

The North Simcoe Muskoka Hospice Palliative Care Network (NSMHPCN) supports the provision of a compassionate, and holistic approach to palliative care for all.

Palliative Care is:

An approach that improves the quality of life of patients and their families facing a life-limiting illness.

Mission:

To support the provision of exceptional hospice palliative care and end-of-life care through partnerships, innovative programs and knowledge exchange.

Vision:

A community where the experience of hospice palliative care and end of life care honours each individual and their choices.

Values:

Respect: We recognize the inherent worth of every person and their choices.

Empathy: We are compassionate collaborative and understanding in our approach.

Inclusivity: We honour and value diversity and promote inclusiveness within our communities.

Integrity: We act with honesty, strong ethical principles and in compliance with provincial standards.

Inclusion:

North Simcoe Muskoka Hospice Palliative Care Network is committed to creating and maintaining an environment free of discrimination. All individuals are treated with respect and dignity, and have equal opportunities.



NSMHPCN

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Areas We Support:

- Barrie & area
- South Georgian Bay
- Couchiching
- Muskoka
- North Simcoe

Hours of Operation:

Monday to Friday

8:30 am - 4:30 pm

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At NSMHPCN we envision a community where the experience of hospice palliative care and end-of-life care honours each individual and their choices.

What We Do:

Deliver customized education, palliative care courses, workshops, and conferences for healthcare providers and volunteers.

Offer palliative education, mentorship, and consultation to healthcare providers to enhance quality of care.

Support Advance Care Planning through specialized educational programs and intentional communication strategies that foster holistic person centered care.

Support individuals on their grief and bereavement journey through specialized programming and resources.



COURSES AND WORKSHOPS



In Recommended Order

- Fundamentals of Hospice Palliative Care
- Advance Palliative Practice Skills (APPS)
- Comprehensive Advanced Palliative Care Education (CAPCE)

Available in No Particular Order

- A Palliative Approach to Care with Dementia
- Essential Pain Management (EPM)
- Canadian Serious Illness Conversation (CSIC)
- Palliative Care ECHO Project

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES



Professional Palliative Education Portal (PPEP)

pre-recorded instructional videos for self directed learning



Beyond the Stethoscope

a podcast focused on hospice palliative care



Custom Education and Mentorship

request a speaker on a topic of your choice



Monthly Newsletter

monthly update on all things NSMHPCN sent directly to your inbox



Virtual Resource Binder

resources for health service providers providing palliative, or end-of-life care



Case Base Consultations with Health Service Providers

Palliative Pain and Symptom Management Consultants (PPSMCs) offer advanced hospice palliative care support to primary care providers.

PPSMCs support primary care through consultation, education, and skill development across all healthcare settings (long-term care and retirement homes, acute care, and community).

To refer a case for a case-based discussion or joint visit with a PPSMC, please complete the online referral form available at <https://nsmhpcn.ca> or scan the QR code below

