



2017 EDUCATION PROGRAMME



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*Promoting personal and
professional growth in
palliative care*



Purpose

We believe that Hospice care should be available to anyone who needs it, so that they can make the most of life. A quality of life with comfort and feelings of safety and security, at a time when things are uncertain, is important to us.

Values

- **Leading** in specialist palliative care and in enabling others.
- **Balancing** patients first with looking after ourselves and each other.
- **Professional** in all we do.
- **Respectful** in all our dealings.
- **Valuing** of the whole person.
- **Active** in quality and caring.
- **Connected** with our peers, with our community, with other providers.

Please Note:

The venue for the sessions in this programme is listed as "to be advised". This is due to the building work we will be undertaking at Hospice during 2017, and the availability of space at the time of the session.

EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORM 2017

(Please complete a separate registration form for each course you wish to attend)

Course name: _____

Course date/s: _____

Course fee: \$ _____

Payment method (please tick preferred option):

- Cash
- Cheque payable to Hospice Whanganui
- Direct credit *Westpac 03 0791 0571167 00 / Hospice Whanganui
- Invoice (Individual)
- Invoice (Organisation)

First Name: _____

Surname: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Cellphone: _____

E-mail: Home: _____

Work: _____

Current place of work: _____

Position held: _____

***If you wish to pay by direct credit** please make sure you include your name and course you are attending in the reference fields.

Please post to: Education Facilitator
Hospice Whanganui
PO Box 4284
Wanganui 4540

REGISTRATION

*There are limited numbers for all education sessions so
registration is essential*

How to register:

- Fill out the registration form in this booklet (photocopy as required)
- Payment is essential to confirm your placement
- Fax, post or e-mail registration form to:

Education Facilitator
Hospice Whanganui
PO Box 4284,
Whanganui 4540

Fax: 06 349 2690
E-mail: alisonb@hospicewanganui.org.nz
Phone: Alison 06 349 0080 extn 723

COURSE FEE PAYMENT DETAILS

As an alternative, we can invoice you or your organisation for payment before the course begins.

Please make cheques payable to Hospice Whanganui.

Direct Credit details: Westpac 03 0791 0571167 00
Ref eg: J Blogs Syringe W/shop

Study sessions are free for all Hospice Whanganui staff.

Car parking may be limited at Hospice Whanganui, so please be considerate of our patients and their visitors.

Please Note:

All Hospice Whanganui sites are completely smoke-free.

PALLIATIVE CARE FOR CARE ASSISTANTS

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

This course is designed to support Care Assistants to deliver improved palliative care to their patients by enhancing their knowledge and understanding of palliative care by exploring a number of topics which include:

- Principles of palliative care
- Understanding pain and other common symptoms
- Communicating with and supporting the dying person, their family and whanau
- Caring for dying residents in the last days of life
- Understanding loss and grief

Cost: Free

Dates: This course is run twice yearly and consists of four seminars. These seminars are delivered over two morning sessions.

Course one: Tuesday 4th April 2017 8.30am - 12.30pm
Tuesday 18th April 2017 8.30am - 12.30pm

Course two: Tuesday 5th Sept 2017 8.30am - 12.30pm
Tuesday 19th Sept 2017 8.30am - 12.30pm

Registration is essential
(Registration Form on back page)

PALLIATIVE CARE STUDY DAY

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

This study day is for health care professionals with a particular interest in caring for patients with palliative care needs and work in areas that place particular emphasis on end of life issues/palliative care.

Its aim is to increase the knowledge and confidence of attendees on palliative care practice and improving end of life care for people and their families/whanau who are living with a life limiting illness.

The study days are palliative care focused with sessions being delivered from a variety of speakers and specialties with expertise in palliative care. Included is a 1/2 hour panel discussion that gives attendees the opportunity to raise a particular topic/issue related to palliative care for our panel of experts to discuss.

Programme agenda is available two months prior to each study day, covering topics including:

- Symptom management
- Professional standards in a palliative context
- Palliative care focused multicultural awareness

Each study day offers attendees the opportunity to suggest future topics.

If you wish to receive these details please contact Alison Buchan at:

E-mail: alisonb@hospicewanganui.org.nz

Phone: 349 0080 ext 723

Cost: \$20.00 for full day (includes morning tea)

Dates: 3rd May 2017

8th November 2017

Time: 9.00am - 1.30pm

Registration is essential
(Registration Form on back page)

FAMILY SUPPORT

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

Hospice patients do not exist in isolation, rather they belong to a complex pattern of support networks. In order to provide quality holistic care, the support of family (in its wider sense) is essential. This session will focus on how best we can partner with and support families to navigate the illness of one of their members.

Wednesday 31st May 2017 1.00pm-2.00pm

Cost: \$10.00

Registration is essential
(Registration Form on back page)

WORKING WITH LOSS AND GRIEF

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

For health professionals working with people experiencing issues with grief and loss.

People face loss and grief situations throughout their lives, in many different ways. Towards the end of life these losses become intensified. This session will explore current grief theory and relate it to the situations that patients and family members find themselves in.

Having a good understanding of loss and grief concepts enables those working in the health field to provide better assistance to patients and family members who are struggling with these issues.

Wednesday 31st May 2017 10.00am-12.00pm

Cost: \$20.00

Registration is essential
(Registration Form on back page)

FUNDAMENTALS OF PALLIATIVE CARE

(Endorsed by Hospice NZ)

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

The Hospice New Zealand Fundamentals of Palliative Care is a multidisciplinary education resource aimed at supporting and educating all health professionals who are working with patients and families/whanau requiring a palliative approach.

The modules are:

- Essence of palliative care
- Ethical issues in palliative care
- Introduction to spiritual care
- Communication skills
- Palliative care for people with a chronic illness
- Palliative care for people with dementia
- Pain and symptom management including pharmacology (the pharmacology session is optional)
- Last days of life
- Grief and loss
- Caring for ourselves

The modules are delivered twice per year over three days.

You can choose to attend all learning packages of the full course or pick and choose learning packages that suit your learning requirements.

Note: The *ESSENCE OF PALLIATIVE CARE* is the pre-requisite and introduction to the package. You must attend this learning package prior to attending any others

Cost: \$60.00 for the three day workshop (includes morning tea)

Series one: Thursday 23rd March 2017 8.30am - 2.30pm
Thursday 20th April 2017 8.30am - 3.30pm
Thursday 25th May 2017 8.30am - 2.00pm

Series two: Thursday 17th August 2017 8.30am - 2.30pm
Thursday 14th Sept 2017 8.30am - 3.30pm
Thursday 19th Oct 2017 8.30am - 2.00pm

Registration is essential
so resources can be delivered prior to the sessions.
(Registration Form on back page)

SYRINGE DRIVER COMPETENCY

(Endorsed by Hospice NZ)

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

The aim of this workshop is to assist registered nurses to obtain the theoretical and practical knowledge and skills required to manage syringe drivers in their place of practice and for enrolled nurses to be competent in checking.

Annual updates are recommended to maintain knowledge, skill and competency in the use of the syringe driver and medication management.

<i>Workshop 1 -</i>	Monday 13 March 2017	10.00am-11.30am
<i>Workshop 2 -</i>	Monday 22nd May 2017	10.00am-11.30am
<i>Workshop 3 -</i>	Monday 10th July 2017	10.00am-11.30am
<i>Workshop 4 -</i>	Monday 11th September 2017	10.00am-11.30am
<i>Workshop 5 -</i>	Monday 13th November 2017	10.00am-11.30am

Cost: \$20.00

Registration is essential

so resources can be delivered prior to the sessions.
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GENESIS ONCOLOGY TRUST PALLIATIVE CARE LECTURE SERIES

Venue: *To be advised when registration is confirmed.*

The Genesis Oncology Trust Palliative Care Lecture Series is hosted by hospices throughout New Zealand. The lectures are delivered via teleconference with a PowerPoint presentation that the speaker takes participants through. This education opportunity is designed to suit the needs of a multidisciplinary audience with an interest in palliative care.

The lectures are held on the first **Thursday of each month** from February through to December, 7.30-8.30am. A 2017 schedule will be confirmed in January.

For a full schedule of speakers and topics see : www.hospice.org.nz

- 2nd February 2017
- 2nd March 2017
- 6th April 2017
- 4th May 2017
- 1st June 2017
- 6th July 2017
- 3rd August 2017
- 7th September 2017
- 5th October 2017
- 2nd November 2017
- 7th December 2017

Cost: Free

No registration is required

All welcome
Tea/coffee available