

---

## CONTENTS

---

Foreword	v
Detailed Contents	xi
List of Tables, Boxes and Graphs	xxv
About the Authors	xxix
Note to the Reader	xxxiii
Table of Cases	xxxv
Table of Statutes	xli
1 Introduction	1
<b>PART I THE NETHERLANDS</b>	<b>11</b>
2 The Netherlands and the Dutch Health Care System	13
3 Recent Developments in Dutch Euthanasia Law	29
4 Dutch Law on Euthanasia and Other MBPSL	51
5 Dutch MBPSL Law in Context and in Practice	147
6 Termination of Life in Neonatology	217
<b>PART II BELGIUM</b>	<b>257</b>
7 Belgium and the Belgian Health Care System	259
8 The Legalisation of Euthanasia in Belgium	275
9 Belgian Law on Euthanasia and Other MBPSL	295
10 Belgian MBPSL Law in Context and in Practice	331
<b>PART III OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>345</b>
Introduction to Part III	347
11 England and Wales	349
12 France	371
13 Italy	395
14 Scandinavia	425
15 Spain	443
16 Switzerland	463
17 Comparative Data	483
<b>PART IV THEMATIC REFLECTIONS</b>	<b>497</b>
Introduction to Part IV	499

18 The Nude Beach Phenomenon: Euthanasia and the Juridification of the Doctor–Patient Relationship	501
19 Slithering Up the Slippery Slope	513
20 ‘Prediction is very difficult, especially about the future’	521
List of References	533
Index	575

<http://www.pbookshop.com>