

# Ethical Decision – Making Steps

1. Identify the **ethical dilemma**
2. Identify those likely to be **affected by the decision**
3. Identify all **viable courses of action**, including benefits & risks for each
4. Examine the **pros & cons** for each course of action



# Ethical Decision – Making Steps (continued)

5. Consult with **experts** & colleagues.
6. Make the **decision**, document decision-making process.
7. **Implement** the decision.
8. Monitor, **evaluate** & document the outcomes.

