**USEFUL WEBSITES**

These websites may help you with your training during GSF Domiciliary Care training programme and are suggestions only

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| **LEARNING** | wwwCancerNursing.org.uk | CancerNursing.org is an open learning site dedicated to the provision of free education that aims to enhance the understanding and the skills of health professionals and others concerned with the care of cancer patients. Courses include- Introduction to palliative care nursing, Graseby syringe drivers in palliative care, The nature, assessment and management of pain, On line lectures from specialists in their field |
| [www.e-lfh.org.uk](http://www.e-lfh.org.uk)  [www.e-ELCA.org.uk](http://www.e-ELCA.org.uk) | e-learning programme providing national, quality assured online training content for the healthcare profession. |
| [www.agedcarechannel.co.uk](http://www.agedcarechannel.co.uk) | This TV station broadcasts, via satellite, direct to your care home. You and your staff can watch live and record a comprehensive schedule of programmes, covering all aspects of training |
| [www.social-care.tv](http://www.social-care.tv/smartweb/main/course-details/12) | **Online training for health and social care providers of all types.** |
| [www.helpthehospices.org.uk/our-services/running-your-hospice/education-training/e-learning](http://www.helpthehospices.org.uk/our-services/running-your-hospice/education-training/e-learning) / | Free [CLiP programme](http://www.helpthehospices.org.uk/clip/index.htm) gives professionals, carers and teams from a variety of health and social care settings the knowledge and skills needed in their daily work. |
| [www.scils.co.uk](http://www.scils.co.uk) | Social Care Information & Learning Services. A variety of learning and development resources available to help meet National Minimum Standards. Registration required |
| [www.ncpc.org.uk](http://www.ncpc.org.uk) | The National Council for Palliative Care (NCPC) is the umbrella charity for all those involved in palliative, end of life and hospice care in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. Subscription gives you free publications and attendance at regional conferences and workshops |
| [www.scie.org.uk](http://www.scie.org.uk) | Good practice guides, resources and information specifically for social care service users, practitioners and providers |
| [www.macmillan.org.uk](http://www.macmillan.org.uk) | Macmillan Foundations in Palliative Care available to download or order on this site |
| GSF Clinical Skills Course for care home staff | Course designed to complement the work you are already doing in implementing the GSF in your care home Contact the National GSF Centre for details |
| [www.advancecareplanning](http://www.advancecareplanning) | Advance Care Planning learning pack commissioned by the Department of health and the [Social Care Institute for Excellence](http://www.scie.org.uk)  You can use this to give yourself a good grounding in ACP or to help train your colleagues. |
|  | [www.ukhca.co.uk](http://www.ukhca.co.uk) | United Kingdom Homecare Association Ltd (UKHCA) is the professional association of home care providers from the independent, voluntary, not-for-profit and statutory sectors. Provides train the trainers nd on line courses |
|  | www.rcn.org.uk/development/practice/cpd\_online\_learning | several on line cpd courses, particularly dignity |
|  | [www.**mckinley**med.co.uk/online-training](http://www.mckinleymed.co.uk/online-training)  www. vimeo.com/32919546 &search forMcKinley T34 syringe driver training | There are several websites offering guidance and on line training for the McKinley syringe driver. Some of these are PCT guidance eg Glasgow, Norfolk, Lincolnshire so use the one pertinent to you particular area if available |
| **END OF LIFE** | [www.endoflifecareforadults.nhs.uk](http://www.endoflifecareforadults.nhs.uk) | The National End of Life Care Programme works with health and social care services across all sectors in England to improve end of life care for adults by implementing the Department of Health’s End of Life Care Strategy. |
| [www.mcpcilorg.uk](http://www.mcpcilorg.uk) | The Marie Curie Palliative Care Institute Liverpool (MCPCIL) is dedicated to making a positive, sustained difference to how people are cared for at the end of life. |
| [www.dyingmattersorg.uk/](http://www.dyingmattersorg.uk/)  short film - “I didn’t want that”. | Dying Matters is a broad based and inclusive national coalition which aims to change public knowledge, attitudes and behaviours towards death, dying and bereavement, encouraging people to talk about their wishes towards the end of their lives, including where they want to die and their funeral plans with friends, family and loved one.  DVD –Very powerful short film relating to advance care planning |
| **DEMENTIA** | [www.alzheimers.org.uk](http://www.alzheimers.org.uk) | Alzheimer's Society produces a range of publications and resources, from guides to implementing good practice and planning quality care services to practical ideas for improving the lives of people with dementia. You can now [order these resources online](http://www.alzheimers.org.uk/site/scripts/home_info.php?homepageID=145). |
| [www.dementiauk.org](http://www.dementiauk.org) | Dementia UK Trainingspecialises in the provision of high quality training courses for those who work with older people and people with dementia. |
|  | <http://youtu.be/CrZXz10FcVM>  Gladys Wilson and Naomi Feil | Naomi Feil, founder of Validation Therapy, shares a breakthrough moment of communication with Gladys Wilson, a woman who was diagnosed with Alzheimer's in 2000 and is virtually non-verbal. Learn more at www.memorybridge.org. |
|  | <http://vimeo.com.80791217>  [Short film: The Waiting Room](http://vimeo.com/80791217) | Gerry Harris is 92 and has vascular dementia. A cautionary tale for a health service faced with an ever increasing ageing population many of whom will die with dementia. |
|  | [www.lifestorynetwork.org.uk/](http://www.lifestorynetwork.org.uk/) | Life story work enables us to see people as individuals in the context of their relationships with others, thus preserving their unique identity and enabling their rights to be respected. |
| **DIGNITY** | [www.dignityincare.org.uk](http://www.dignityincare.org.uk) | Details of how to become a dignity champion and promote dignity in your place of work |
|  | http://youtu.be/MTcopj6dYWQ | Extract from Amanda Warings’ powerful film “What do you see” |
| **RESUSCITATION** | <https://www.eoedeanery.nhs.uk/medical/page.php?page_id=2910> | DNACPR Patient Information Leaflets produced by East of England or East Midlands |
|  | <https://www.resus.org.uk/pages/deccprmd.pdf> | Model patient information leaflet from the Resus Council |
| **VERIFICATION OF EXPECTED DEATH** | [www.endoflifecareforadults.nhs.uk](http://www.endoflifecareforadults.nhs.uk)  RCN - Guidance for staff responsible for care after death | Developed by the National End of Life Care Programme and National Nurse Consultant Group (Palliative Care), this guidance sets out key principles and is intended as a guide for training, as well as for informing the development of organisational protocols for this area of care, it aims to provide a consistent view that accommodates England’s diverse religious and multi-cultural beliefs |
| **CARER SUPPORT** | [www.carersuk.org](http://www.carersuk.org) | Carers UK has years of expertise about caring. We produce a variety of resources that can help you better understand both the effects of caring on people's lives and the effects that policies have on the lives of carers. |