

Leeds Specialist Palliative Care Community Services

Advice and Support for Health Care Professionals

LPCN Clinical Guidance

A variety of resources, including symptom management advice, is available on Leeds Palliative Care website <https://leedspalliativecare.org.uk/professionals>

Links to guidance are also available on the Planning Ahead (ReSPECT/EPaCCS) template

These may be sufficient to answer your queries but if not please seek further support and advice as follows:

Clinical Nurse Specialist Palliative Care Advice

St Gemma's Hospice and Sue Ryder Care Wheatfields Specialist Palliative Care Community teams are the first point of contact for advice and admission 24/7.

A Community Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) will be available everyday - 08.00 - 17.00 hours, offering telephone advice for health care professionals.

During out of hours your call will go to the Nurse in Charge on duty in the hospice wards.

Please contact:

St Gemma's - **0113 2185500**

Wheatfields - **0113 2787249**

Consultant in Palliative Medicine on-call advice service

The Hospices should be the first point of contact.

The Consultant in Palliative Medicine on-call advice service continues to be available Mon - Friday from 17.00 – 09.00 hours overnight and 24/7 at weekends/bank holidays for medical advice.

Accessed via LTHT, St James Switchboard **0113 243 3144**