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Primary to Acute Care Palliative Care Transitions
On-demand Encore Virtual Session

ACTIVITY OVERVIEW

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Palliative Care is a relatively new specialized health field to care for patients and their families who are experiencing a serious illness. Often confused with hospice, palliative care is based on patient and family needs, not prognosis. All hospice care is palliative, yet all palliative care is not hospice. Looking at the history of both and definitions will help clarify the misconceptions that surround these two fields. Palliative Care may be provided in a variety of settings. By focusing on patient symptoms, frequent communication and overall support, quality of life is improved and the need for frequent hospitalizations is reduced. Gain a better understanding of the benefits associated with early involvement of palliative care.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This educational initiative is intended for Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, Primary Care Physicians and Physician assistants.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Be able to define the significant differences between palliative care and hospice.
- Name at least four symptoms that palliative care providers often treat.
- Understand the benefit associated with early involvement of palliative care.

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