

Community Hospice Team



What is Hospice Palliative Care?

HPC is a **philosophy of care** that informs how we work with people who are diagnosed with a progressive, life-limiting illness. Hospice palliative care is a continuum of services that aims to relieve pain and suffering and works to support the best possible quality of life until the end of life (and beyond for family/friends/caregivers).

We Offer a Suite of Holistic Services

We are a multi-disciplinary team of registered and allied health professionals offering services to people living with and dying from life-limiting illness, their caregivers and family. We also provide bereavement care to people who have experienced the death of someone close to them. We want to make sure that everyone is working with service users towards the same goal. Along with professionally screened, educated volunteers, our aim is to ensure that clients are able to live fully, safely and confidently in the setting of their choice and learn to live with the grief experience.

We know that with the right support, services and information, living with a life-limiting illness and caring for someone to the end of life can be manageable and meaningful for all involved. We offer:

- Help with navigating the healthcare system
- Expert Palliative Care
- Education and support for individuals and their families
- 24/7 telephone support
- Day Hospice and Caregiver Support Group
- Psychosocial Spiritual Care
- Bereavement Care
- Pain & Symptom Management Consultation for clinicians
- Someone to listen and confidential, consistent and reliable connections with people who are trained to be with someone on this unique journey

Clients are professionally assessed and provided appropriate referrals internally and/ or externally.

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ELIGIBILITY

Our program serves residents of Scarborough over the age of 18 who have been diagnosed with a life-limiting illness, their family, friends & caregivers. And also anyone who has experienced the death of someone important in their lives.

Education

We offer Fundamentals of Hospice Palliative Care to the general public and CAPCE for RNs as well as consultation and education to frontline service providers on palliative pain and symptom management. Contact us or visit the website for more information.

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