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Introduction to Palliative Care for Dietitians

Date: **Thursday, 10 September 2026**
Venue: **HSC Clinical Education Centre, Clady Villa, Knockbracken Healthcare Park**
Providers: **Tracy Haylett, Macmillan Advanced Practice Palliative Care Dietitian**
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Purpose:

The purpose of this one-day course is to enhance participants' knowledge and understanding of person-centred principles in palliative care, support reflection on their roles and responsibilities in delivering nutritional care, and enable the application of an ethical, evidence-informed approach to discussions on clinically assisted nutrition and hydration.

Learning Outcomes:

- Explain the importance of nutrition in palliative care
- Describe the common nutritional symptoms and how to manage them
- Explore the ethical discussions around food and fluid at end of life
- Apply the palliative care approach to nutritional care

Audience:

Dietitians with an interest in palliative care (Band 5, 6, 7, 8A)
Members of DCOP

Method:

1 day programme face to face

Please note places will be allocated after the closing date. You will be informed of the outcome of your application by email.

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