

# Palliative Personal Support Worker Training & Certification

Are you a certified Personal Support Worker, or a PSW in training? Have you been present to support a patient at end of life and found yourself longing to provide the best possible care to them? Are you concerned that you will find palliative care as part of your scope of practice and feel unprepared mentally and emotionally?

*If you answered yes, plan to attend the  
Palliative Personal Support Worker Training & Certification.*



Inspired by the desire to answer the question, "If 69% of people living in Canada wish to die in the place they call home, why can't they?" Home Hospice Association is committed to fulfilling the need for compassion, education, care and support to assist family's at the most painful times of their lives. Unique in its perspective, the Palliative Personal Support Worker Training and Certification Program is designed to pick up where traditional training leaves off; delivering a holistic blend of care for anyone; of any age; at any time; under any roof.

## What You Can Expect From The Training Weekend:

You will build upon your current expertise as a PSW by learning best approaches for communication with clients and families, educating them on 'what happens next', the importance of reserving judgment, and feeling empowered, confident and supported within your scope of practice. Home Hospice Association provides you with everything you need for a complete and meaningful weekend of impactful training; leaving your heart & mind open; ready to make a difference.

## Topics Covered In The Training Weekend Include:

- Philosophy of Hospice Palliative Care
- Best Practice for Effective Communication
- Grief and Bereavement
- Spiritual; Emotional; Mental & Physical Domains of Care
- Gifts of Grace: Vigil Sitting, Requests and Legacy Work

## Tuition of \$500.00 Includes:

- Complete Course Resource Manual
- All Supporting Handouts
- Any Required Learning Aids or Resources
- All Materials For Exercises including Memorial Options Activities
- Refreshments Friday Evening
- Morning Refreshments Each Day
- Lunch Each Day
- Afternoon Refreshments Each Day
- Ongoing Support From Your Candidate Advisor

**September 21, 22 & 23, 2018**

**April 26, 27 & 28, 2019**

**SPACE IS LIMITED – REGISTER NOW**