

A free online training course for aged care

End of Life Law for Clinicians (ELLC) is a free online training program for nurses, managers, medical practitioners and allied health professionals working in aged care. It focuses on Australian laws on end of life decision-making. ELLC's Aged Care course can help aged care health professionals and providers manage legal issues and deliver safe, high-quality, person-centred aged care.



Learn about:

- › The role of law in aged care
- › Capacity and consent to medical treatment
- › Withholding and withdrawing life-sustaining medical treatment
- › Advance Care Planning and Advance Care Directives
- › Substitute decision-making for medical treatment
- › Legal protection for providing pain and symptom relief
- › Futile or non-beneficial treatment
- › Urgent treatment for adults
- › Managing conflict
- › Voluntary assisted dying
- › Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Peoples and end of life law
- › Inclusive end of life decision-making with people from diverse populations
- › End of life law in aged care

Meet the Aged Care Quality Standards

ELLC's online training modules can support aged care providers to meet the new Aged Care Quality Standards (starting 1 July 2025).

Find out how:

- Guide to meeting the [Aged Care Quality Standards](#)
- Guide to meeting [Outcome 5.7 Palliative Care and End-of-life Care, Clinical Care Standards](#)

Gain CPD hours

CPD hours can be claimed from your professional organisation for completing this training. Certificates of completion are available.

This is an RACGP-approved CPD activity under the RACGP CPD Program (total of 11 CPD hours). This event has been accredited in the 2023–2025 ACRRM PD Program for 8 Educational Activity Hours and 3 Performance Review Hours.



Register for the ELLC Aged Care course at ellc.edu.au and select Aged Care to enrol.

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