The aim is to achieve integrated palliative care service delivery across all clinical settings **Level of Care Specialist Role Primary Provider Role** - Assesses patient needs. Specialist - Negotiates, agrees and formalises arrangements for care - Negotiates, agrees and formalises arrangements for the patient's care with the DHHS Palliative Care with the patient's primary care provider. - Has ongoing high level involvement in the care of the Service. patient. - Consults with the DHHS Palliative Care Service - Responsible for coordinating the management of the and provides care as agreed. patient's needs - coordinator of care (lead agency). - After hours service provided. - Assesses patient needs. Specialist - Negotiates, agrees and formalises arrangements for care - Negotiates, agrees and formalises arrangements for with the patient's primary care provider. care with the DHHS Palliative Care Service. - Has ongoing involvement in the care of the patient. - Shares care with the Specialist Palliative Care - Shares care with the patient's primary care provider. - May be the coordinator of care (lead agency) as - May be the coordinator of care (lead agency) as negotiated and agreed. negotiated and agreed. - After hours service provided. Primary Care - Responsible for coordinating the management of the Assesses patient needs. patient's needs - coordinator of care (lead agency). - Negotiates, agrees and formalises arrangements for care - Consult with the DHHS Palliative Care Service if with the patient's primary care provider. there is a variation to standard protocols of care and if - Provides episodic assessment, care planning and/or advice is needed. advice to the patient's primary care provider. - Provides after hours service to the patient. Care

- Supports the network of primary care providers through the provision of advice, information, training and professional development and resources.

Responsible for coordinating the management of the patient's needs - coordinator of care (lead

- Provides after hours service to the patient.
- Develops palliative care skills through professional development.

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