Quality of Care Collaborative – Australia (QuoCCA) for Paediatric Palliative Care

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Australia's geography and population distribution requires innovative methods of delivering palliative care.

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Aims

- Improving the quality of care provided to children in close proximity to their home through educational initiatives.
- Building the capacity of health services to provide paediatric palliative care in each state and territory of Australia – in metropolitan, regional, rural and remote locations.

Workshops

- In regional centres
- Targeting learning needs
- Inter-disciplinary concepts



Build local capacity and provide 'in-time' and patient-centered training via Face to face

Telehealth

Pop Ups

Case consults





Learning Needs Analysis

- Online survey for Health Professionals
- National Baseline Data via networking
- Repeat in 10 months



Discovery Interviews

- Consumer engagement Families, Health Professionals, Clinical Educators
- Trained interviewers



Self Reported Levels of Confidence Pre Surveys Post Surveys



Future Outcomes

A collaboration of paediatric palliative care services providing education in a planned and





co-ordinated way shows promise in increasing capacity for paediatric palliative care within Australia, and should assist achieving goals of the *National Palliative Care Strategy 2010*.

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