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COVER ILLUSTRATION: Mary Hallam Huntington's mother and another woman tend to the dying girl. From the front cover of *Memoirs of Mary Hallam Huntington, of Bridgewater, Mass.* (Boston, 1820). As Karol Weaver's article "'Painful Leisure' and 'Awful Business': Female Death Workers in Pennsylvania" shows, women held responsibility for the work of caring for the dying and the dead well into the nineteenth century. Image courtesy of the Library Company of Philadelphia.

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