



In partnership with Indigenous Services Canada (ISC), First Nations & Inuit Health Branch—Ontario region, Lakehead University's Centre for Education and Research on Aging & Health (CERAH) is pleased to offer palliative care education for Indigenous Communities in Ontario. Learn more on page 2.

BEGINNING THE JOURNEY

Caring for Indigenous Peoples:
Palliative Care Education for Health &
Social Care Providers*

IN-PERSON

THUNDER BAY

MAY 13–15, 2026

May 13 | 1:00 – 5:00 PM ET
May 14 | 8:30 – 4:30 PM ET
May 15 | 8:30 – 12:30 PM ET

**LIMITED SEATS
AVAILABLE**

KINGSTON

OCT 14–16, 2026

Oct 14 | 1:00 – 5:00 PM ET
Oct 15 | 8:30 – 4:30 PM ET
Oct 16 | 8:30 – 12:30 PM ET

Request to Register Form
due: **July 31, 2026**

CONTINUING THE JOURNEY

Caring for Indigenous Peoples:
Intermediate Palliative Care Education
for Health & Social Care Providers**

VIRTUAL

JUNE 3 & 10, 2026

10:00AM - 1:00PM ET
(both dates)

**LIMITED SEATS
AVAILABLE**

AUG 11 & 18, 2026

10:00AM - 1:00PM ET
(both dates)

Request to Register Form
due: **July 31, 2026**

DEC 3 & 10, 2026

10:00AM - 1:00PM ET
(both dates)

Request to Register Form
due: **July 31, 2026**

LEAP™ CORE TRAINING

Delivered through CERAH's Enhanced
Facilitation Approach Designed for
Indigenous Communities

IN-PERSON

NIAGARA FALLS

JUNE 10–12, 2026

June 10 | 1:00 – 5:00 PM ET
June 11 | 8:30 – 4:30 PM ET
June 12 | 8:30 – 12:30 PM ET

**LIMITED SEATS
AVAILABLE**

SAULT STE MARIE

NOV 25–27, 2026

Nov 25 | 1:00 – 5:00 PM ET
Nov 26 | 8:30 – 4:30 PM ET
Nov 27 | 8:30 – 12:30 PM ET

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*formerly known as Palliative Care for Frontline
Workers in Indigenous Communities
**formerly known as Continuing the Journey:
Palliative Care for Frontline Workers in Indigenous
Communities





CERAH's education is Indigenous-led and facilitated by Indigenous and non-Indigenous health and social care providers, with guidance and support from local Elders and Knowledge Carriers. Workshops incorporate circle work, ceremony, case studies, hands-on learning, and small and large group discussions, along with additional resources to support continued learning.

BEGINNING THE JOURNEY

Caring for Indigenous Peoples:
Palliative Care Education for Health &
Social Care Providers*

This workshop is the **first part** of a two-part series that provides an **introduction** to the palliative approach to care.

WHO:

Health & social care providers who work with Indigenous peoples with a serious illness.

HOW:

In-person
Delivered over 3
consecutive days
(14 hours total)

A travel grant to support partial travel reimbursement is available.

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CONTINUING THE JOURNEY

Caring for Indigenous Peoples:
Intermediate Palliative Care Education
for Health & Social Care Providers**

This workshop is the **second part** of a two-part series that provides enhanced education on the palliative approach to care.

Considered **intermediate-level** and a continuation of the concepts discussed in *Beginning the Journey*.

WHO:

Health & social care providers who have already completed *Beginning the Journey*

HOW:

Virtual
Delivered over two, 3-hour sessions (6 hours total)

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LEAP™ CORE TRAINING

Delivered through CERAH's Enhanced Facilitation Approach Designed for Indigenous Communities

Pallium Canada's LEAP Core is a 14-hour, **advanced** course*** covering key palliative care competencies, enhanced with culturally relevant concepts and resources designed by CERAH

***Certified by the CFPC. Claim up to 28.0 Mainpro+ credits

WHO:

Registered health & social care providers who care for Indigenous Peoples with a serious illness

HOW:

In-person
Delivered over 3
consecutive days
(14 hours total)

A travel grant to support partial travel reimbursement is available.

knowledge

collaboration

action

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Palliative Care Education for Indigenous Communities in Ontario
Travel Grant Information

In partnership with Indigenous Services Canada (ISC), First Nations & Inuit Health Branch—Ontario region, Lakehead University's Centre for Education and Research on Aging & Health (CERAH) is pleased to offer two in-person *Beginning the Journey* workshops and two in-person *LEAP Core* workshops. See promotional poster for a complete list of locations and dates.

These workshops can accommodate 30 participants each. Spots will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

Travel Details:

Travel arrangements must be ***booked and paid for by training participants directly, or by their Indigenous community/organization.*** This includes flights, mileage, hotels, parking, and meals (outside of the workshop).

Each workshop will provide morning and afternoon nutrition breaks, as well as lunch on day 2 and 3.

Participants must also book and pay for hotels and incidentals directly or through their Indigenous community/organization.

Travel Grant Reimbursements for staff working in Indigenous communities

Following the workshop, we will be offering a travel grant to cover ***partial*** travel costs.

- A ***maximum amount of \$1500 per person*** has been allocated for participants travelling in from ***remote/fly-in*** First Nations communities in Northern Ontario.
- A ***maximum amount of \$750 per person*** has been allocated for all other participants travel.

Please see the attached invoice template. You must fill out the invoice template and return it to cerah@lakeheadu.ca within 30 days following the workshop. The payment will then be mailed to your Indigenous community/organization at the address provided on the invoice. Please allow for 4-6 weeks for processing.

Please note: Travel grant reimbursements will only be provided for people who attend the training. We will not reimburse expenses if a person can no longer attend the training and needs to cancel.

PALLIATIVE CARE EDUCATION FOR INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES IN ONTARIO
TRAVEL GRANT INVOICE

Location of Workshop: _____
Date of Workshop: _____

Invoice to: CERAH Lakehead University
955 Oliver Road
Thunder Bay, ON
P7B 5E1

Submitted on: _____
MONTH / DAY / YEAR

PARTICIPANT NAME (first and last name)	TRAVEL AMOUNT CLAIMED (\$750 per person OR \$1500 for remote, Northern fly-in communities)

GRAND TOTAL: \$ _____

Please make cheque payable to:

Community/Organization Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
City/town, Postal Code: _____
Phone Number: _____

Name of Chief/Designate or Finance Manager: _____
Signature: _____
Date: _____