## A summary of all QOF2 points relating to palliative care, supportive care, cancer care

The table includes points that can be claimed when fully implementing GSF

Cancer 1 The practice can produce a register of all cancer patients defined as a "register of patients with a diagnosis of cancer excluding non melanotic skin cancers from 1 April 2003"	5 points
Cancer 3 The percentage of patients with cancer diagnosed Within the last 18 with a review by the practice recorded within 6 months of confirmed diagnosis. This should include assessment of support needs if any and review of coordination arrangements with secondary care	6 points
Palliative Care 1 The practice has a complete register of all patients in need of palliative care/support	3 points
Palliative care 2 The practice has regular (at least 3 monthly) Multi-disciplinary case review meetings where all patients on the palliative care register are discussed	3 points
Dementia 1 The practice can produce a register of patients diagnosed with dementia	5 points
Dementia 2 The percentage of patients diagnosed with dementia whose care has been reviewed in the previous 15 months	15 points
Education 10 The practice has undertaken a minimum of three significant event reviews in the past year	6 points
Education 7 The practice has undertaken a minimum of 12 significant event reviews in the past 3 years which include (if these have occurred)	4 points
Records 13 There is a system to alert the out of hours service or duty doctor to patients dying at home	2 points
Management 9 The practice has a protocol for the identification of carers and a mechanism for the referral of carers for a social services assessment	3 points

Therefore, there are 52 quality and organisational points for cancer, palliative and supportive care in the revised nGMS Contract 2006/07.