HOW-TO VIDEOS: PALLIATIVE CARE TRAINING

The WCGH department is committed to compassionate dignified care from the beginning to the end of life. These 5 videos focus on the spectrum of care for in-patient palliative care clients, appropriate compassionate communication and symptom management if a palliative care patient does develop COVID-19.

Transitioning from critical care to palliative care
Focuses on deciding eligibility for palliative care, to withdrawal from ventilation to end of life care, and appropriate compassionate communication.

Protecting, caring & supporting palliative care patients during COVID-19
Focuses on decreasing the risk for known palliative care patients and explores symptom management if a palliative care patient does develop COVID-19.

Navigating grief in healthcare in the face of COVID-19
Focuses on equipping healthcare professionals, faith leaders and lay counsellors with key skills to support themselves and others through loss and grief in response to the pandemic.

Engaging spirituality in healthcare in the face of COVID-19
Focuses on providing healthcare professionals, faith leaders and lay counsellors with the essential skills for engaging spiritual matters in response to the pandemic.

Communication in COVID-19: Breaking Bad News
Focuses on the basic skills you will need to ease the breaking of bad news for your patients and for yourself and more importantly help you to build hope in the time of COVID-19.

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