

# The CAPC Online Curriculum

CAPC is dedicated to providing tools, training and technical assistance to support palliative care program development and growth.

The CAPC curriculum was designed to provide member organizations with an integrated approach to enhancing core skills for all frontline clinicians.

CAPC Designation is available in Pain Management, Symptom Management and Communication Skills.

Courses roll out on a continuing basis. Members receive FREE CME/CEUs.

## CLINICAL COURSES

### PAIN MANAGEMENT\*

Comprehensive Pain Assessment

Matching the Drug Class to the Pain

Patient Factors that Influence Prescribing Decisions

Assessing Risk for Opioid Substance Use Disorder

Opioid Trials: Determining Design, Efficacy and Safety

Prescribing an Opioid

Prescribing Short-Acting Opioids: Four Case Studies

Monitoring for Opioid Efficacy, Side Effects and Substance Use Disorder

Converting from Short-Acting to Long-Acting Opioids

Prescribing Practice and Opioid Conversions

Advanced Conversions and Opioid Side Effects

Special Populations and Patient-Controlled Analgesia

Managing Pain in Patients at Risk for Substance Use Disorder

Pain Management: Putting it All Together

### COMMUNICATION SKILLS\*

Delivering Serious News

Discussing Prognosis

Clarifying Goals of Care

Conducting a Family Meeting

Advance Care Planning Conversations

### SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT\*

Nausea and Vomiting

Dyspnea

Constipation

Depression

Anxiety

### PREVENTING CRISES THROUGH WHOLE-PERSON CARE

Care Coordination

Supporting the Family Caregiver: The Burden of Serious Illness

### RELIEF OF SUFFERING ACROSS THE DISEASE TRAJECTORY

Dementia

Heart Failure (HF)  
Coming Soon

Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)  
Coming Soon

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## OPERATIONAL COURSES

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### INTRODUCTION

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An In-Depth Look at  
Palliative Care and  
Its Services

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### BUILDING YOUR HOSPITAL PROGRAM

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Needs Assessment for the  
Hospital Palliative Care  
Program

Hospital Palliative Care  
Program Design

Building the Business Plan  
for Your Hospital Program

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### BUILDING YOUR COMMUNITY PROGRAM

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Introduction to Palliative  
Care in the Community

Needs Assessment:  
Ensuring Successful  
Community-Based  
Palliative Care

Office-Based Palliative Care  
Program Design

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Program Design for  
Palliative Care Delivered  
in the Home

Building the Business Plan  
for Your Community-Based  
Palliative Care Program

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### LEADERSHIP SUPPORT

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Improving  
Team Performance

Consult Etiquette:  
Communicating With  
Referring Providers

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### CAPC DESIGNATION

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CAPC provides Designation to standardize training for all frontline clinicians.

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You must complete all courses in the respective unit to qualify. Upon completion, you will be issued the CAPC Designation Certificate.