

Expressions of Interest

The End of Life Directions for Aged Care (ELDAC) project is calling for expressions of interest from aged care service providers who wish to develop palliative care and advance care planning activities within their organisation.

Residential aged care services and community aged care service providers that deliver home care packages are invited to register their interest to participate in the *Working Together Program*, an innovative palliative care and advance care planning improvement initiative.

The Working Together Program aims to recruit a diverse range of eligible aged care service providers from metropolitan and regional settings across Australia to participate in this important initiative funded by the Australian Government Department of Health.

Expressions of interest close on <u>17 November 2023</u>. If you are selected for participation, your organisation may be eligible to receive an administrative grant of up to \$20,000 to support your engagement in the program activities.

Participating aged care providers will work with an ELDAC facilitator who will support your service to:

- Develop, implement and sustain palliative care and advance care planning activities
- Build capacity to provide care for older people nearing the end of life
- Strengthen linkages between your service and other care providers in end of life care

Participation in the project will result in improved capacity to provide end of life care; improved staff confidence, skills and knowledge about palliative care and advance care planning; and improved access to palliative care advice and support.

To find out more about the *Working Together Program*, please visit the <u>Linkages Program</u> page on the ELDAC website and complete the "Contact Facilitators/EOI" form, or email the facilitators on <u>eldacteam1@qut.edu.au</u>

"The ELDAC Working Together program significantly increased the education and engagement of all staff in best practice palliative care." – Aged care provider

"It has been a career highlight for me to be involved in the ELDAC Working Together program and witness real change." – Palliative Care CNC



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