

HEALTH PROFESSIONAL COURSE IN PALLIATIVE CARE



This course is aimed at doctors, registered nurses/midwives, pharmacists and dispensers and introduces a wide range of palliative care topics.

Programme Title:	Short Course in Palliative Care for Health Professionals
Final Award:	Certificate in Palliative Care for Health Professionals (PCHP 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 is made in full at course registration.
Scholarships/Grants:	See "FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS" link

Entry Requirements:	Practicing medical doctors, clinical officers, registered nurse/midwives, pharmacists and dispensers
Duration:	6 days
Frequency of Intake:	Once per year (May – June) or on demand as a Continual Professional Development (CPD) or general short training for organisations and institutions.
Mode of Study:	Full time face to face
Programme Objectives:	The aim of the course is to introduce participants to a wide range of palliative care topics and to improve communication and clinical skills.
Programme Outcomes:	On completion participants will be equipped with modern methods of pain assessment and management of cancer and HIV/AIDS at various stages of disease progression in a resource limited setting.