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Futile treatment versus palliative care – an ethical conundrum. Four quadrant approach to aid ethical dilemmas.

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Research which investigates an ethical problem concerning the best treatment option(s) for a five-year-old cerebral palsied child who was born deaf and blind due to being infected with rubella in the womb. It highlights an approach which can be applied to weighing up different options available and thus aid in identifying the option suited to the best interest of the patient.

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