

# Six Steps to Success in End of Life Care for care homes



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The aim of the Six Steps to Success in End of Life Care Programme for care homes with Princess Alice Hospice is to ensure all residents at end of life receive high quality care provided by care homes who encompass the philosophy of palliative care.

Based on the Six Steps described in the End of Life Care Strategy, [End of Life Care Champions](#) nominated by the care home are supported to develop their [knowledge](#), [skills](#) and [confidence](#) and [share their learning](#) with other members of the team. The [End of Life Care Champions](#) will be responsible for implementing changes within the care home [to improve the quality](#) of end of life care. The programme is delivered via [three workshops](#) and [full support is given](#) throughout the programme. The care home will be expected to produce a [portfolio](#) of evidence to support the implementation of the programme which follows the [5 CQC fundamental standards](#) for care homes.

- Step 1 - Discussions as the end of life approaches**
- Step 2 - Assessment, care planning and review**
- Step 3 - Co-ordination of care**
- Step 4 - Delivery of high-quality care**
- Step 5 - Care in the last days of life**
- Step 6 - Care after death**

## March 2022 and September 2022 cohort dates with Princess Alice Hospice

Video Conference session	Preparation for Six Steps	15th March 2022 <a href="#">19th September 2022</a>	09.30-10.30
Workshop 1	<a href="#">Step 1 Discussion as EOL approaches</a> <a href="#">Step 2 Assessment, Care Planning and Review</a>	29th March 2022 <a href="#">12th October 2022</a>	10.00-15.00
Video Conference session	Reflection on Steps 1 and 2 and action planning	12th April 2022 <a href="#">25th October 2022</a>	09.30-10.30
Workshop 2	<a href="#">Step 3 Co-ordination of Care</a> <a href="#">Step 4 Delivery of High Quality EOLC in a care home</a>	3rd May 2022 <a href="#">10th November 2022</a>	10.00-15.00
Video Conference session	Reflection on Steps 3 and 4 and action planning	17th May 2022 <a href="#">22nd November 2022</a>	09.30-10.30
Workshop 3	<a href="#">Step 5 Care in the Final days</a> <a href="#">Step 6 Care after Death</a>	7th June 2022 <a href="#">30th November 2022</a>	10.00-15.00
Video Conference session	Portfolio action planning	21st June 2022 <a href="#">13th December 2022</a>	09.30-10.30