

Westminster Health Forum Keynote Seminar:

Palliative and end of life care: next steps for funding, commissioning services and provision of care

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 4th February 2014

Venue: The British Medical Association, BMA House, Tavistock Square, London WC1H 9JP



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chairman's opening remarks**
Fabian Hamilton MP, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Hospice and Palliative Care
- 9.05 - 9.15 **Addressing the global challenges facing end of life care**
Sir Thomas Hughes-Hallett, Executive Chair, Institute of Global Health Innovation, Imperial College London
- 9.15 - 9.25 **Providing support for people with cancer and their families**
Juliet Bouverie, Director of Services and Influencing, Macmillan Cancer Support
- 9.25 - 9.35 **Commissioning personalised care**
Professor Mayur Lakhani, GP Clinical Lead, West Leicestershire Clinical Commissioning Group; Chairman, National Council for Palliative Care and Chair, Dying Matters Coalition
- 9.35 - 9.55 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.55 - 10.40 **Funding, commissioning and the Care and Support Bill**
What lessons can be learned from the Government's palliative care pilots for the 'fair distribution' of funding for providers? What impact do wider financial concerns in commissioning, including sustainability of services have on provision of palliative care? How can Clinical Commissioning Groups work more effectively with stakeholders across health, social care and the independent and third sectors in delivering locally-based palliative care services? What are the challenges for commissioning end of life services alongside intersecting care areas such as long-term conditions and dementia; and what more can be done to tackle regional variation in this commissioning? How has per-patient funding, both for children and adults, impacted patient and family experience of care? What effect will the funding arrangements proposed in the Care and Support Bill have on the provision of care? What additional steps should be in place to ensure that patients and their families are fully aware of the implications of their care choices, and any risks involved?
Martin Campbell, Deputy Director of Finance, Payments by Results Tariff Development, Department of Health
Bertie Leigh, Senior Partner, Hempsons Solicitors
Dr Elizabeth Kendrick, GPwSI Older People and Chair, End of Life Network, Clinical Networks Northern England
Jonathan Ellis, Director of Public Policy and Parliamentary Affairs, Help the Hospices
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.40 - 10.45 **Chairman's closing remarks**
Fabian Hamilton MP, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Hospice and Palliative Care
- 10.45 - 11.15 Coffee
- 11.15 - 11.20 **Chairman's opening remarks**
Professor the Baroness Finlay of Llandaff, Consultant Physician in Palliative Medicine, Velindre NHS Trust
- 11.20 - 11.40 **Supporting quality improvement in end of life care**
Anita Hayes, Programme Director, End of Life Care, NHS Improving Quality
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.40 - 12.25 **Delivering services, patient experience and training the workforce**
Following the review of the Liverpool Care Pathway (LCP), what should be the next steps for the delivery of personalised care plans and for developing a system-wide approach to improving quality? With the LCP review recommending that further guidance be issued to the workforce, what are the next steps for improving standards and awareness? What training is needed to equip the workforce, and is there any evidence that some educational approaches work better than others in empowering health and social care professionals to deliver compassionate and skilled end of life care? How far can the use of other care approaches, such as the Amber Care Bundle, be adapted to suit health professionals, patients and their family in the personalisation of health services? What opportunities exist for increased patient, carer and family input in the personalisation of care, and how can support mechanisms to assist those at the end of life without close family members be improved? What more can be done to meet the physical, mental and spiritual needs of patients and their families through palliative and end of life care? How can the utilisation of technology and innovation, such as telehealth, in end of life care empower patient choice, and what role does technology have in allowing patients to die at home?
Liz Bryan, Director of Education and Training, St Christopher's Hospice and Lecturer Practitioner in Palliative Care, Florence Nightingale School of Nursing, King's College London
Dr Jocelyn Cornwell, Director, The Point of Care Foundation and Senior Fellow, The King's Fund
Maggie Stobbart-Rowlands, Lead Nurse, The National GSF Centre for End of Life Care
Preth Rao, Head of Policy and Campaigns, Sue Ryder
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.25 - 12.55 **Next steps for end of life and palliative care**
Dr Bee Wee, National Clinical Director, End of Life Care, NHS England
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chairman's and Westminster Health Forum closing remarks**
Professor the Baroness Finlay of Llandaff, Consultant Physician in Palliative Medicine, Velindre NHS Trust
Steve Moat, Senior Producer, Westminster Health Forum