

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER WORKERS COURSE



This course is for community volunteer workers and those directly caring for sick people in their community.

Programme Title:	Short Course in Palliative Care for Community Volunteer Workers
Final Award:	Certificate in Palliative Care for Community Volunteer Workers (PCCVW cert)
Awarding Institution:	Institute of Hospice & Palliative Care in Africa (IHPCA)
Teaching Institution:	Institute of Hospice & Palliative Care in Africa (IHPCA)
Fees:	Contact IHPCA. Group rates available.
Payment Structure:	Payment can me made in full at registration.
Scholarships/Grants:	See "FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS" link
Entry Requirements:	Working as a community volunteer worker or caregiver
Duration:	5 days

Frequency of Intake:	Once per year (May – June) or on demand as a training course for organisations and institutions who oversee community volunteer workers.
Mode of Study:	Full time face to face
Programme Objectives:	The main aim of the course is to equip participants with the basic knowledge and skills for holistic care of patient living with cancer and HIV/AIDS and their families.
Programme Outcomes:	<p>Following this course participants can</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify those in their communities who are in severe pain due to terminal illness and cannot access health services. • Know how to refer these patients to Hospice.