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## Comments:

Palliative care is a vital piece of the healthcare continuum. St Francis suggests a more comprehensive examination of all the issues surrounding serious illness, treatment options and appropriate health coverage. Creation of a task force or conducting an audit may be possible options.