

Hospice Volunteer Training

Topics Covered Include:

- ≈ History of Hospice and the Modern Hospice Movement
- ≈ Role of the Volunteer
- ≈ Intro to Palliative/end-of-life Care; the Value of Silence
- ≈ Effective Communication ≈ Family Dynamics
- ≈ Emotional & Spiritual Support: A vision for Holistic Care
- ≈ Companionship the Bereaved ≈ Grief & Bereavement
- ≈ Physical Care of the Dying and Comfort Care
- ≈ Self Care: Grace and Compassion for Self and Others
- ≈ Policies and Ethics
- ≈ Nav-CARE (Navigation, Connecting, Accessing, Resourcing, Engaging)
- ≈ Group Facilitator training

Utilizing trained facilitators, Hospice volunteer training provides participants with education, support, and connection to individuals seeking Hospice services. Our training facilitators create a space of openness, acceptance and trust.

Confidentiality: Your privacy will be respected, and all information shared within the volunteer training will be kept confidential.

Where, When, How Much?

- Check out www.camrosehospice.org/volunteer for upcoming training module dates
- There is **no cost to participants** to register for HSCD training
- Trainings take place online, in Camrose at the Hospice Office, and in selected rural communities



Every year the Hospice Society of Camrose & District offers a training program that is open to the public. You are welcome to participate, whether you choose to become a volunteer or not; first seats are reserved for those intending to complete volunteer registration.

The purpose of this training is to prepare you, according to your interests, for service as a volunteer:

- ≈ to individuals in their home with a chronic disease
- ≈ to those in long-term-care or hospitals who have a life-limiting diagnosis
- ≈ to those who are actively dying
- ≈ to companion those who are grieving
- ≈ in administrative roles
- ≈ as a support-group facilitator

Those choosing to become registered volunteers will be interviewed, asked to supply references and to provide a criminal record check.