

Care delivery & planning

Title	Suitable for	Length	Level
Symptom Assessment and management	Everyone	6 sessions 10.30-2.30	CPD
Pain and symptom management for end of life and Palliative care	This session is at an introductory level and is for everyone especially if you are involved with supporting people towards the end of life or work with people living with cancer who have concerns about pain and symptom management towards the end of life and what this means.	Virtual classroom - 3.5 hours	CPD
Palliative Care: Care 24	Doctors - This package of eLearning modules offers an exploration of what caring for patients really means, ascertaining wishes and conveying clinical decisions about DNACPR and how can this be done accurately and sensitively.	Online 2hours	CPD
Improving Palliative Care for Older People in Care Homes	This course is for staff working in care homes in either a management or caregiving role. This includes staff and volunteers that deliver services in care homes. This course is also ideal for older people and their families wanting to learn more about care homes.	3 hours 3 weeks	CPD
Pain Management NURS 09122 (as part of the BSc Hons)	The focus of this theoretical module is to provide the student with the opportunity to develop their knowledge and investigate an aspect of pain management from a local or global perspective.	12 weeks Fully online	9
Spiritual Care Call 01292 294408 to book	All levels of staff providing or contributing to palliative care in any setting.	1/2 day	

Palliative Care Knowledge Zone	<p>The Palliative Care Knowledge Zone is a free information source for health and social care professionals. Most of the content is aimed at professionals who may not have specialist training in palliative or end of life care, such as healthcare assistants and care home workers</p>	<p>Variable</p>	
Heart Failure Hub Scotland	<p>Education and training on heart failure is vital for health care professionals to ensure that they have a good level of knowledge and understanding of the condition to enable them to provide patients with appropriate information and a high standard of care.</p>	<p>Various resources</p>	
Alzheimer Scotland Palliative care various programmes	<p>Alzheimer Scotland offers a range of modular and bespoke training programmes that could be essential to you or your organisation's dementia practice and development.</p>	<p>Various resources</p>	
Nutrition & Hydration Issues in Dementia Palliative care	<p>This factsheet provides information on: Difficulties with eating and drinking; Clinically assisted nutrition & hydration; Assessment & reassessment; Oral health; Swallowing difficulties for the person with dementia receiving palliative care.</p>		<p>Factsheet</p>
Parkinson's: managing palliative and end of life care - online (Excellence Network)	<p>Professionals, such as Parkinson's specialist nurses and other clinicians, who work as part of the specialist team and deal with palliative and end of life. It may also be useful for health and social care professionals who already have experience of working with people with Parkinson's, but wish to enhance their knowledge of palliative and end of life care in Parkinson's.</p>	<p>10 hours</p>	<p>Digital badge award</p>
Contribute to the implementation of care or support plan activities (SQA H5NE04)	<p>Housing Support & Care At Home workers</p>		<p>Level 6</p>

Practical Caring Skills (SQA H9XE33)	Suitable for learners who are beginning employment in Health or Social Services, entering employment in a new Health or Social Service organisation or who are changing/developing their role within a Health or Social Service organisation. It is also suitable for learners undertaking a placement or volunteering in a Health or Social Service organisation.	40 hours 1 credit	SCQF 6
Caring for people with dementia (SQA D11A 12)	This unit is designed to provide the candidate with the knowledge and skills which are necessary for the support and care of people with dementia and for their carers.	40 hours 1 credit	SCQF 6
Promoting Quality of Life through dementia skilled practice (SQA FY1D34)	The candidate will know and understand the stages of the dementia journey, the importance of promoting the rights of people with dementia their families and carers through the management of health and well-being.	40 hours 1 credit	SCQF 7
Essential Skills for Care Practice (SQA HF2434)	This Unit has been designed to enable the learner to develop the knowledge and skills to carry out competencies and calculations that are frequently used within their role of care practitioner.	80 hours 2 credits	SCQF 7
End of Life Care - fundamentals of nursing care at the end of life	Registered nurses, student nurses and health care support workers	Online	CPD
Assessing and Managing Symptoms in Palliative Care	Nurses & Allied Health professionals	Mainly online	Level 9 (20 credits)
Contemporary Issues in Palliative care Practice: Management of Symptoms	All health and social care professionals	Online	

(other than pain) in Advanced Disease (ONC 8016)			
Namaste Call 01292 294408 to book	All health & social care staff dealing with people with dementia	4 days including placement day	CPD
T34 Syringe Pump Call 01292 294408 to book	Registered professionals caring for people with T34 pump	2 hours	CPD
Graduate Certificate in Palliative Care	Health and social care professionals working in adult, children or neonatal services, in either hospital, community, care home or hospice settings.	Blended learning 1.5 - 4 years	Level 9 (20 credits)
Oncology and Palliative care	All professionals	Various	
Palliative Care MSc, PGDip, PGCert	All professionals	Various	MSc, PGDip, PGCert
End of Life Care for All (e-ELCA)	Health and social care workforce	Online	CPD
Anticipatory Care Planning	Health and social care workforce Access to ACP national Information /leaflets available for download ACP for COVID-19	Online	CPD

Improving palliative care in care homes for older people	<p>Staff working care homes, in either management or a care giving role including volunteers. This course is ideal for older people and their families wanting to learn more about care homes.</p>	<p>3 hours per week for 3 weeks</p>	<p>CPD</p>
BSc (Med Sci) & BSc (Dent Sci) Clinical Medicine Specialist Course 4: Cancer Studies MED4037	<p>Mandatory Entry Requirements: Actively enrolled in an MBChB or BDS, have completed at least the first 3 years and successfully accumulated equivalent of at least 360 credits.</p>	<p>Semester One approx 6 x 1.5 hour sessions per week and Semester 2 2 x 1.5 hour session per week .</p>	<p>Level 4(SCQF Level 10)</p>
MSc PgDip Person Centred Palliative Care	<p>Graduates and practitioners who wish to develop their careers in the broad field of palliative care</p>	<p>Part time 2.5 - 7 years</p>	<p>Level 11</p>

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