**27/CW/SCM**

Palliative Medicine

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**Reporting instructions**

9 am, Macmillan Support Team Office, Medical Day Unit, Ground Floor, Lift Bank D, Chelsea and Westminster Hospital

*Locker keys and swipe cards are available from the UMO on the lower ground floor, lift bank ‘C’. A refundable deposit of £10 per item is required (£20 for both)*

**Aims of Course**

* Overview of principles of palliative care in hospital, hospice and community.
* Symptom control.
* Communication skills.

**Background information:**

Multidisciplinary team providing palliative care in hospital.

Opportunities to visit hospice and see patients at home.

**Key Learning Events**

* Outpatient clinics rounds
* Multidisciplinary ward in hospital.
* Home visits.

**Recommended Reading**

*ABC of Palliative Care*, BMJ.

**Assessment**

Students would be expected to present written/oral report of an aspect of palliative care.

**Maximum number of student per period:** 2