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# U.S. Supported Decision-Making Laws —

A number of states across the country have passed **comprehensive legislation related to supported decision-making**. Below are links to these laws. Each of these statutes created a comprehensive legal framework for Supported Decision-Making and includes various safeguards and protections.

- [Alaska Supported Decision-Making Statute \(2018\)](#)
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SDM legislation was introduced in [Massachusetts in 2019 and reintroduced in 2021](#). More information about CPR's work on the [Massachusetts legislation is available here](#).

For further information about Supported Decision-Making in your state, please visit the [National Resource Center on Supported Decision-Making](#).

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