UPDATES FROM THE IRISH HOSPICE FOUNDATION

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Our Vision & Mission

Our vision
No-one will face death or bereavement without the care and support they need

Our mission
To strive for the best care at end of life, for all
• Welcomes and Transitions

• Irish Hospice Foundation

• Recap on the year
  ✓ HFH – progress and plans
  ✓ Other IHF programmes
  ✓ Consultations and Grants
Irish Hospice Foundation Programmes

- Bereavement
- Education & Research
- Healthcare
- Public Engagement

Final Journeys,
What Matters to Me
Supporting Families
Communicating with a person with dementia
The HFH seeks to ensure that end of life, palliative and bereavement care is central to the everyday business of hospitals. The HFH Programme supports individual hospitals, hospital groups & the HSE via the HFH HUB.
Dying in Hospitals UK data

Imminence of death among a national cohort of hospital inpatients

3 out of 10 people in hospital are in the last year of life

1 out of 10 people in hospital will die during their current hospital stay

4 out of 10 people in hospital are aged over 75

Almost half of people over 85 in hospital are in the last year of life

Research carried out by the University of Glasgow looked back at over 10,000 inpatients in 25 Scottish hospitals on a single day in 2010, examining the likelihood of death within 12 months. A similar study was carried out in 2013, partly funded by Marie Curie, and showed almost identical results.


Delivered in partnership by

University of Glasgow

Marie Curie is a registered charity, England and Wales (207994); Scotland (SC038731) - A610
Recommendations

- Access to specialist palliative care
- Identify end of life champion in HSE Acute Services
- Embed HFH in new hospital groups
- Appoint End of Life Care coordinators
- Support HFH networks
- Implement the rapid discharge policy for more people to die at home

April 2015. Liam Woods, HSE Acute Hospitals Division asked all hospitals to plan for end of life, palliative and bereavement care.

Hospital Group ‘C-suite’ Teams appointed.
April-June 2015.
HFH team met with each group CEO to discuss 2016 service plan for end of life care.
## End-of-Life Care Coordinators - 2015

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Save the Date: 27 April 2016
National Conference

*Compassionate Care at End of Life in Hospitals*
*Leading by example*

A conference for all healthcare staff who care for dying patients and their families

**Keynote speaker:**
Prof. Bee Wee
National Clinical Director for End of Life Care, NHS England

**Date:** 27 April 2016
**Venue:** The Strand Hotel, Limerick City
For more: See [www.hospicefriendlyhospitals.ie](http://www.hospicefriendlyhospitals.ie) for poster call and registration information in early 2016
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Professional accreditation under application from all relevant professional bodies

Organised by the Irish Hospice Foundation’s Hospice Friendly Hospitals Programme in partnership with
Hospitals linked to the HFH Programme

**Saolta University Health Care Group**
- University Hospital Galway and Merlin Park
- Letterkenny General Hospital
- Sligo Regional Hospital
- Mayo General Hospital
- Roscommon County Hospital
- Portiuncula Hospital, Ballinasloe

**RCSI Hospitals Groups**
- Rotunda Hospital, Dublin
- Beaumont Hospital
- Connolly Hospital, Blanchardstown
- Cavan General Hospital
- Louth County Hospital, Dundalk
- Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda

**Ireland East Hospitals Group**
- Mater Misericordiae University Hospital
- National Maternity Hospital, Holles St
- Midland Regional Hospital Mullingar
- St Luke's General Hospital, Kilkenny
- Wexford General Hospital
- Our Lady's Hospital, Navan
- St Columcille's Hospital, Loughlinstown
- St Vincent's University Hospital (Public)
- St Michael’s Hospital, Dun Laoghaire

**University of Limerick Hospitals Group**
- University Hospital, Limerick
- University Maternity Hospital, Limerick
- Nenagh Hospital
- Ennis Hospital
- St John’s Hospital

**South / South West Hospital Group**
- Cork University Hospital
- Cork University Maternity Hospital
- Bantry General Hospital
- Mercy University Hospital
- South Tipperary General Hospital
- Kerry General Hospital
- University Hospital Waterford

**Children’s Hospitals**
- Our Lady’s Children’s Hospital, Crumlin
- Temple St Children’s University Hospital

**Dublin Midlands Hospital Group**
- St James’s Hospital
- Tallaght Hospital
- The Coombe Women and Infant University Hospital
- Naas General Hospital
- Midland Regional Hospital, Portlaoise
- Tullamore Hospital

**Private Hospitals**
- Mater Private Hospital
- The Galway Clinic
- Bons Secours Hospital, Dublin
- The Beacon Hospital, Dublin
- The Hermitage Medical Clinic
2016 - plans

Irish Hospice Foundation

- Strategic plan 2016 - 2018
- Focus on Public engagement
- Programmes – new and embed
  - Bereavement - National standards for bereavement care
  - Residential
  - Primary care
  - Palliative Care for All

30 Birthday!

- National Conference
- 3 networks
  - Acute
  - Maternity
  - EOL co-ordinators
- Design and Dignity
- HFH Standards – REFRESH
- Hospital Group and national approach
- More EOL co-ordinators
IHF Healthcare Programmes

- 43% die in Hospitals
- 70% die with diseases other than cancer
- 25% die in Residential care
- 25% die at home

HFH programme

Journey of Change programme

Palliative care for all programme

Primary palliative care programme

Dementia
Journey of Change:
A model for building excellence in end of life care in residential care settings
Journey of Change: LOCATIONS
- over 53 participating sites

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Dementia Programme - STAFF

2: Advance care Planning
3: Loss and grief

Draft 1.2016

Consultation extended to 23 Nov 2015
Grant Call Open until 27 Nov 2015

Implementation and Evaluation of the following resources

http://hospicefoundation.ie/supporting/supporting-voluntary-hospices/development-grants/