

## Specialist Palliative Care Community Services during COVID-19 Pandemic - Additional Support

### LPCN Clinical Guidance

A variety of new resources, including symptom management advice in relation to COVID-19, are now available on the Leeds Palliative Care website: <https://leedspalliativecare.org.uk/professionals/covid-19-support-for-professionals>

The Leeds Palliative Care Network will endeavour to update these as required.

There is also additional advice being added to the Electronic Palliative Care Coordination System, EPaCCS.

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

### Clinical Nurse Specialist Advice

St Gemma's Hospice and Sue Ryder Care Wheatfields Specialist Palliative Care Community teams have extended their service hours during the COVID-19 pandemic.

A Community Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) will be available everyday - 08.00 - 21.00 hours, offering a telephone advice line for healthcare professionals.

Please contact: St Gemma's advice line - **0113 218 5511**  
Wheatfields advice line - **0113 278 7249**

### Consultant in Palliative Medicine on-call advice service

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

Accessed via LTHT, St James's switchboard - **0113 243 3144**