Dyspnoea



palliative care knowledge network



Tools and resources on dyspnoea for use in clinical practice, education and training



Access this resource

Dyspnoea in palliative care

Guidance by Therapeutic Guidelines to inform treatment of dyspnoea at end of life



Watch this video

Introduction to management of dyspnoea in palliative care (11 min)

Watch this CareSearch video where Prof David Currow outlines management strategies for GPs



Utilise this resource

<u>Improving breathlessness at home</u>

Provide this information by Cancer Council NSW to cancer patients experiencing dyspnoea that gives practical strategies to improve symptoms at home



Listen to this podcast

Managing breathlessness when cancer is advanced (18 min)

Access this podcast by Cancer Council NSW for tips on managing breathlessness for clinicians, families or patients with dyspnoea



Watch this video

Managing my breathing (3 min)

Recommend this video by Asthma + Lung UK to palliative care patients and their families for techniques to help manage breathing when physically moving or lifting



Complete this tool

Respiratory Disease Observation
Scale (RDOS) (115kb pdf)

A scale by Campbell to observe the intensity and related distress of dyspnoea symptoms in people receiving palliative care