

Many children with a life limiting condition (LLC) and their families want to remain at home as much as possible.

Building capability in paediatric palliative care (PPC) for generalist health and social care professionals through QuoCCA has improved access to palliative care, regardless of where they live.

We need to understand the experience of families whose child has received specialist PPC, to ensure future service capability development is informed by lived experience.

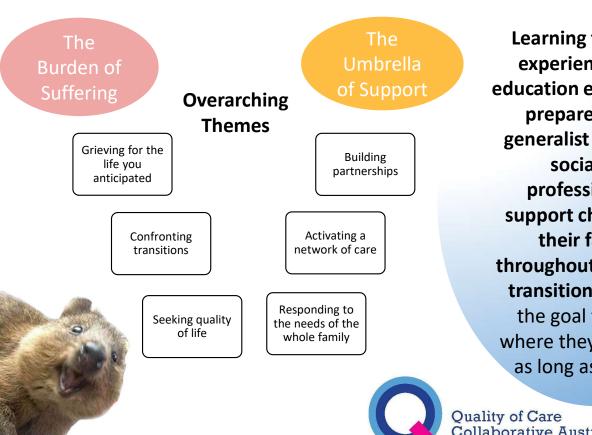
As a retrospective, descriptive study. 11 Parents (n=9 m; n= 2 f) of children with a LLC participated in an interview guided by Discovery Interview methodology.

Parents described significant personal, familial, social and existential adjustments.

This study integrates a relational learning approach. Education in PPC is an imperative component of service models, aligning with a public health approach to enabling those beyond specialist PPC services to gain confidence and capability in the context of a dying child and their family, empowered and informed through the voice of the family.

Building capability in paediatric palliative care through the voice of the parents: **Quality of Care Collaborative Australia (QuoCCA)**

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Learning from lived experience in PPC education enhances the preparedness of generalist health and social care professionals to support children and their families throughout various life transitions including the goal to remain where they wish at for as long as possible.

