

Other LEAP Courses

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Other Pallium Products



Pallium Palliative Pocketbook, 2nd Ed.



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Videos, Doodles & Snippets

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This course is for you if you are a doctor, nurse, social worker, pharmacist, other health professional or health manager and you care for persons who have progressive incurable illnesses.



Courses and workshops vary in length, from 3 to 14 hours

Pallium Canada is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to improve access to palliative care for Canadians by providing health care professionals with essential palliative care skills, also known as "The Palliative Care Approach."

"Palliative Care is everyone's business"

An introductory palliative care course for health professional teams working in the community

"LEAP Mini was presented in a great atmosphere, with a lot of interaction, helpful anecdotes, excellent information and good questions!"

- LEAP Mini Learner

To register for a course or bring one to your clinic, team or service, visit:

www.pallium.ca

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94% of participants who evaluated LEAP Mini recommend it to other colleagues.

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Target learners

- Doctors, nurses, social workers and pharmacists working in the community. Other health professionals also find it useful.
- Format allows each discipline to focus on its unique learning needs while promoting interprofessional team work for better care.

Goals

- Provide an introduction to the essential practical knowledge, attitudes and skills to provide a palliative care approach, from early in the illness to the end-of-life. It does not make participants palliative care specialists or experts.
- Link learners to local palliative care resources.
- Build interprofessional teams.

Features

- Competency-based
- Classroom format; maximum of 40 learners.
- Length: 1 day or total of 8.5 hours.
- 10 modules that vary in length (0.2 to 1.5 hrs).
- Preferred delivery is as 'continuous event' (one full day). May also be staggered (e.g. across two separate half days).
- Participant & Facilitator manuals.
- Interprofessional delivery is default, but "uni-disciplinary" courses in some cases.

Facilitators

- Pallium trained and certified LEAP Facilitators. LEAP Facilitators are required to have significant clinical experience in palliative care in the community. Assisted by collaborators.
- Participant to facilitator ratio of no more than 15:1 to ensure active learning.

Learning activities

- Different methods for different learning styles and learning objectives. These include:
 - Small and large group learning
 - Short videos
 - Case-based
 - Reflections
 - Short cases
 - Group discussions
 - Practical tips
 - Slide presentations

LEAP Mini Modules - "Top 10 Tips"

▪ Taking Ownership	▪ Delirium at EOL
▪ Decision-Making	▪ Psychosocial and Spiritual Care
▪ Hydration, Nutrition and GI	▪ Dyspnea
▪ Pain	▪ Essential Conversations, including ACP
▪ Useful Tools and Resources	▪ Last Days & Hours

Development process & funding

- Developed by a pan-Canadian team of content and education experts.
- Peer-reviewed and regularly updated.
- Free of industry influence.
- Development & deployment funded by Health Canada and the Estate of the late Patrick Gillin.



Course organizers

- While some courses are organized and delivered by Pallium Canada, most are organized and delivered by local, regional or national organizations under a license agreement with Pallium Canada.

The program has been accredited by the College of Family Physicians of Canada and the Ontario Chapter for 7.5 certified Group Learning credits.

Learners receive a certificate of completion when all course requirements are completed, including pre- and post-course reflections, plus a four month commitment to change.

Course locations & venues

- LEAP Mini courses are held across the country at different venues.

To register or organize a course

- Visit www.pallium.ca for a calendar of courses near you. Some are open, others are by invitation.
- If there is no course near you and/or you wish to bring one to your team, facility or community, contact your local palliative care organization or service, or contact the Pallium Office at support@pallium.ca or 1-613-562-6262 ext. 1784.
- Participants and organizers register through the Pallium Portal (www.portal.pallium.ca).

Course costs

- Costs are variable depending on the discipline and the course organizer. Pallium Canada provides organizers with a maximum recommended course registration fee that is fair and aligns with Pallium's non-profit approach.
- Contact Pallium for discount rates for organizations doing large scale palliative education.