

Physical Health and Wellbeing and a tribute to Paddy Stone: session links



Thursday 8 February 11:00-13:00

Professor Paddy Stone is the Marie Curie Chair of Palliative and End of Life Care and the Head of the Marie Curie Palliative Care Research Department at UCL. Paddy will be retiring in 2024, and this session will celebrate his contributions to palliative and end of life care research, including in the fields of prognostication, cancer related fatigue and end-of-life care. We will also have abstract presentations covering other aspects of physical health and wellbeing.

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Marie Curie Palliative Care Research Department at UCL:

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/psychiatry/research/marie-curie-palliative-care-research>

Reflections on a career in palliative medicine research

Prof Paddy Stone (Marie Curie Palliative Care Research Department, UCL)

Professor Paddy Stone's biography:

<https://profiles.ucl.ac.uk/43554>

Read about the PiPS Prognosticator research:

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/psychiatry/research/marie-curie-palliative-care-research-department/research/pips-prognosticator>

Research project on 'Prognostic evaluation in patients with advanced cancer in the last months of life':

[https://www.esmooopen.com/article/S2059-7029\(23\)00417-9/fulltext](https://www.esmooopen.com/article/S2059-7029(23)00417-9/fulltext)

Research project on 'MePFAC: Methylphenidate versus placebo for fatigue in advanced cancer':

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/psychiatry/research/marie-curie-palliative-care-research/research/supportive-and-end-of-life-care/mepfac>

Fatigue Research 2007 to date

Dr Ollie Minton (University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust)

Blog by Dr Minton on PROMS: <https://www.caresearch.com.au/About-Us/Newsroom/Palliative-Perspectives/Palliative-Perspectives-Blog-Details/ArtMID/17907/ArticleID/4643/Patient-reported-outcome-measures-What-are-they-useful-for-in-palliative-care>

Macmillan Cancer Support, Best practice for palliative and end of life care:

<https://www.macmillan.org.uk/healthcare-professionals/cancer-pathways/palliative-and-end-of-life-care/best-practice>

Teaching the unteachable: just how do doctors recognise when someone is dying

Dr Nicola White (Marie Curie Palliative Care Research Department, UCL)

A Systematic Review of Predictions of Survival in Palli Care: How Accurate Are Clinicians and Who are the Experts?:

<https://journals.plos.org/plosone/article?id=10.1371/journal.pone.0161407>

How accurate is the 'Surprise Question' at identifying patients at the end of life? A systematic review and meta-analysis:

<https://bmcmmedicine.biomedcentral.com/articles/10.1186/s12916-017-0907-4>

The (un)availability of prognostic information in the last days of life: a prospective observational study:

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/31292186/>

Article 'research helps understand how doctors know when a patient is dying':
<https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/media/press-releases/research-helps-understand-how-doctors-recognise-when-a-patient-is-dying/217269>

How do palliative care doctors recognise imminently dying patients? A judgement analysis:
<https://bmjopen.bmj.com/content/8/11/e024996>

Online training improves medical students' ability to recognise when a person is dying: The ORaCIES randomised controlled trial:
<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/10.1177/0269216319880767>

Clinician's experiences and attitudes towards shared decision-making for deprescribing anti-thrombotic therapy in patients with cancer at the end of life (selected abstract)

Nikhil Shah (Cardiff University)

Read the conference abstract: https://spcare.bmj.com/content/14/Suppl_1/A25.1

Towards optimal use of antithrombotic therapy of people with cancer at the end of life: A research protocol for the development and implementation of the SERENITY shared decision support tool:
[https://www.thrombosisresearch.com/article/S0049-3848\(23\)00134-2/fulltext](https://www.thrombosisresearch.com/article/S0049-3848(23)00134-2/fulltext)

The importance of relational care outside normal working hours: experiences of patients and family carers, and healthcare professionals (selected abstract)

Joanna Goodrich (King's College London)

You can read Joanna's abstract here: https://spcare.bmj.com/content/14/Suppl_1/A25.2

Out of Hours research at King's College London:
<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/research/out-of-hours-community-palliative-care>

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