**Are you interested in volunteering in Hospice/Palliative Care?  We offer Hospice Volunteer Training once a year.**

**This training is open to individuals 19 years of age and over with the priority being that this training is for people who live in Richmond, if we are unable to fill the training with interested people who live in Richmond then we may offer the course to people who do not live in Richmond on a first come, first served basis.**

**The core components of our training include: clinical aspects of dying, psychological aspects of dying, spirituality, and communication.  Volunteers are required to complete all of the sessions of the training course. Cost is $125.00**

**For more information please contact our office at 604-207-1212 ext. 101**

**\*Training Modules**

Module 1: Background /History of Hospice Palliative Care

Module 2: Psychosocial and Spiritual Care

Module 3: Loss, Grief and Bereavement

Module 4: Personal and Practical Care

Module 5: Medical Side of Dying

Module 6: Self – Care / Compassion Fatigue and Boundaries

Module 7: Communications

Module 8: Active Volunteering

 What to expect now

Module 9: Funeral, Celebrations of Life/Final Paperwork

Post-training requirement for certificate

 Shadowing of an experienced volunteer

 Minimum 4 hours

\*These may be done out of numeric order depending on availability of presenters

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| ***Date*** | ***Time*** | ***Topic*** | ***Special Guest Speaker*** |
| ***Wednesday,******September 2024*****Multipurpose Room****Rotary Hospice House** | **6-9 pm** | **Background/History of Hospice Palliative Care****Introduction to Hospice Training** | **Jennifer Dufour** |
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| ***Friday*** ***September 2024*****Multipurpose Room****Rotary Hospice House** | **6-9pm** | **Review****Psychosocial & Spiritual care** | **6:00 to 6:15****Chaplain Mark Hensman****6:15 to 7:45** |
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| **Saturday,** **September 2024****Our Savior Lutheran Church****Fireside Room****(Come to the front door)** | **9 am– 4pm** | **Review****Loss, Grief & Bereavement Care****Break** **Lunch****Communications** | **9:00 to 9:30****Katherine Tam****9:30 – 12:00****10:45 to 11:00 am****12:00 to 1:00****Jennifer Dufour****1:00 to 4:00** |
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| ***Wednesday,*** ***September , 2024*****Multipurpose Room****Rotary Hospice House** | **6-9pm** | **Review****Personal/Practical Care; Care in each setting** | **6:00 to 6:15****Social Worker panel****6:15 to 7:45** |
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| ***Friday,*** ***September9 2024*****Multipurpose Room****Rotary Hospice House** | **6-9pm** | **Review****Medical Side of Dying** | **6:00 to 6:15****Dr. Amrish Joshi****Rotary Hospice House Director of Care****6:15 to 7:45** |
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| **Saturday** **September , 2024****Our Savior Lutheran Church****(come to the front door)** | **9am-4pm** | **Review****Self-Care/Compassion Fatigue/ Boundaries****Break****Lunch****Active Volunteering****What to expect now** | **9:00 – 9:30*****Lara Musa VCH*****9:30 to 12:00****10:45 to 11:00****12:00 to 1:00****Volunteer Panel (1:00pm)****Jennifer Dufour (2:30pm)** |
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| ***Wednesday*** ***September , 2024*****Richmond Funeral Home**  | **6-8pm** | **Planning a funeral** | **Richmond Funeral Home** |

***\* Topics and Speakers dates and times and venues are subject to change without notice.***

**Ongoing Shadowing: Minimum 4 hours**

Training cost is $125.00 payable prior to the first module. This fee includes all materials, speakers etc.

All sessions to take place at Rotary Hospice House 6460 No. 4 Rd. in Richmond unless otherwise specified.

All sessions are facilitated by a hospice trained facilitator.

Attendance at **all** Modules is crucial for continuity of the material and group dynamics.

Please dress comfortably. Please bring a three-ring binder and a pen or pencil.

Future Training Dates: To be determined

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