



Hospice Africa Palliative Care Initiators' Course



Have you ever wished the skills to relieve pain and suffering for the terminally ill?

We are pleased to announce the 5th Francophone Palliative Care Initiators' Course for Africa Held in French

An international team from Africa and Europe will facilitate the specialized 5 week course for Health Workers wishing to initiate Palliative Care Services in Francophone African countries

Aims

The course is designed to help health professionals initiate affordable and culturally appropriate Palliative Care Services in Francophone Africa.

Course content

Together the teams have designed a specialist 5-week training led by experts.

The course is composed of:

- Palliative care concepts and philosophy
- Pain/symptom assessment & management
- Clinical placement
- Training of trainers

Certificate of attendance will be granted after the 5-week training provided regular attendance and validation of the exam.

Certificate of completion will be granted after receiving the certificate of attendance and demonstration of practical achievements in the country.

Participants

- Doctors
- Registered Nurse
- Pharmacists and Dispensers
- Social workers
- Midwives

Admission requirements

- Currently or about to be working in palliative care or support program for persons affected by life limiting illnesses.

-Be willing to disseminate palliative care knowledge and skills acquired in his/her workplace.

-Demonstrate good oral and written French.

-Recommendations from two referees, one of which must be their current supervisor.

-Have organizational support (government, hospital or NGO) to implement palliative care services within his/her program area.

-Be able to meet the course fees stated (see below).

Time and place

25 April to 27 May 2016
Institute of Hospice and Palliative Care in Africa, (IHPCA) Hospice Africa Uganda

Application deadline

1st March 2016

Course fees

2,200 € per participant
Full board.
Travel and visa fees are excluded

Contacts

For further information about the course, the application procedure, the available scholarships etc, please contact both
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