A שכיב מרע who instructs that a שקל be left for his son for each שכיב מרע, and his son needs a שבת in order to make שבת, he is given a (as even though a סלע is a larger sum, the intent was to enable the son to make שבת).

It is a מצוה to listen to the words of a שכיב מרע.