Palliative Care Research
17 Core Competencies for Clinicians

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1. The clinical context

- Awareness of specific aspects of doing research in palliative care contexts

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2. Scientific thinking and research design

- Knowledge of basic research principles/terms
- Ability to accurately formulate and understand a research question
- Knowledge about research methodologies
- Ability to read and undertake a basic literature review
- Uses critical and analytical thinking

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3. Ethics and regulatory framework for research

- Incorporates and consider the care, safety and protection of all persons in the conduct of research
- Understands the role and remit of research ethics committees in clinical research

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4. Study and site management

- Considers the feasibility of a potential project in own working setting
- Coordinates/Conducts the study based on the research protocol
- Documents all the activities in a research study

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5. Data management and informatics

- Basic knowledge and skills in statistics, qualitative data analysis and informatics
- Basic knowledge and skills of data management (collection, management, analysis)

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6. Communication and relationships

- Ability to effectively communicate the content and relevance of clinical research findings for various audiences
- Possesses interviewing and good communication skills

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7. Research leadership

- Incorporates and promotes team working skills in the conduct of clinical research
- Develops and applies the principles and practices of leadership and mentorship in clinical research

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