
Learning Objectives

MedBridge
Overview of End-of-Life Care
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Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Recognize that knowledge of hospice care and its philosophy of comfort versus cure is important for professional care staff in many settings
- Identify the staff role in facilitating discussion and education about advance care planning that is important to patients and families
- Discuss the role of hospice care as a viable option for patients who are facing end-of-life
- Describe criteria for hospice referral, including guidelines for diagnoses and conditions that may be appropriate for hospice services/admission