

Template for the elective in Palliative Medicine for Block 2 Elective at the Institute of Palliative Care, Thrissur

UG MBBS 2023 batch

Name of Block	Block 2
Name of Elective	Rehabilitation and palliative care
Location of hospital lab or research facility	Institute of Palliative Care, Old District Hospital Building, Thrissur
Name of internal preceptor(s)	Dr. E. Divakaran and Dr. Ramla beebi. P
Name of external preceptor (if any)	Dr. Ajayan PV
Learning objectives of the elective	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To understand Palliative Care as an approach to address the Serious Health Related Suffering.2. Pain management with special emphasis on the concept of total pain and opioid use.3. Management of other symptoms.4. Concept of dignified death and end of life care.5. How to communicate with the patients and their families.6. Head to foot care of a bed ridden patient.
Number of students that can be accommodated in this elective	6
Prerequisites for the elective	Necessary immunization and knowledge of universal precaution

Learning resources for students	Indian Primer on Palliative care
List of activities in which the student will Participate	Take part in outpatient, inpatient, home care, Physiotherapy and rehabilitation activities. Participate in departmental education activities. Present one fully worked up case.
Portfolio entries required	Documentation of one fully worked up case along with a case reflection.
Log book entry required	Documentation of daily learning activity with 3 case presentations
Assessment	Daily activities, Log book and Portfolio with case reflection
Other comments	