



CLINICAL EDUCATOR/SENIOR CLINICAL EDUCATOR: PALLIATIVE CARE

(Part-time contract; 25 hours per week: 5/8 post)

**Division of Interdisciplinary Palliative Care and Medicine
Department of Family, Community and Emergency Care**

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

UCT Division of Interdisciplinary Palliative Care and Medicine (IPCM) seeks to appoint a professional palliative care nurse or social worker as a Clinical Educator/Snr Clinical Educator (5/8) to support the integration of palliative care in three Western Cape sites as part of the Healthy Futures programme. The main purpose of this position is to provide training, mentorship and evaluation of the proposed primary care integration of palliative care in the Vredenburg, Heideveld and George areas. This will form part of the Healthy Futures Programme. The position is 25 hours a week for a 2-year contract and requires face-to-face teaching, mentorship, and site visits.

Requirements:

- Hold a degree in nursing or social work and a postgraduate qualification in palliative care at NQF level 8.
- Registration with the South African Nursing Council (SANC) as a registered/professional nurse or as a social worker with the South African Council for Social Service Professions (SACSSP/Council)
- Minimum of 3 years' experience in palliative care.
- Knowledge of palliative care policy, health equity and human rights for health.
- Knowledge of low- and middle-income health systems, the health sector and its services as it pertains to Palliative Care.
- Demonstrable previous experience in teaching and mentorship.
- Demonstrate previous experience working at the primary care level and home care services.
- Organisational skills.
- Verbal skills in at least 2 of the languages of the Western Cape
- Excellent written communication skills.
- Ability to build and maintain effective partnerships and relationships with internal and external stakeholders.

Advantageous:

- Research skills

Responsibilities:

This role includes teaching, mentorship, research, and social responsiveness, with attention to issues of transformation and equity. In addition, the successful candidate will be required to perform administrative functions at the Divisional, Departmental, Faculty, and University levels if needed.

The annual cost of part-time employment, including benefits:

At Clinical Educator level: R 312 500.00

At Senior Clinical Educator level: R358 847.50

Enquiries about this post should be directed to A/Prof Rene Krause, rene.krause@uct.ac.za (+27 21 6501475).

To apply, please e-mail the below documents in a **single pdf file** to A/Prof Rene Krause, rene.krause@uct.ac.za

- UCT Application Form (download at <http://forms.uct.ac.za/hr201.doc>)
- Cover letter that speaks to the specific requirements of the position, and
- Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Please ensure the title and reference number are indicated in the subject line.

An application which does not comply with the above requirements will be regarded as incomplete.

Telephone: 021 650 3003

Reference number: E25610

Closing date: 24 June 2025

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