



<b>Payment Structure:</b>	Payment is made in full at course registration.
<b>Scholarships/Grants:</b>	See "FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS" link
<b>Entry Requirements:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Practicing health professionals including medical doctors, clinical officers, registered nurse/midwives, pharmacists and dispensers.</li> <li>• Registration with their affiliated professional bodies within their country of work</li> </ul>
<b>Duration:</b>	5 weeks
<b>Frequency of Intake:</b>	Once per year
<b>Mode of Study:</b>	<p><b>Week 1 &amp; 2 Introduction to Palliative Care Concepts</b>  This phase introduces palliative care concepts, pain and symptoms assessment and management. Class discussion forms an integral part of this phase of the course to encourage the sharing of experiences in a variety of African contexts.</p> <p><b>Week 3 &amp; 4 Clinical Placements</b>  This phase of the course includes transfer of clinical skills in palliative care during placement and mobile rounds.</p> <p><b>Week 5 Training of Trainers (TOT's)</b>  This phase teaches participants how to transfer their acquired skills in weeks 1 -4 into the training of trainers in their home countries on return.</p>

<p><b>Programme Objectives:</b></p>	<p>The aim of the course is to assist health professionals to initiate appropriate and culturally suitable palliative care services within their working contexts. The clinical placement provides an opportunity to apply knowledge and skills learned in class where they will be exposed to a variety of palliative care models used at the urban and rural sites in Uganda.</p>
<p><b>Programme Outcomes:</b></p>	<p>On completion participants will be equipped to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To initiate appropriate and culturally suitable palliative care services within their working context.</li> <li>To apply different palliative care models according to available resources within their working environments.</li> <li>To understand how palliative care services are organised within different settings in Sub Saharan Africa.</li> <li>To understand the role of other stakeholders such as the Ministry of Health and other palliative care implementers in their home countries.</li> </ul>