Should Tomorrow Be is a short documentary film that recounts the story of a retired Indian-American cardiologist who suffers a simple fall at home and is left paralyzed from the neck down and dependent on a ventilator to breathe. As he processes this devastating reality, he struggles with the choice to live as a vent-dependent quadriplegic or exercise his right-to-die. Through actual home hospital footage, Should Tomorrow Be shows the raw reactions of his family and friends as they rally around him as deliberates and makes this pivotal decision.

Presented at the IHI National Forum in 2015, Should Tomorrow Be brings a powerful voice that can be applied to a variety of healthcare settings and topics including end-of-life conversations, palliative care, spinal cord injury, caregiving, disability rights, patient safety, ICU/rehab to home transitions, home healthcare, patient-and family centered care and others.

To view the trailer and learn more, please visit: www.shouldtomorrowbe.com. To contact Patient Family Member/Advocate and filmmaker Malini Goel, please email: shouldtomorrowbe@gmail.com