

Outline for Fall 2025

DATES: 8 Thursdays – October 9, 16, 23, 30 November 6, 13, 20, 27

LOCATION: 3rd floor, 203 Duffield (St. James-Assiniboia 55+ Centre) TIME: 6:00pm-8:30pm

1. Thursday, October 9

Introduction to Palliative Care

Presented by: Wayne Sandler, Community Outreach and Education Coordinator, Palliative Manitoba

2. Thursday, October 16

Spiritual Care of the Dying and their Families

Presented by: Jonathan Jandavs-Hedlin, Spiritual Health Practitioner, Riverview Health Centre

3. Thursday, October 23

Communication in Palliative Care

Presented by: Wayne Sandler, Community Outreach & Education Coordinator, Palliative Manitoba

Thursday, October 30 4.

Enhancing Quality of Life, and End-of-Life Ethical Issues

Presented by: Anika Southam, Clinical Nurse Specialist, WRHA Palliative Care Program

5. Thursday, November 6

Cross-Cultural Considerations in Palliative Care

Presented by: TBD

6. Thursday, November 13

Loss, Grief and Bereavement

Presented by: Meg Pfeifer-Brandt, Psychosocial Oncology Clinician, CancerCare Manitoba

Thursday, November 20 7.

Palliative Care from a Doctor's Perspective

Presented by: Dr. Robin McClure, Physician/Consultant, WRHA Palliative Care Program

8. Thursday, November 27

Barriers to Palliative Care

Presented by: Kathleen Williamson, Volunteer Coordinator, Palliative Manitoba

Self-Reflection & Closing Ceremony – Led by Wayne Sandler