



End of Life Care Practice Development Team

Bulletin

Our aim is to share information & inform you of our education sessions

We are excited to introduce you to our new administrator Denise who will be more than happy to help you with any course bookings or enquiries regarding end of life care education.



GSF Foundation level programme – This programme for care homes has been immensely popular & we are pleased to announce that we will be running it again towards the end of 2017. Look out for information regarding “Awareness Sessions” being held in September or contact the Team for more information.

The Team welcome the opportunity to provide commissioned education to suit the needs of individual organisations. Please contact the Team if you would like a copy of our new prospectus.

The Team were thrilled to be the first Hospice education team awarded the Skills for Care Endorsement; this demonstrates the Teams commitment to, & provision of, high quality training.

T34 McKinley Syringe Driver Training for Registered Nurses

This workshop will be charged at £145 per learner

See booking form for payment details

The day focuses on device training of the T34 syringe driver as well as symptom assessment and management through the use of commonly used medication in end of life care.

Training days for McKinley T34 Syringe Driver - Full Day
Thursday 7th September 2017 9.30am – 4pm



Refresher training for McKinley T34 - Half Day
Tuesday 12th September 2017 9.30am – 12.30pm
£80 per learner

A workshop for novice carers: Practical skills & knowledge when caring for an individual towards the end of their life

This introductory workshop is aimed at novice care staff wishing to develop skills and knowledge of caring for an individual at the end of their life. This workshop will focus on the practical elements of care and the supporting theory.

- **Tuesday 19 September 2017 9.30am – 1pm**

Care of dying adults in the last days of life for Support Workers

This one day interactive workshop offers evidence based education & simulated learning for support workers across health & social care providers. It focuses on the key recommendations for care in the last days of life raised in National and local policy and guidance. Topics include communication, advance care planning, symptom management, the role of the support worker and the practical elements of caring for a person in the last days of life.

- **Thursday 24 August 2017 9.30am – 4pm**

Advance Care Planning

ACP enables people to consider their wishes and preferences and plan for a time when they may no longer be able to speak for themselves. As the use of ACP increases it is imperative that we develop our knowledge and skills to facilitate this. We are pleased to offer ACP education which includes the principles and legalities of ACP and the associated communication skills.

- **Tuesday 22nd August 2017 9.30am – 12.30pm**



End of Life Care link group

This group has membership from health and social care organisations across Northamptonshire, who have a particular interest in End of Life Care; if you would like to join this group, please email eolceducation@nhft.nhs.uk

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 13 July 2017 2.30pm – 4pm

SAGE & THYME foundation level workshop teaches

- A memorable structured approach for getting into and out of a conversation
- How to empower patients/carers who are worried or distressed
- Communication skills that are evidence based



Thursday 21st September 2017 1.00pm - 4pm

There is a charge of £90 per person for this training – see booking form for payment details

Care of dying adults in the last days of life for Registered Professionals

This one day interactive workshop offers evidence based education for registered professionals across health & social care providers. It focuses on the key recommendations for care in the last days of life raised in National and local policy and guidance. Topics include advance care planning, communication, shared decision making, symptom assessment & management in the last days of life and the 5 priorities for care.

- **Monday 25th September 2017 9.30am – 4pm**

Currently most education sessions are free, however non-attendance without 72 hours prior notification will be charged for and we will invoice your organisation. To check availability and book your place, please contact 01604 678153 or email eolceducation@nhft.nhs.uk. Places will only be reserved for 7 days from point of enquiry. Without receipt of completed booking form and invoicing details, reserved places will be released.

If you require further support or have additional learning needs the Team will endeavour to offer you support.