Dec 1978-Nov 1979.	2	7
Evaluation and Research Committee- Steering committee, June 1979 .	2	8
Evaluation and Research Committee project notes, drafts, correspondence, Feb 1979-May 1980.	2	9
Evaluation and Research Committee project notes, drafts, correspondence, Feb 1979-May 1980.	2	10
Evaluation and Research Committee project notes, drafts, correspondence, Feb 1979-May 1980.	2	11
Evaluation and Research Committee data set, May-Aug 1979.	2	12
Evaluation and Research Committee raw data.	2	13
PCP services log and manual, July 1979.	2	14

Individual daily pt/PCP logs, c. 1979.	2	15
Date Base Proposal, Feb 1980.	2	16
Evaluation and Research Committee Meeting, Chicago, Oct 7- 8 1982.	2	17
Evaluation and Research Committee 1986 Annual meeting and research proposal, c. June 1986.	2	18
Evaluation and Research Committee 1987 Annual meeting and research proposal, April 1987.	2	19
Senate bills and hospice reports, Jan 1980-April 1982.	2	20
Senate bills and hospice reports, Jan 1980-April 1982.	2	21
Testimonies subcommittee on health (Medicare hospice), Sept 15, 1983 .	2	22
Mid Atlantic region minutes, meetings, etc., Jan 1980-Nov 1982.	2	23
VA Hospice Report, 1981.	3	1
Hospice Directory, June 1981 .	3	2
NHO monthly letter (missing volumes), May 1980-Oct 1992.	3	3
List of Hospitals, c. 1986/1987.	3	4

SERIES 2.2. HOSPICE NURSES ASSOCIATION, 1979, 1986-1997, 2007.

Scope and Contents note

A founding member and executive director (1993-1997), this grouping of records documents Dr. Amenta's work with the Hospice Nurses Association (now Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association). These materials include correspondence, annual reports, and copies of *The Hospice Journal* during her

time as associate editor and, later, editor.

	Box	Folder
Executive Director's Report and Performance Review, Jan 1994-Nov 1996.	3	5
Executive Director's Reports 1994-1997.	3	6
Correspondence, Hospice Nurses Association, Aug 1995-April 1997.	3	7
Correspondence with Fleet Maull, National Prison Hospice Association, June-Nov 1994.	3	8
Written statement to the Institute of Medical Committee on Care and End of life nursing, Hospice Nurses Association, May 1996.	3	9
Annual reports and stats, The Hospice Journal, July 1990-Mar 1993.	3	10
The Hospice Journal, editor v 7 n4, v 8 n ½, v 8 n 4, v 9 n 1, v 9 n 4, 1991-1993.	3	11
The Hospice Journal, associate editor v 1-2, 1985-1986.	3	12
The Hospice Journal, associate editor v 3-4, 1987-1988.	3	13
The Hospice Journal, associate editor v 5-6, 1989-1990.	3	14

SERIES 3.. PRESENTATIONS, LECTURES AND CONFERENCES, 1978-1990.

Scope and Contents note

This series contains the papers and lectures Dr. Aments presented during her career as well as course materials, programs, agendas, correspondence and other materials.

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Speaking Engagements Correspondence, 1981.	3	16
Speaking- educational requests, 1979.	3	17
John Norris correspondence, April 1989-Jan 1985.	3	18
Southwestern PA Registered Nurses Club “The Nurses Role in the Hospice Alternative”, Speaker, April 9, 1985.	3	19
Penn State University (Course), Catastrophic Illness and Legal Issues in Ambulatory Care, Dec 1984- May 1985.	3	20
Penn State University, Coping with Catastrophic Diagnoses, May 1985.	3	21
Penn State University, Symposium notes.	3	22
Penn State University Speaker Notes.	3	23
Veterans Administration Forum: DNA, ER (with Transparencies), Dec 1984.	3	24
New Modes of Nursing Practice ASLM, Spring 1984.	3	25
Forbes Hospice Course, Feb 1982.	4	1
Hospice of York presentation, Oct 1981-Feb 1982 .	4	2
AHA Presentation, Developing A Hospice Focus within the Hospital, Oct 1981.	4	3
Death Thru the Ages outline, 1984.	4	4
Book chapter draft.	4	5

PA Nurses Association Nursing East Program, Panelist, May, 1987.	4	6
PA Hospice Network Hospice Ethical Concerns Survey, 1986.	4	7
Oncology Nursing Society, May 6, 1988, Nov-Dec 1987.	4	8
San Diego Conference, April 21,1988.	4	9
8th International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill Montreal, Sept 30- Oct 4 1990.	4	10
Jackson-Newman Foundation Conference, Aug 1989-Feb 1990.	4	11
Evaluation lecture.	4	12
Conflict resolutions, MD/nurse relations notes.	4	13
American Society of Hospice Care, Nov-Dec 1985.	4	14
National Hospice Organization 12th Annual Meeting/Symposium Nov 1990, Mar-Nov 1990.	4	15
Hospice Nursing – Nursing East Program, 1985.	4	16
Foundation of Thanatology membership, 1981.	4	17
Foundation of Thanatology “Community Hospitals and Thanatology” Leigh University, July 1979- Jan 1980.	4	18
Home Care Staff materials, minutes, and talk, Aug 1979, [1981].	4	19
Music Therapy at Forbes Hospice, 1981.	4	20
Children- Death and Dying Research.	4	21
Terminal Care in Western PA – VNA 160th Anniversary and Forbes Hospice Dedication Notes.	4	22

Cancer Nursing: Knowledge in Action Conference Materials, April 17–18, 1980.	4	23
Hospice Care – Empowering Professional Nursing Practice Nursing East (photo), 1985.	4	24
Robert Wood Johnson Hospice Forms, c. 1980s.	4	25
Personality Traits of Hospice Nurses, c.1990.	4	26
Certification in Nursing Talk, June 1990.	4	27
5x7 Note cards of Various Lectures.	4	28
Notes for lecture on humor in hospice.	4	29
Hospice Nursing as a Profession, lecture.	4	30
NHO meeting speech, Sept 1991, June-Nov 1991.	4	31
"Differences in Spiritual Care Practices and Attitudes between Hospice and Oncology Nurses", 10th International Congress on Care of the Terminally Ill, Talk and Slides, Sept 17, 1994.	4	32
Oncology Nursing Society, Quality and Spiritual Care, 1993, 1995.	4	33
Oncology Nursing Society, Quality of Life presentation, 1994.	4	34
NBCHN – Poster Session Slide Materials, April and Sept 1995.	4	35

SERIES 4.. PROJECTS, C. 1970-1985.

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This section contains documents, arranged by Dr. Amenta, concerning topics of particular research themes.

4.1. HOSPICES IN AMERICA.

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Pennsylvania, Sample consent and NB forms, 1985 .	4	36
Hospice Care Patient Forms.	4	37
Past care policies and Procedures Connecticut Hospice.	4	38
Forbes Hospice Evaluation forms, June 1979-Oct 1980.	4	39
Sample budgets, 1983.	4	40
Contracts – samples – Medicare.	4	41
Centralized Hospice Service, Westmoreland County, Sept 1981.	4	42
Cuyahoga, Geagua, Lake, Lorain, Median Counties Plan for Hospice System of Care, 1979.	4	43
Survey on Hospice Patient/family Record Documentation, 1983.	4	44
The Beaver County hospice Plan.	4	45
Butler VNA hospice policies & job description, 1984.	4	46
Wissahickon Hospice materials, c. 1986.	4	47
Hospice (Forbes) patients' bill of rights.	4	48
Morgantown, WV, Review, July-Aug 1982.	4	49

Hospice of San Joaquin material, April 1986.	4	50
Hospice task force – STHITH plan, 1986 .	4	51
VNA of Western Westmoreland, patient care handbook, Sept-Oct 1982.	5	1
AGH – hospice guide for families.	5	2
Hospice of Metropolitan Erie PA, April 1981-May 1982.	5	3
VNA of Western Westmoreland workshop, June 1982, Aug 1987.	5	4
Establishment of a Hospice Program Basic Outline, Nov 1983.	5	5
Forbes Hospice Planning outline, 1979.	5	6
Allegheny Home Care Hospice Annual Report, July 1979-July 1980.	5	7
Evaluation materials – Forbes Hospice drafts.	5	8
Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals, April 1981.	5	9
Evolution of Hospice in the United States- notes and outline.	5	10
Visiting Nurse Association of Western Westmoreland County in Home Hospice Policy Manual.	5	11
Hospice Program Characteristics Form, notes, 1980.	5	12
Guide for a Hospice Volunteer Program, Hospice of Tacoma, 1980.	5	13
Visiting Nurse Association of Western Westmoreland County in Home Hospice Policy Manual.	5	14
Nursing Care Manual, Boulder County Hospice Inc., 1980.	5	15

4.2. HOSPICE CARE AND DEATH.

	Box	Folder
The Experience of Dying By: E. Mansell Pattinson, Engewood Cliffs, NJ, Prentice Hall, 1977.	5	16
General Literature on Hospice Care and Desirability.	5	17
Hospice Organization, Staff Support, Qualities, multidisciplinary approach articles, c. 1982-1988.	5	18
Articles, Hospice Philosophy and Goals, 1974-1979.	5	19
HAP, Individual Achievement Entry, Forbes Hospice: Community Education about a More Considerate and Cost Effective Way of Caring for the Terminally Ill and Their Families, 1980.	5	20
Research and Data Collection (Meetings, Procedures, etc.), Mar 1979-Nov 1980.	5	21
Hospice Standards, New Jersey, June 1980.	5	22
Forum Newsletter: Forum for Death Education, Feb 1983-Oct 1985.		
	Box	Folder
Forum Newsletter: Forum for Death Education and Counseling, Oct 1978- Mar 1982.	5	24
Cornell Study for Death Education and Counselling, Jan and Aug 1981.	5	25
Student Project, R.N. Questionnaire, 1979.	5	26
SIBs Response + Death of Sib (notecards).	5	27
Berkeley Hospice Training Project, Oct 1980.	5	28

Compassionate Friends notes and letters, Mar-Dec 1981.	5	29
Hospice Movement Questionnaire, University of Michigan – Inge Corless, May-Aug 1979.	5	30
Paging Review, Forbes Hospice, Feb 1979-April 1980.	5	31
Recruitment and Education of Hospice Volunteers, Mar 1981.	5	32
Michigan – Proposed Hospice Rules, Oct 1981.	5	33
Draft, Presentation, c. 1986.	5	34
Psycho – Social Aspects of Cancer Patients and Family notes, c. 1975.	5	35
Articles related to hospice and care, c. 1970s-c.1980s.	5	36
Legislative changes and hospice recommendation, c. 1972-1978.	5	37

SERIES 5.. PUBLICATIONS.

Scope and Contents note

The materials in this section contains any articles, book chapters, book and publisher correspondence, and other related documents regarding publications by Dr. Amenta.

	Box	Folder
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "History of the Hospice Nurses Association, 1986-1996" <i>Journal of Hospice and Palliative Nursing</i> (3)4:128-137 October-December 2001 • With Martha Highfield and Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor "Preparation to Care: The Spiritual Care Education of Oncology and Hospice Nurses" <i>Journal of Hospice and Palliative Nursing</i> (2):53-63 April-June 2000 • With Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor and Martha Highfield "Predictors of 	5	38

Oncology and Hospice Nurses' Spiritual Care Perspectives and Practices" *Applied Nursing Research* (12):30-37 February 1999 • "What is the Hospice Nurses Association?" *American Journal of Hospice & Palliative Care* 14(5):256-7 September-October 1997 • "Spiritual Care: The Heart of Palliative Nursing" *International Journal of Palliative Nursing* 3(1):4 January-February 1997 • "Home Care Today Hospice Nursing and Managed Care" *Home Healthcare Nurse* 14(10):815-6 October 1996 • "End-of-life Care Options" *Fanfare* 10(3):3 Fall 1996 • "Hospice Services" Chapter 78 in McCorkle, R., Grant, M., Frank-Stromberg, M., & Baird, S. B *Cancer Nursing: A Comprehensive Textbook* (2nd ed) WB Saunders Philadelphia, PA 1996 • Hospice and Palliative Care Clinical Practice Protocol: Dyspnea (Editor) (monograph) Hospice Nurses Association Pittsburgh, PA Fall 1996, 1970-2007.

• "Ask not what your nursing organization can do for you" *Fanfare* 9(4):3 Winter 1995-1996 • Standards of Hospice Nursing Practice and Professional Performance (Editor) (monograph) Hospice Nurses Association, Pittsburgh, PA May 1995 • "The Challenge to Hospice Nurses for the Future" *Editorial Home Healthcare Nurse* 13(5):7-8 September/October 1995 • With Virginia Shubert "Hospice Care Can Obviate the Need for Suicide" *Home Healthcare Nurse* 13(4) 72-74 July/August 1995 • "Who We Are" *Fanfare* 9(20) 1-16 Summer 1995 • "The Gifts of the Body" by Rebecca Brown, *Fanfare* 9(1):5 Spring 1995 • "Study Reveals Hospice Nurses Have a High Degree of Role Satisfaction" *Fanfare* 9(1):18 Spring 1995 • "Loss, Death, and Dying" Chapter 12 in Ignatavicius, D., Workman, L., and Mishlen, M. Medical-Surgical, *Nursing: A Nursing Process Approach*. (2nd ed) W.B. Saunders Company Philadelphia, PA 1995 • With Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor and Martha Highfield "Spiritual Care Practices of Oncology Nurses" *Oncology Nursing Forum* 22(1):31-39 January/February 1995 • With Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor and Martha Highfield "Attitudes and Beliefs Regarding Spiritual Care A Survey of Cancer Nurses" *Cancer Nursing* 17(6):479-487 December 1994 • With Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor "Midwifery to the Soul While the Body Dies: Spiritual Care Among Hospice Nurses" *The American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Care* (6):28-36 November/December 1994.

Zeri, K., Egan, K. and Shubert, V. <i>Hospice Nurses Certification Examination Review Manual: A Self-Study Guide</i> (Editor) Hospice Nurses Association Pittsburgh, PA 1994.	5	40
"How to Find Hospice Care" Appendix B in McCorkle, R. and Grant M. <i>Pocket Companion for Cancer Nursing</i> W.B. Saunders Company Philadelphia, PA 1994.	5	41
• With Elizabeth Johnston-Taylor "Preliminary Results of Hospice Nurse Spiritual Care Perspectives Study" <i>Fanfare</i> 8(3):16 Fall 1994 • With Liz Sumner "Terminally Ill Children in Hospice Care" <i>Home Healthcare Nurse</i> 12(4):66-67 July/August 1994 • With Carmen Lippert "Hospice is a Concept, Not a Place" <i>Home Healthcare Nurse</i> 12(3):71-72 May/June 1994 • With Virginia Shubert "Hospice Nursing and the AIDS Epidemic" <i>Home Healthcare Nurse</i> 12(2):54-55 March/April 1994 • "Hospice Nursing: Consolidation of a Specialty" <i>Home Healthcare Nurse</i> 12(1):55-58 January/February 1994.	5	42
• With Charlette Gallagher-Allred "Nutrition and Hydration in Hospice Care" (book) The Haworth Press, Inc. Binghamton, NY 1993 • With Charlette Gallagher-Allred "The Role of Nutrition in Hospice Care" <i>The Hospice Journal</i> 9(2-3) ix-xiv 1993.	5	43
• With Bernard Bloom "High Cost Patients in Hospices" <i>The American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Care</i> 10(2):32-38 March/April 1993 • With Ruth Stewart "Policy, Politics, Legislation, and Public Health Nursing" Chapter 15 in Swanson, J. And Albrecht, M. <i>Community Health Nursing: Promoting the Health of Aggregates</i> W.B. Saunders Company Philadelphia, PA 1993.	5	44
• "Certification for Hospice Nurses? Assessment of Need" <i>The Hospice Journal</i> 8(3):73-89 1992 • With Ronnie Atkins "Family Adaptation to AIDS: A Comparative Study" <i>The Hospice Journal</i> 7(1-2) 71-85 1991.	6	1
• "Summan Scrutemur" <i>The Hospice Journal</i> (3):1-4 1991 • With Claire Tehan <i>Aids and the Hospice Community</i> (Editors) (book) Harrington	6	2

Park Press Binghamton, NY 1991.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Hospice Services" Chapter 71 in Baird, S., McCorkle, R. and Grant, M. <i>Cancer Nursing: A Comprehensive Textbook</i> W.B. Saunders Company Philadelphia, PA 1991 • With Benita Martocchio "Loss, Dying, and Death" Chapter 11 in Ignatavicius, D. and Bayne, M <i>Medical-Surgical Nursing: A Nursing Process Perspective</i> W.B. Saunders Company Philadelphia, PA 1991. 	6	3
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"Nurses as Primary Spiritual Care Workers" <i>The Hospice Journal</i> 4(3):47-57 October 1988.	6	5
<i>Quality Assurance for Hospice Patient Care</i> (Editor) (manual) Hospice Nurses Association Escondido, CA 1988.	6	6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With Priscilla Kissick "Hospice Care" Section I Chapter 2 in Harris, Maralyn <i>Home Health Administration</i> Rynd Publications Owings Mills, MD 1988 • With C. Whitney, M. Koshuta, and B. Petrosino "Standards and Scope of Hospice Nursing Practice" (monograph) American Nurses' Association Kansas City, MO 1987. 	6	7
With Nancy Bohnet <i>Nursing Care of the Terminally Ill</i> (book) Little, Brown and Company Boston, MA 1986.	6	8
With Priscilla Kissick "Perspectives in Hospice Care" Chapter VI in Bonnie Cover (Editor) <i>Home Health and Hospice Manual - Regulations and Guidelines</i> National Health Publishing Owings Mills December 1986.	6	9
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November 1986 • "The Physician and the Hopelessly Ill Patient" by The Society for the Right to Die (book review) *Oncology Nursing Forum* 13(4):133-134 July-August 1986 • "Reimbursement, Certification and Accreditation" Section 7 in Sharon Simson (Editor) *Hospice Care and Practitioners in Aging* (monograph) prepared for the Department of Aging of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Hahnemann University Philadelphia, PA June 1986 • "What Do You Do if The Patient Says, 'Please Let Me Die?'" *Nursing* 861(4):8H, 8L 8P April 1986.

"Hospice in the United States: Multiple Models and Varied Programs" *Nursing Clinics of North America* 20(2):269-281 June 1985. 6 11

• With Arlene Weiner and Davida Amenta "Successful Relocation of Elderly Residents" *Geriatric Nursing* 5(8):356-360 November-December 1984 • *Hospice Seminar Workbook* (manual) Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals Chicago, IL 1984 • "Hospice USA 1984- Steady and Holding" *Oncology Nursing Forum* 11(5):68-74 September 1984 • "Death Anxiety, Purpose in Life and Duration of Service in Hospice Volunteers" *Psychological Reports* 54 979-984 1984. 6 12

"Patients Who Want to Die" revised and reprinted in Chapter 8 "Ethical Problems" *Nurse's Legal Handbook* Springhouse Corporation Springhouse, PA 1985. 6 13

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SERIES 6.. PRINTED MATERIALS AND RESEARCH ARTICLES, 1970-2000.

Scope and Contents note

The section consists of additional printed materials and research Dr. Amenta collected during her career and are related to her research inquiries. Items also include newsletters from various hospice and healthcare organizations both locally and nationally.

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