ACR CORE VALUE STATEMENT

IT IS ACR'S CORE BELIEF THAT ALL HUMAN LIFE IS INTRINSICALLY VALUABLE.

THE VALUE OF LIFE IS NOT DIMINISHED
BECAUSE A PERSON IS DISABLED,
UNBORN OR NEAR THE END OF LIFE.
VALUE IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHETHER
THE PERSON IS INDEPENDENT OR TOTALLY
DEPENDENT ON OTHERS.

IT IS NOT BASED ON PRODUCTIVITY OR ON PHYSICAL OR INTELLECTUAL POTENTIAL OR ACCOMPLISHMENTS. VALUE IS NOT DEPENDENT ON WHETHER A PERSON HAS FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS OR FRIENDSHIPS. IT IS NOT CONTINGENT ON BEING WANTED, LOVED OR ADMIRED. HUMAN LIFE IS INTRINSICALLY VALUABLE AND WORTHY OF DIGNITY AND RESPECT SIMPLY BECAUSE IT EXISTS.

