

# Palliative Care Education

LEAP Hospital is an interprofessional, one-day course that focuses on the essential competencies to provide a palliative care approach, with course modules and case studies contextualized to health care professionals who work in a hospital setting.

## WHO IS IT FOR?

LEAP Hospital is ideal for any health care professional (e.g., physician, nurse, pharmacist, social worker, etc.) working in a hospital, who provides care for patients with life-threatening and progressive life-limiting illnesses.

## KEY LEAP FEATURES

- ✓ Created and reviewed by Canadian experts
- ✓ Evidence-based
- ✓ Regularly updated and approved
- ✓ Practical, case-based
- ✓ Accredited

## COURSE FEATURES

- This Group Learning program has been certified by the College of Family Physicians of Canada for up to **15 Mainpro+ credits**.
- This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and approved by the University of Ottawa's Office of Continuing Professional Development. You may claim a maximum of **7.5 hours** (credits are automatically calculated).
- One day, 8 hours in total.
- Face-to-face learning with group discussion and case studies.
- Learners receive a LEAP certificate of completion and an electronic copy of the Pallium Palliative Pocketbook.

## FACILITATORS

LEAP courses are taught by a dedicated group of palliative care clinicians and educators from across Canada. From major cities to rural towns, Pallium's certified facilitators bring their experience, knowledge, and passion to deliver LEAP training and advocate for better palliative care in their communities.

## COURSE MODULES

- Taking Ownership
- Transitions, Decision-Making, and Advance Care Planning
- Pain
- Essential Conversations
- Symptoms: Delirium, Dyspnea, and Nausea
- Hydration and Nutrition
- Psychological and Spiritual Needs
- Last Days and Hours
- Quality Improvement

## ABOUT PALLIUM CANADA


Pallium is a national, non-profit organization focused on building professional and community capacity to help improve the quality and accessibility of palliative care in Canada.

To learn more about LEAP courses and other resources, visit [pallium.ca](https://pallium.ca)

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**LEAP** Learning Essential  
Approaches to Palliative Care