

# End of life care for adults in the last year of life: service delivery

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### End of life Care search strategy 1

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## **1.1 Identification of people in their last year of life and their carers**

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review. [Add cross reference]*

### **1.1.1 Clinical search literature search strategy**

Searches were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 1: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Publication Type: Clinical Trial, Journal Article, Meta Analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Systematic Review; Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

1.	Palliative care/
2.	Terminal care/
3.	Hospice care/
4.	palliat*.ti,ab.
5.	Terminally ill/
6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
7.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
8.	life limit*.ti,ab.
9.	Nursing Homes/
10.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
11.	Respite Care/
12.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
13.	Hospices/
14.	hospice*.ti,ab.
15.	*Patient care planning/
16.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
17.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
18.	*Attitude to Death/
19.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
20.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
21.	*Long-Term Care/
22.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
23.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
24.	EOLC.ti,ab.
25.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
26.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
27.	or/1-26
28.	letter/
29.	editorial/
30.	news/
31.	exp historical article/
32.	Anecdotes as Topic/
33.	comment/
34.	case report/
35.	(letter or comment*).ti.
36.	or/28-35
37.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
38.	36 not 37
39.	animals/ not humans/
40.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
41.	exp Animal Experimentation/
42.	exp Models, Animal/
43.	exp Rodentia/

44.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
45.	or/38-44
46.	27 not 45
47.	limit 46 to English language
48.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
49.	47 not 48
50.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
51.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
52.	Critical Pathways/
53.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
54.	Patient Care Bundles/
55.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
56.	or/50-55
57.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
58.	49 and 56 and 57
59.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
60.	49 and 59
61.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
62.	58 or 60 or 61
63.	patient care team/
64.	interdisciplinary communication/
65.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
66.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
67.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
68.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
69.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
70.	*Case Management/
71.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
72.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
73.	Or/63-72
74.	"referral and consultation"/
75.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
76.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
77.	or/74-76
78.	exp Advance Care Planning/
79.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
80.	living will*.ti,ab.

81.	or/78-80
82.	Caregivers/
83.	Spouses/
84.	Family/
85.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
86.	Or/82-85
87.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
88.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
89.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
90.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
91.	Self-Help Groups/
92.	exp social support/
93.	Counseling/
94.	(counseling or counsellng*).ti,ab.
95.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
96.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
97.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
98.	or/87-97
99.	49 and 86 and 98
100.	49 and (73 or 77 or 81)
101.	62 or 99 or 100

#### Embase (Ovid) search terms

1.	*Palliative therapy/
2.	*Terminal care/
3.	*Hospice care/
4.	palliat*.ti,ab.
5.	*Terminally ill patient/
6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
7.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
8.	life limit*.ti,ab.
9.	*Nursing home/
10.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
11.	*Respite Care/
12.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
13.	*Hospice/
14.	hospice*.ti,ab.

15.	*Patient care planning/
16.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
17.	*Patient care/
18.	*Attitude to Death/
19.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
20.	*Doctor patient relation/
21.	*Long term care/
22.	*Health care delivery/
23.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
24.	EOLC.ti,ab.
25.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
26.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
27.	or/1-26
28.	letter.pt. or letter/
29.	note.pt.
30.	editorial.pt.
31.	case report/ or case study/
32.	(letter or comment*).ti.
33.	or/28-32
34.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
35.	33 not 34
36.	animal/ not human/
37.	nonhuman/
38.	exp Animal Experiment/
39.	exp Experimental Animal/
40.	animal model/
41.	exp Rodent/
42.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
43.	or/35-42
44.	27 not 43
45.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
46.	44 not 45
47.	limit 46 to English language
48.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
49.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
50.	*Clinical Pathway/
51.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
52.	*Care Bundle/
53.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
54.	or/48-53
55.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
56.	47 and 54 and 55
57.	gold standard*.ti,ab.

58.	47 and 57
59.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
60.	56 or 58 or 59
61.	interdisciplinary communication/
62.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
63.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
64.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
65.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
66.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
67.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
68.	*Case Management/
69.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
70.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
71.	Or/61-70
72.	exp patient referral/
73.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
74.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
75.	or/72-74
76.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
77.	living will*.ti,ab.
78.	76 or 77
79.	*Caregiver/
80.	*Spouse/
81.	*Family/
82.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
83.	Or/79-82
84.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
85.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
86.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
87.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
88.	*Self-Help/
89.	*Social support/
90.	*Counseling/
91.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
92.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.

93.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
94.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
95.	or/84-94
96.	47 and 83 and 95
97.	47 and (71 or 75 or 78)
98.	60 or 96 and 97

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#1.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#2.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#3.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#4.	palliat*:ti,ab
#5.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#7.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#8.	life limit*:ti,ab
#9.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#10.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#11.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#12.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#13.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#14.	hospice*:ti,ab
#15.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#16.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#17.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#18.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#19.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#20.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#21.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#22.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#23.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#24.	EOLC:ti,ab
#25.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#26.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#27.	(or #1-#26)
#28.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#29.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#30.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#31.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#32.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees

#33.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#34.	(or #28-#33)
#35.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#36.	#27 and #34 and #35
#37.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#38.	#27 and #37
#39.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#40.	#36 or #38 or #39
#41.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#42.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#43.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#44.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#45.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#46.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#47.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#48.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#49.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#50.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#51.	(or #41-#50)
#52.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#53.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab
#54.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#55.	(or #52-#53)
#56.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#57.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#58.	living will*:ti,ab
#59.	(or #56-#58)
#60.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#61.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#62.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#63.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#64.	(or #60-#63)
#65.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#66.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#67.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#68.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab

#69.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#70.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#71.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#72.	(counseling or counselling*):ti,ab
#73.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#74.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#75.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew* ) near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#76.	(or #65-#75)
#77.	#27 and #64 and #76
#78.	#27 and (#51 or #55 or #59)
#79.	#40 or #77 or #78

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S1.	MH Palliative care
S2.	MH Terminal care
S3.	MH Hospice care
S4.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S5.	MW Terminally ill
S6.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S7.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S8.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S9.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S10.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S11.	MH Nursing homes
S12.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S13.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S14.	MH Respite care
S15.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S16.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S17.	MH Hospices
S18.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S19.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S20.	MH Attitude to Death
S21.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S22.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S23.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S24.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S25.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S26.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S27.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S28.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life

S29.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S30.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S31.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S32.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S33.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S34.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33
S35.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S36.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S37.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S38.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S39.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S40.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S41.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S42.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S43.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42
S44.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S45.	S34 AND S43 AND S44
S46.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S47.	S34 AND S46
S48.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S49.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S50.	S48 OR S49
S51.	S45 OR S47 OR S50
S52.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S53.	MDT OR IDT
S54.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S55.	((integral* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S56.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S57.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S58.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S59.	MH Case Management
S60.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S61.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-

	ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S62.	S52 OR S53 OR S54 OR S55 OR S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61
S63.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")
S64.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S65.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S66.	S63 OR S64 OR S65
S67.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S68.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S69.	S67 OR S68
S70.	S34 AND (S62 OR S66 OR S69)
S71.	S51 or S70

#### PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms

1.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
2.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
3.	1 and 2
4.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
5.	3 and 4

#### HMIC (Ovid) search terms

1.	exp End of life care/
2.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
3.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
4.	life limit*.ti,ab.
5.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
6.	EOLC.ti,ab.
7.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
8.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
9.	or/1-8
10.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
11.	9 not 10
12.	limit 11 to English
13.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)

14.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
15.	13 or 14
16.	12 not 15
17.	euthanasia/
18.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
19.	17 or 18
20.	16 not 19

#### SPP (Ovid) search terms

1.	palliat*.ti,ab.
2.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
3.	life limit*.ti,ab.
4.	hospice*.ti,ab.
5.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
6.	living will*.ti,ab.
7.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
8.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
9.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
10.	EOLC.ti,ab.
11.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
12.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
13.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
14.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
15.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
16.	or/1-15
17.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
18.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
19.	17 not 18
20.	16 not 19
21.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

#### ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms

1.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care")
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	OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs") OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(altitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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### 1.1.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 2: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

### Medline (Ovid) search terms

1.	Palliative care/
2.	Terminal care/
3.	Hospice care/
4.	palliat*.ti,ab.
5.	Terminally III/
6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
7.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
8.	life limit*.ti,ab.
9.	Nursing Homes/

10.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
11.	Respite Care/
12.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
13.	Hospices/
14.	hospice*.ti,ab.
15.	exp Advance Care Planning/
16.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
17.	living will*.ti,ab.
18.	*Patient care planning/
19.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
20.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
21.	*Attitude to Death/
22.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
23.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
24.	*Long-Term Care/
25.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
26.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
27.	EOLC.ti,ab.
28.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
29.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
30.	or/1-29
31.	letter/
32.	editorial/
33.	news/
34.	exp historical article/
35.	Anecdotes as Topic/
36.	comment/
37.	case report/
38.	(letter or comment*).ti.
39.	or/31-38
40.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
41.	39 not 40
42.	animals/ not humans/
43.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
44.	exp Animal Experimentation/
45.	exp Models, Animal/
46.	exp Rodentia/
47.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
48.	or/41-47
49.	30 not 48
50.	limit 49 to English language
51.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
52.	50 not 51
53.	economics/

54.	value of life/
55.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
56.	exp Economics, Hospital/
57.	exp Economics, medical/
58.	Economics, nursing/
59.	economics, pharmaceutical/
60.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
61.	exp budgets/
62.	budget*.ti,ab.
63.	cost*.ti.
64.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
65.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
66.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
67.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
68.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
69.	or/53-68
70.	exp models, economic/
71.	*Models, Theoretical/
72.	*Models, Organizational/
73.	markov chains/
74.	monte carlo method/
75.	exp Decision Theory/
76.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
77.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
78.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
79.	or/70-78
80.	quality-adjusted life years/
81.	sickness impact profile/
82.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
83.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
84.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
85.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
86.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
87.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
88.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
89.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
90.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
91.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
92.	rosser.ti,ab.
93.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
94.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
95.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
96.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
97.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
98.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.

99.	or/80-98
100.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

1.	*Palliative therapy/
2.	*Terminal care/
3.	*Hospice care/
4.	palliat*.ti,ab.
5.	*Terminally ill patient/
6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
7.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
8.	life limit*.ti,ab.
9.	*Nursing home/
10.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
11.	*Respite Care/
12.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
13.	*Hospice/
14.	hospice*.ti,ab.
15.	*Patient care planning/
16.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
17.	living will*.ti,ab.
18.	*Patient care/
19.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
20.	*Attitude to Death/
21.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
22.	*Doctor patient relation/
23.	*Long term care/
24.	*Health care delivery/
25.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
26.	EOLC.ti,ab.
27.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
28.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
29.	or/1-28
30.	letter.pt. or letter/
31.	note.pt.
32.	editorial.pt.
33.	case report/ or case study/
34.	(letter or comment*).ti.
35.	or/30-34
36.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
37.	35 not 36

38.	animal/ not human/
39.	nonhuman/
40.	exp Animal Experiment/
41.	exp Experimental Animal/
42.	animal model/
43.	exp Rodent/
44.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
45.	or/37-44
46.	29 not 45
47.	limit 46 to English language
48.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
49.	47 not 48
50.	health economics/
51.	exp economic evaluation/
52.	exp health care cost/
53.	exp fee/
54.	budget/
55.	funding/
56.	budget*.ti,ab.
57.	cost*.ti.
58.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
59.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
60.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
61.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
62.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
63.	or/50-62
64.	statistical model/
65.	exp economic aspect/
66.	64 and 65
67.	*theoretical model/
68.	*nonbiological model/
69.	stochastic model/
70.	decision theory/
71.	decision tree/
72.	monte carlo method/
73.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
74.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
75.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
76.	or/66-75
77.	quality-adjusted life years/

78.	"quality of life index"/
79.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
80.	sickness impact profile/
81.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
82.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
83.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
84.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
85.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
86.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
87.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutility* or utility value*).ti,ab.
88.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
89.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
90.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
91.	rosser.ti,ab.
92.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
93.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
94.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
95.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
96.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
97.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
98.	or/77-97
99.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

#### NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms

#1.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#2.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#3.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#4.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#5.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally Ill IN NHSEED,HTA
#6.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#7.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#8.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#9.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#10.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#11.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#12.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#13.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#14.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#15.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#16.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#17.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#18.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA

#19.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#20.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#21.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#22.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#23.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#24.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#25.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#26.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#27.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#28.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#29.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#30.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#31.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#32.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 2

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## 1.2 Timing of referral to palliative care services

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.2.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 3: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Human; Age Groups: All Adult
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

102.	Palliative care/
103.	Terminal care/
104.	Hospice care/
105.	palliat*.ti,ab.

106.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring)).ti,ab.
107.	Nursing Homes/
108.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
109.	Respite Care/
110.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
111.	Hospices/
112.	hospice*.ti,ab.
113.	exp Advance Care Planning/
114.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
115.	living will*.ti,ab.
116.	*Patient care planning/
117.	*"Continuity of Patient Care"/
118.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
119.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
120.	*Long-Term Care/
121.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
122.	((dying or death) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
123.	or/1-21
124.	Terminally III/
125.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
126.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
127.	life limit*.ti,ab.
128.	*Attitude to Death/
129.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
130.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
131.	EOLC.ti,ab.
132.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
133.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people)).ti,ab.
134.	or/23-32
135.	22 and 33
136.	letter/
137.	editorial/
138.	news/
139.	exp historical article/
140.	Anecdotes as Topic/
141.	comment/
142.	case report/
143.	(letter or comment*).ti.
144.	or/35-43
145.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
146.	43 not 44
147.	animals/ not humans/
148.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
149.	exp Animal Experimentation/
150.	exp Models, Animal/

151.	exp Rodentia/
152.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
153.	or/45-51
154.	34 not 52
155.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
156.	53 not 54
157.	limit 55 to English language
158.	"referral and consultation"/
159.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
160.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
161.	or/57-59
162.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
163.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
164.	Critical Pathways/
165.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
166.	Patient Care Bundles/
167.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
168.	or/61-66
169.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
170.	56 and 67 and 68
171.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
172.	56 and 70
173.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
174.	69 or 71 or 72
175.	patient care team/
176.	interdisciplinary communication/
177.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
178.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
179.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
180.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
181.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
182.	*Case Management/
183.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
184.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
185.	Or/74-83
186.	interdisciplinary communication/
187.	exp Communication Barriers/

188.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
189.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
190.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
191.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
192.	Or/85-90
193.	56 and 84 and 91
194.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
195.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
196.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
197.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
198.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
199.	exp remote consultation/
200.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
201.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
202.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
203.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
204.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
205.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
206.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
207.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
208.	exp Home Care Agencies/
209.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
210.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
211.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
212.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
213.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
214.	Or/93-112
215.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
216.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
217.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
218.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
219.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.

220.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
221.	Or/114-119
222.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
223.	living will*.ti,ab.
224.	Or/121-122
225.	*Caregiver/
226.	*Spouse/
227.	*Family/
228.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
229.	Or/124-127
230.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
231.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
232.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)).ti,ab.
233.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
234.	*Self-Help/
235.	*Social support/
236.	*Counseling/
237.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
238.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
239.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
240.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
241.	Or/129-139
242.	56 and 128 and 140
243.	56 and (60 or 84 or 113 or 120 or 123)
244.	73 or 92 or 141 or 142

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

99.	*Palliative therapy/
100.	*Terminal care/
101.	*Hospice care/
102.	palliat*.ti,ab.
103.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring)).ti,ab.
104.	*Nursing home/
105.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
106.	*Respite Care/
107.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.

108.	*Hospice/
109.	hospice*.ti,ab.
110.	*Patient care planning/
111.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
112.	living will*.ti,ab.
113.	*Patient care/
114.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
115.	*Attitude to Death/
116.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
117.	*Doctor patient relation/
118.	*Long term care/
119.	*Health care delivery/
120.	or/1-21
121.	*Terminally ill patient/
122.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
123.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
124.	life limit*.ti,ab.
125.	*Attitude to Death/
126.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
127.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
128.	EOLC.ti,ab.
129.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
130.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people)).ti,ab.
131.	or/23-32
132.	22 and 33
133.	letter.pt. or letter/
134.	note.pt.
135.	editorial.pt.
136.	case report/ or case study/
137.	(letter or comment*).ti.
138.	or/35-39
139.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
140.	40 not 41
141.	animal/ not human/
142.	nonhuman/
143.	exp Animal Experiment/
144.	exp Experimental Animal/
145.	animal model/
146.	exp Rodent/
147.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
148.	or/42-49
149.	34 not 50
150.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
151.	51 not 52

152.	limit 53 to English language
153.	exp patient referral/
154.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
155.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
156.	or/55-57
157.	54 and 58
158.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
159.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
160.	*Clinical Pathway/
161.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
162.	*Care Bundle/
163.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
164.	or/60-65
165.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
166.	54 and 66 and 67
167.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
168.	54 and 69
169.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
170.	68 or 70 or 71
171.	interdisciplinary communication/
172.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
173.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
174.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
175.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
176.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
177.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
178.	*Case Management/
179.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
180.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
181.	Or/73-82
182.	interdisciplinary communication/
183.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
184.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
185.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
186.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
187.	Or/84-88
188.	54 and 83 and 89

189.	*social welfare/
190.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
191.	*senior center/
192.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
193.	*teleconsultation/
194.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
195.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
196.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
197.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
198.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
199.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
200.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
201.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
202.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
203.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
204.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
205.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
206.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
207.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriateness* or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
208.	Or/91-109
209.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/
210.	*aftercare/
211.	*hospital discharge/
212.	*clinical handover/
213.	*transitional care/
214.	*patient care planning/
215.	*medical record/
216.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
217.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
218.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
219.	Or/111-120
220.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
221.	living will*.ti,ab.
222.	Or/122-123
223.	*Caregiver/
224.	*Spouse/
225.	*Family/

226.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
227.	Or/125-128
228.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
229.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
230.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)).ti,ab.
231.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
232.	*Self-Help/
233.	*Social support/
234.	*Counseling/
235.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
236.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
237.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
238.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
239.	or/130-140
240.	54 and 129 and 141
241.	54 and (83 or 110 or 121 or 124)
242.	59 or 72 or 90 or 142 or 143

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#80.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#81.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#82.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#83.	palliat*:ti,ab
#84.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring)):ti,ab
#85.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#86.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#87.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#88.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#89.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#90.	hospice*:ti,ab
#91.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#92.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#93.	living will*:ti,ab
#94.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#95.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#96.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#97.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only

#98.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#99.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#100.	((dying or death) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#101.	(or #1-#21)
#102.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] explode all trees
#103.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 ill*):ti,ab
#104.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#105.	life limit*:ti,ab
#106.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] this term only
#107.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#108.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#109.	EOLC:ti,ab
#110.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#111.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people)):ti,ab
#112.	(or #24-#32)
#113.	#22 and #33
#114.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#115.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab
#116.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#117.	(or #34-#36)
#118.	#34 and #38
#119.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#120.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#121.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#122.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#123.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#124.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#125.	(or #40-#45)
#126.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#127.	#34 and #46 and #47
#128.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#129.	#34 and #49
#130.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#131.	#48 or #50 or #51
#132.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#133.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#134.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#135.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab

#136.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#137.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#138.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#139.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#140.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#141.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#142.	(or #53-#62)
#143.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#144.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#145.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#146.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
#147.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
#148.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#149.	(or #64-#69)
#150.	34 and 63 and 69
#151.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#152.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#153.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#154.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#155.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#156.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#157.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#158.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#159.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#160.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#161.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#162.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#163.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit* ) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#164.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#165.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#166.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#167.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#168.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#169.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#170.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#171.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#172.	(social care):ti,ab
#173.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#174.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#175.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#176.	(Or #72-#96)
#177.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only

#178.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#179.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#180.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#181.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#182.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#183.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#184.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#185.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#186.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#187.	(or #98-#107)
#188.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#189.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#190.	living will*:ti,ab
#191.	(or #109-#111)
#192.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#193.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#194.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#195.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#196.	(or #113-#116)
#197.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#198.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#199.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#200.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#201.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#202.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#203.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#204.	(counseling or counselling*):ti,ab
#205.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#206.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#207.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#208.	(or #118-#128)
#209.	#34 and #117 and #129
#210.	#34 and (#63 or #97 or #108 or #112)
#211.	#39 or #52 or #71 or #130 or #131

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S72.	MH Palliative care
S73.	MH Terminal care
S74.	MH Hospice care
S75.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S76.	MW Terminally ill
S77.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring )
S78.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring )
S79.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S80.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S81.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S82.	MH Nursing homes
S83.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S84.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S85.	MH Respite care
S86.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S87.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S88.	MH Hospices
S89.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S90.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S91.	(MH "Continuity of Patient Care")
S92.	TI ( advance* or patient* ) AND TI ( care or caring ) AND TI ( continu* or plan* )
S93.	AB ( advance* or patient* ) AND AB ( care or caring ) AND AB ( continu* or plan* )
S94.	MH Attitude to Death
S95.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S96.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S97.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S98.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S99.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S100.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S101.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S102.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S103.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S104.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people )
S105.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people )
S106.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( ill* )
S107.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( ill* )
S108.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S109.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S110.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S6 OR S7 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S37 OR S38
S111.	S5 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33 OR S34 OR S35 OR S36
S112.	S39 AND S40
S113.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")

S114.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S115.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S116.	S42 OR S43 OR S44
S117.	S41 AND S45
S118.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S119.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S120.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S121.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S122.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S123.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S124.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S125.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S126.	S47 OR S48 OR 49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52 OR S53 OR S54
S127.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S128.	S41 AND S55 AND S56
S129.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S130.	S41 AND S58
S131.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S132.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S133.	S60 OR S61
S134.	S57 OR S59 OR 62
S135.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S136.	MDT OR IDT
S137.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S138.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S139.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S140.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S141.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S142.	MH Case Management
S143.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S144.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S145.	S64 OR S65 OR S66 OR S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73
S146.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
S147.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees

S148.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
S149.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
S150.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
S151.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
S152.	S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80
S153.	S41 AND S74 AND S81
S154.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S155.	(MH "Charities")
S156.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S157.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S158.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S159.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S160.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S161.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S162.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S163.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S164.	remote consultation
S165.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S166.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S167.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S168.	home based versus hospital based
S169.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S170.	home hospitali?ation
S171.	home care service*
S172.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S173.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S174.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S175.	social care
S176.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S177.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S178.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S179.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S180.	S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92 OR S93 OR S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99 OR S100 OR S101 OR S102 OR S103 OR S104 OR S105 OR S106 OR S107 OR S108
S181.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S182.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")

S183.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over* ) )
S184.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over* ) )
S185.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S186.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S187.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S188.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S189.	S110 OR S111 OR S112 OR S113 OR S114 OR S115 OR S116 OR S117
S190.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S191.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S192.	S119 OR S120
S193.	S41 AND (S74 OR S109 OR S118 OR S121)
S194.	S46 OR S63 OR S82 OR S122

#### PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms

6.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
7.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
8.	1 and 2
9.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
10.	3 and 4

#### HMIC (Ovid) search terms

21.	exp End of life care/
22.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
23.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
24.	life limit*.ti,ab.
25.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
26.	EOLC.ti,ab.
27.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
28.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
29.	or/2-8

30.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
31.	9 not 10
32.	limit 11 to English
33.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
34.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
35.	13 or 14
36.	12 not 15
37.	euthanasia/
38.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
39.	17 or 18
40.	16 not 19

#### SPP (Ovid) search terms

22.	palliat*.ti,ab.
23.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
24.	life limit*.ti,ab.
25.	hospice*.ti,ab.
26.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
27.	living will*.ti,ab.
28.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
29.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
30.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
31.	EOLC.ti,ab.
32.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
33.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
34.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
35.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
36.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
37.	or/1-15
38.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
39.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
40.	17 not 18
41.	16 not 19
42.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

#### ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms

2.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability
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	nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs") OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab((attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab((end N/2 life) or ti,ab((EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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### 1.2.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 4: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

101.	Palliative care/
102.	Terminal care/
103.	Hospice care/
104.	palliat*.ti,ab.

105.	Terminally III/
106.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
107.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
108.	life limit*.ti,ab.
109.	Nursing Homes/
110.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
111.	Respite Care/
112.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
113.	Hospices/
114.	hospice*.ti,ab.
115.	exp Advance Care Planning/
116.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
117.	living will*.ti,ab.
118.	*Patient care planning/
119.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
120.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
121.	*Attitude to Death/
122.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
123.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
124.	*Long-Term Care/
125.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
126.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
127.	EOLC.ti,ab.
128.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
129.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
130.	or/1-29
131.	letter/
132.	editorial/
133.	news/
134.	exp historical article/
135.	Anecdotes as Topic/
136.	comment/
137.	case report/
138.	(letter or comment*).ti.
139.	or/31-38
140.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
141.	39 not 40
142.	animals/ not humans/
143.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
144.	exp Animal Experimentation/
145.	exp Models, Animal/
146.	exp Rodentia/
147.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
148.	or/41-47

149.	30 not 48
150.	limit 49 to English language
151.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
152.	50 not 51
153.	economics/
154.	value of life/
155.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
156.	exp Economics, Hospital/
157.	exp Economics, medical/
158.	Economics, nursing/
159.	economics, pharmaceutical/
160.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
161.	exp budgets/
162.	budget*.ti,ab.
163.	cost*.ti.
164.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
165.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
166.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
167.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
168.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
169.	or/53-68
170.	exp models, economic/
171.	*Models, Theoretical/
172.	*Models, Organizational/
173.	markov chains/
174.	monte carlo method/
175.	exp Decision Theory/
176.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
177.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
178.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
179.	or/70-78
180.	quality-adjusted life years/
181.	sickness impact profile/
182.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
183.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
184.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
185.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
186.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
187.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or hr qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
188.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
189.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
190.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
191.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
192.	rosser.ti,ab.

193.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
194.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
195.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
196.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
197.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
198.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
199.	or/80-98
200.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

100.	*Palliative therapy/
101.	*Terminal care/
102.	*Hospice care/
103.	palliat*.ti,ab.
104.	*Terminally ill patient/
105.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
106.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
107.	life limit*.ti,ab.
108.	*Nursing home/
109.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
110.	*Respite Care/
111.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
112.	*Hospice/
113.	hospice*.ti,ab.
114.	*Patient care planning/
115.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
116.	living will*.ti,ab.
117.	*Patient care/
118.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
119.	*Attitude to Death/
120.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
121.	*Doctor patient relation/
122.	*Long term care/
123.	*Health care delivery/
124.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
125.	EOLC.ti,ab.
126.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
127.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
128.	or/1-28
129.	letter.pt. or letter/
130.	note.pt.
131.	editorial.pt.

132.	case report/ or case study/
133.	(letter or comment*).ti.
134.	or/30-34
135.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
136.	35 not 36
137.	animal/ not human/
138.	nonhuman/
139.	exp Animal Experiment/
140.	exp Experimental Animal/
141.	animal model/
142.	exp Rodent/
143.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
144.	or/37-44
145.	29 not 45
146.	limit 46 to English language
147.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
148.	47 not 48
149.	health economics/
150.	exp economic evaluation/
151.	exp health care cost/
152.	exp fee/
153.	budget/
154.	funding/
155.	budget*.ti,ab.
156.	cost*.ti.
157.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
158.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
159.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
160.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
161.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
162.	or/50-62
163.	statistical model/
164.	exp economic aspect/
165.	64 and 65
166.	*theoretical model/
167.	*nonbiological model/
168.	stochastic model/
169.	decision theory/
170.	decision tree/
171.	monte carlo method/

172.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
173.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
174.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
175.	or/66-75
176.	quality-adjusted life years/
177.	"quality of life index"/
178.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
179.	sickness impact profile/
180.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
181.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
182.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
183.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
184.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
185.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
186.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
187.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
188.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
189.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
190.	rosser.ti,ab.
191.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
192.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
193.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
194.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
195.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
196.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
197.	or/77-97
198.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

#### NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms

#33.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#34.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#35.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#36.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#37.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally III IN NHSEED,HTA
#38.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#39.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#40.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#41.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#42.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#43.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#44.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#45.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA

#46.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#47.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#48.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#49.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#50.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#51.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#52.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#53.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#54.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#55.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#56.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#57.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#58.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#59.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#60.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#61.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#62.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#63.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#64.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life care search strategy 3

This literature search strategy was used for the following reviews;

## **1.3 Barriers to accessing end of life care services**

## **1.4 Barriers involving carers**

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### **1.4.1 Clinical search literature search strategy**

Searches for patient views were run in Medline (OVID), Embase (OVID), CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO) and PsycINFO (ProQuest). Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 5: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (OVID)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (OVID)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Publication Type: Clinical Trial, Journal Article, Meta Analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Systematic Review: Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

### **Medline (Ovid) search terms**

245.	Palliative care/
246.	Terminal care/
247.	Hospice care/
248.	palliat*.ti,ab.
249.	Terminally ill/
250.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
251.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
252.	life limit*.ti,ab.
253.	Nursing Homes/
254.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
255.	Respite Care/
256.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
257.	Hospices/
258.	hospice*.ti,ab.
259.	*Patient care planning/
260.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
261.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
262.	*Attitude to Death/
263.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
264.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
265.	*Long-Term Care/
266.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
267.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
268.	EOLC.ti,ab.
269.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
270.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
271.	or/1-26
272.	letter/
273.	editorial/
274.	news/
275.	exp historical article/
276.	Anecdotes as Topic/
277.	comment/
278.	case report/
279.	(letter or comment*).ti.
280.	or/28-35
281.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
282.	36 not 37
283.	animals/ not humans/
284.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
285.	exp Animal Experimentation/
286.	exp Models, Animal/
287.	exp Rodentia/
288.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
289.	or/38-44

290.	27 not 45
291.	limit 46 to English language
292.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
293.	47 not 48
294.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
295.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
296.	Critical Pathways/
297.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
298.	Patient Care Bundles/
299.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
300.	or/50-55
301.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
302.	49 and 56 and 57
303.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
304.	49 and 59
305.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
306.	58 or 60 or 61
307.	patient care team/
308.	interdisciplinary communication/
309.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
310.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
311.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
312.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
313.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
314.	*Case Management/
315.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
316.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
317.	Or/63-72
318.	"referral and consultation"/
319.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
320.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
321.	or/74-76
322.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
323.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
324.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education,

	Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
325.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
326.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
327.	exp remote consultation/
328.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
329.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
330.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
331.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
332.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
333.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
334.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
335.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
336.	exp Home Care Agencies/
337.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
338.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
339.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
340.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
341.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
342.	or/78-97
343.	Caregivers/
344.	Spouses/
345.	Family/
346.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
347.	Or/99-102
348.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
349.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
350.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)).ti,ab.
351.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
352.	Self-Help Groups/
353.	exp social support/
354.	Counseling/
355.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
356.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.

357.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
358.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
359.	or/104-114
360.	49 and 103 and 115
361.	49 and (73 or 77 or 98)
362.	62 or 116 or 117

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

243.	*Palliative therapy/
244.	*Terminal care/
245.	*Hospice care/
246.	palliat*.ti,ab.
247.	*Terminally ill patient/
248.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
249.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
250.	life limit*.ti,ab.
251.	*Nursing home/
252.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
253.	*Respite Care/
254.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
255.	*Hospice/
256.	hospice*.ti,ab.
257.	*Patient care planning/
258.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
259.	*Patient care/
260.	*Attitude to Death/
261.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
262.	*Doctor patient relation/
263.	*Long term care/
264.	*Health care delivery/
265.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
266.	EOLC.ti,ab.
267.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
268.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
269.	or/1-26
270.	letter.pt. or letter/
271.	note.pt.
272.	editorial.pt.
273.	case report/ or case study/
274.	(letter or comment*).ti.
275.	or/28-32

276.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
277.	33 not 34
278.	animal/ not human/
279.	nonhuman/
280.	exp Animal Experiment/
281.	exp Experimental Animal/
282.	animal model/
283.	exp Rodent/
284.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
285.	or/35-42
286.	27 not 43
287.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
288.	44 not 45
289.	limit 46 to English language
290.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
291.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
292.	*Clinical Pathway/
293.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
294.	*Care Bundle/
295.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
296.	or/48-53
297.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
298.	47 and 54 and 55
299.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
300.	47 and 57
301.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
302.	56 or 58 or 59
303.	interdisciplinary communication/
304.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
305.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
306.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
307.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
308.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
309.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
310.	*Case Management/
311.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
312.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.

313.	Or/61-70
314.	exp patient referral/
315.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
316.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
317.	or/72-74
318.	*social welfare/
319.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
320.	*senior center/
321.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
322.	*teleconsultation/
323.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
324.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
325.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
326.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
327.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
328.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
329.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
330.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
331.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
332.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
333.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
334.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
335.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
336.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
337.	or/76-94
338.	*Caregiver/
339.	*Spouse/
340.	*Family/
341.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
342.	Or/96-99
343.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
344.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
345.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
346.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
347.	*Self-Help/
348.	*Social support/

349.	*Counseling/
350.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
351.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
352.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
353.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
354.	or/101-111
355.	47 and 100 and 112
356.	47 and (71 or 75 or 95)
357.	60 or 113 or 114

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#212.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#213.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#214.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#215.	palliat*:ti,ab
#216.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally III] this term only
#217.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#218.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#219.	life limit*:ti,ab
#220.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#221.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#222.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#223.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#224.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#225.	hospice*:ti,ab
#226.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#227.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#228.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#229.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#230.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#231.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#232.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#233.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#234.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#235.	EOLC:ti,ab
#236.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#237.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#238.	(or #1-#26)
#239.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#240.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab

#241.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#242.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#243.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#244.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#245.	(or #28-#33)
#246.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#247.	#27 and #34 and #35
#248.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#249.	#27 and #37
#250.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#251.	#36 or #38 or #39
#252.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#253.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#254.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#255.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#256.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#257.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#258.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#259.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#260.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#261.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#262.	(or #41-#50 )
#263.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#264.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab
#265.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#266.	(or #52-#54 )
#267.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#268.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#269.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#270.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#271.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#272.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#273.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#274.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#275.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#276.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#277.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#278.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab

#279.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit* ) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#280.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#281.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#282.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#283.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#284.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#285.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#286.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#287.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#288.	(social care):ti,ab
#289.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#290.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#291.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#292.	(or #56-#80)
#293.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#294.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#295.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#296.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#297.	(or #82-#85)
#298.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#299.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#300.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#301.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#302.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#303.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#304.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#305.	(counseling or counselling*):ti,ab
#306.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#307.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#308.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew* ) near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#309.	(or #87-#97)
#310.	#27 and #86 and #98
#311.	#27 and (#51 or #55 or #81)
#312.	#40 or #99 or #100

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S195.	MH Palliative care
S196.	MH Terminal care
S197.	MH Hospice care
S198.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S199.	MW Terminally ill
S200.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S201.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S202.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S203.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S204.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S205.	MH Nursing homes
S206.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S207.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S208.	MH Respite care
S209.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S210.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S211.	MH Hospices
S212.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S213.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S214.	MH Attitude to Death
S215.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S216.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S217.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S218.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S219.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S220.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S221.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S222.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S223.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S224.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S225.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S226.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S227.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S228.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33
S229.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S230.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S231.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S232.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S233.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S234.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*

S235.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S236.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S237.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42
S238.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S239.	S34 AND S43 AND S44
S240.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S241.	S34 AND S46
S242.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S243.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S244.	S48 OR S49
S245.	S45 OR S47 OR S50
S246.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S247.	MDT OR IDT
S248.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S249.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S250.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S251.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S252.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S253.	MH Case Management
S254.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S255.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S256.	S52 OR S53 OR S54 OR S55 OR S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61
S257.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")
S258.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S259.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S260.	S63 OR S64 OR S65
S261.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S262.	(MH "Charities")
S263.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S264.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S265.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S266.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S267.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S268.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")

S269.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S270.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S271.	remote consultation
S272.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S273.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S274.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S275.	home based versus hospital based
S276.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S277.	home hospitali?ation
S278.	home care service*
S279.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S280.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S281.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S282.	social care
S283.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S284.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S285.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S286.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n1 nurs*)
S287.	S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73 OR S74 OR S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92
S288.	S34 AND (S62 OR S66 OR S93)
S289.	S51 OR S94

#### PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms

11.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
12.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
13.	1 and 2
14.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
15.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

41.	exp End of life care/
42.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
43.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
44.	life limit*.ti,ab.
45.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
46.	EOLC.ti,ab.
47.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
48.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
49.	or/2-8
50.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
51.	9 not 10
52.	limit 11 to English
53.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
54.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or party or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
55.	13 or 14
56.	12 not 15
57.	euthanasia/
58.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
59.	17 or 18
60.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

43.	palliat*.ti,ab.
44.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
45.	life limit*.ti,ab.
46.	hospice*.ti,ab.
47.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
48.	living will*.ti,ab.
49.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
50.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
51.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
52.	EOLC.ti,ab.
53.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
54.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
55.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
56.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
57.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
58.	or/1-15
59.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
60.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
61.	17 not 18
62.	16 not 19

63.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)
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**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

3.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(altitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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#### End of life Care search strategy 4

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## 1.5 Coordinator and Lead Healthcare Professional

## 1.6 Multi-professional team composition

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.6.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 6: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Human; Age Groups: Adult: 19-44 years, Middle Aged: 45-64 years, Aged: 65+ years, Aged, 80 and over, All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

363.	Palliative care/
364.	Terminal care/
365.	Hospice care/
366.	palliat*.ti,ab.
367.	Terminally ill/
368.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
369.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
370.	life limit*.ti,ab.
371.	Nursing Homes/
372.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
373.	Respite Care/
374.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
375.	Hospices/
376.	hospice*.ti,ab.
377.	*Patient care planning/
378.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
379.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
380.	*Attitude to Death/
381.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
382.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
383.	*Long-Term Care/
384.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
385.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
386.	EOLC.ti,ab.
387.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
388.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
389.	or/1-26
390.	letter/
391.	editorial/
392.	news/
393.	exp historical article/
394.	Anecdotes as Topic/
395.	comment/
396.	case report/
397.	(letter or comment*).ti.
398.	or/28-35
399.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
400.	36 not 37
401.	animals/ not humans/
402.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
403.	exp Animal Experimentation/
404.	exp Models, Animal/
405.	exp Rodentia/
406.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.

407.	or/38-44
408.	27 not 45
409.	limit 46 to English language
410.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
411.	47 not 48
412.	patient care team/
413.	interdisciplinary communication/
414.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
415.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
416.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
417.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
418.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
419.	*Case Management/
420.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
421.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
422.	Or/50-59
423.	49 and 60
424.	interdisciplinary communication/
425.	exp Communication Barriers/
426.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
427.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
428.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
429.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
430.	Or/74-79
431.	49 and 60 and 68
432.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
433.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
434.	Critical Pathways/
435.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
436.	Patient Care Bundles/
437.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
438.	or/70-75
439.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
440.	49 and 76 and 77
441.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
442.	49 and 79

443.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
444.	78 or 80 or 81
445.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
446.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
447.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
448.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
449.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
450.	exp remote consultation/
451.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
452.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
453.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
454.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
455.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
456.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
457.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
458.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
459.	exp Home Care Agencies/
460.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
461.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
462.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
463.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
464.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
465.	Or/83-102
466.	"Continuity of Patient Care"/
467.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
468.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
469.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)).ti,ab.
470.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
471.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
472.	Or/104-109
473.	exp Advance Care Planning/
474.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.

475.	living will*.ti,ab.
476.	or/111-113
477.	After-Hours Care/
478.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
479.	rapid response.ti,ab.
480.	Hospital Rapid Response Team/
481.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
482.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
483.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
484.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
485.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
486.	exp telemedicine/
487.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
488.	hotlines/
489.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
490.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
491.	Or/115-128
492.	Caregivers/
493.	Spouses/
494.	Family/
495.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
496.	Or/130-133
497.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
498.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
499.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
500.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
501.	Self-Help Groups/
502.	exp social support/
503.	Counseling/
504.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
505.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
506.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
507.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or

	brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
508.	or/125-145
509.	49 and 134 and 146
510.	49 and (103 or 110 or 114 or 129)
511.	61 or 69 or 82 or 147 or 148

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

358.	*Palliative therapy/
359.	*Terminal care/
360.	*Hospice care/
361.	palliat*.ti,ab.
362.	*Terminally ill patient/
363.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
364.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
365.	life limit*.ti,ab.
366.	*Nursing home/
367.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
368.	*Respite Care/
369.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
370.	*Hospice/
371.	hospice*.ti,ab.
372.	*Patient care planning/
373.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
374.	*Patient care/
375.	*Attitude to Death/
376.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
377.	*Doctor patient relation/
378.	*Long term care/
379.	*Health care delivery/
380.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
381.	EOLC.ti,ab.
382.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
383.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
384.	or/1-26
385.	letter.pt. or letter/
386.	note.pt.
387.	editorial.pt.
388.	case report/ or case study/
389.	(letter or comment*).ti.
390.	or/28-32
391.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
392.	33 not 34
393.	animal/ not human/

394.	nonhuman/
395.	exp Animal Experiment/
396.	exp Experimental Animal/
397.	animal model/
398.	exp Rodent/
399.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
400.	or/35-42
401.	27 not 43
402.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
403.	44 not 45
404.	limit 46 to English language
405.	interdisciplinary communication/
406.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
407.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
408.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
409.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
410.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
411.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
412.	*Case Management/
413.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
414.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
415.	Or/50-57
416.	47 and 58
417.	interdisciplinary communication/
418.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
419.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
420.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
421.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
422.	Or/60-64
423.	47 and 58 and 65
424.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
425.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
426.	*Clinical Pathway/
427.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
428.	*Care Bundle/
429.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.

430.	or/67-72
431.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
432.	47 and 73 and 74
433.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
434.	47 and 76
435.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
436.	75 or 77 or 78
437.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
438.	living will*.ti,ab.
439.	80 or 81
440.	*Caregiver/
441.	*Spouse/
442.	*Family/
443.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
444.	Or/83-86
445.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
446.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
447.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
448.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
449.	*Self-Help/
450.	*Social support/
451.	*Counseling/
452.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
453.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
454.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
455.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
456.	or/88-98
457.	47 and 87 and 99
458.	*social welfare/
459.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
460.	*senior center/
461.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
462.	*teleconsultation/
463.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
464.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite

	care/ or *visiting nursing service/
465.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
466.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
467.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
468.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
469.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
470.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
471.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
472.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
473.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
474.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
475.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
476.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
477.	Or/101-119
478.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/
479.	*aftercare/
480.	*hospital discharge/
481.	*clinical handover/
482.	*transitional care/
483.	*patient care planning/
484.	*medical record/
485.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)).ti,ab.
486.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
487.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
488.	Or/121-130
489.	(after hours care or after-hours care).ti,ab.
490.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)).ti,ab.
491.	rapid response.ti,ab.
492.	rapid response team/
493.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
494.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
495.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
496.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
497.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
498.	exp telehealth/

499.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
500.	telephone/
501.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
502.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
503.	or/132-145
504.	47 and (82 or 120 or 131 or 146)
505.	59 or 66 or 79 or 100 or 147

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#313.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#314.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#315.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#316.	palliat*:ti,ab
#317.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally ill] this term only
#318.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#319.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#320.	life limit*:ti,ab
#321.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#322.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#323.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#324.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#325.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#326.	hospice*:ti,ab
#327.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#328.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#329.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#330.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#331.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#332.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#333.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#334.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#335.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#336.	EOLC:ti,ab
#337.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#338.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#339.	(or #1-#26)
#340.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#341.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#342.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab

#343.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#344.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#345.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#346.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#347.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#348.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#349.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#350.	(or #28-#37)
#351.	#27 and #38
#352.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#353.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#354.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#355.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
#356.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
#357.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#358.	(or #40-#45)
#359.	#27 and #38 and #46
#360.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#361.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#362.	living will*:ti,ab
#363.	(or #48-#50)
#364.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#365.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#366.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#367.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#368.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#369.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#370.	(or #52-#57)
#371.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#372.	#27 and #58 and #59
#373.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#374.	#27 and #61
#375.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#376.	#60 or #62 or #63
#377.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#378.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#379.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#380.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#381.	(or #65-68)

#382.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#383.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#384.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#385.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#386.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#387.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#388.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#389.	(counseling or counselling*):ti,ab
#390.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#391.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#392.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew* ) near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#393.	(or #70 -#60)
#394.	#27 and #69 and #81
#395.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#396.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#397.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#398.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#399.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#400.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#401.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#402.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#403.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#404.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#405.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#406.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#407.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit* ) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#408.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#409.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#410.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#411.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#412.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#413.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#414.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#415.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#416.	(social care):ti,ab
#417.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees

#418.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#419.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#420.	(Or #83-#107)
#421.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#422.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#423.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#424.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#425.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#426.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#427.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#428.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#429.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#430.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#431.	(or #109-#118)
#432.	MeSH descriptor: [After-Hours Care] explode all trees
#433.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) near/3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)):ti,ab
#434.	rapid next response:ti,ab
#435.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospital Rapid Response Team] explode all trees
#436.	medical next emergency next team*:ti,ab
#437.	(hospital* near/2 home*):ti,ab
#438.	hospital next at next night:ti,ab
#439.	(NHS next (111 or 24 or direct)):ti,ab
#440.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#441.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health):ti,ab
#442.	MeSH descriptor: [Hotlines] explode all trees
#443.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*):ti,ab
#444.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) near/3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)):ti,ab
#445.	(or #120-#132)
#446.	#27 and (#51 or #108 or #119 or #133)
#447.	#39 or #47 or #64 or #82 or #134

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S290.	MH Palliative care
S291.	MH Terminal care
S292.	MH Hospice care
S293.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*

S294.	MW Terminally ill
S295.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S296.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S297.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S298.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S299.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S300.	MH Nursing homes
S301.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S302.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S303.	MH Respite care
S304.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S305.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S306.	MH Hospices
S307.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S308.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S309.	MH Attitude to Death
S310.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S311.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S312.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S313.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S314.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S315.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S316.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S317.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S318.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S319.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S320.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S321.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S322.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S323.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33
S324.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S325.	MDT OR IDT
S326.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S327.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S328.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S329.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S330.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1

	profession* ) )
S331.	MH Case Management
S332.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S333.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*))
S334.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42 OR S43 OR S44
S335.	S34 AND S45
S336.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
S337.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
S338.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
S339.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
S340.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
S341.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
S342.	S47 OR S48 OR S49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52
S343.	S34 AND S45 AND S53
S344.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S345.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S346.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S347.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S348.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S349.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S350.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S351.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S352.	S55 OR S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61 OR S62
S353.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S354.	S34 AND S63 AND S64
S355.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S356.	S34 AND S66
S357.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S358.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S359.	S68 OR S69
S360.	S65 OR S67 OR S70
S361.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S362.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S363.	S72 OR S73
S364.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S365.	(MH "Charities")
S366.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S367.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S368.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")

S369.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S370.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S371.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S372.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S373.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S374.	remote consultation
S375.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S376.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S377.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S378.	home based versus hospital based
S379.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S380.	home hospitali?ation
S381.	home care service*
S382.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S383.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S384.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S385.	social care
S386.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S387.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S388.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S389.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S390.	S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92 OR S93 OR S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99 OR S100
S391.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S392.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S393.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S394.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S395.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S396.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S397.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S398.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S399.	S102 OR S103 OR S104 OR S105 OR S106 OR S107 OR S108 OR S109
S400.	out of hours care

S401.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) n3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*))
S402.	rapid response
S403.	(critical care n2 outreach) OR medical emergency team* OR (hospital* n2 home*) OR hospital at night
S404.	NHS 111 OR NHS 24 OR NHS Direct
S405.	(MH "Telemedicine") OR (MH "Telehealth")
S406.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health)
S407.	(MH "Telephone Information Services")
S408.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*)
S409.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) n3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*))
S410.	S111 OR S112 OR S113 OR S114 OR S115 OR S116 OR S117 OR S118 OR S119 OR S120
S411.	S34 AND (S74 OR S101 OR S110 OR S121)
S412.	S46 OR S54 OR S71 OR S122

#### PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms

16.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
17.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
18.	1 and 2
19.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
20.	3 and 4

#### HMIC (Ovid) search terms

61.	exp End of life care/
62.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
63.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
64.	life limit*.ti,ab.
65.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.

66.	EOLC.ti,ab.
67.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
68.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
69.	or/2-8
70.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
71.	9 not 10
72.	limit 11 to English
73.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
74.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
75.	13 or 14
76.	12 not 15
77.	euthanasia/
78.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
79.	17 or 18
80.	16 not 19

#### SPP (Ovid) search terms

64.	palliat*.ti,ab.
65.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
66.	life limit*.ti,ab.
67.	hospice*.ti,ab.
68.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
69.	living will*.ti,ab.
70.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
71.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
72.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
73.	EOLC.ti,ab.
74.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
75.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
76.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
77.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
78.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
79.	or/1-15
80.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
81.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
82.	17 not 18
83.	16 not 19
84.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

#### ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms

4.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR
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	"Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs") OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab((attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab((end N/2 life) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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## 1.6.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 7: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

### Medline (Ovid) search terms

201.	Palliative care/
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202.	Terminal care/
203.	Hospice care/
204.	palliat*.ti,ab.
205.	Terminally III/
206.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
207.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
208.	life limit*.ti,ab.
209.	Nursing Homes/
210.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
211.	Respite Care/
212.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
213.	Hospices/
214.	hospice*.ti,ab.
215.	exp Advance Care Planning/
216.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
217.	living will*.ti,ab.
218.	*Patient care planning/
219.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
220.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
221.	*Attitude to Death/
222.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
223.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
224.	*Long-Term Care/
225.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
226.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
227.	EOLC.ti,ab.
228.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
229.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
230.	or/1-29
231.	letter/
232.	editorial/
233.	news/
234.	exp historical article/
235.	Anecdotes as Topic/
236.	comment/
237.	case report/
238.	(letter or comment*).ti.
239.	or/31-38
240.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
241.	39 not 40
242.	animals/ not humans/
243.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
244.	exp Animal Experimentation/
245.	exp Models, Animal/

246.	exp Rodentia/
247.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
248.	or/41-47
249.	30 not 48
250.	limit 49 to English language
251.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
252.	50 not 51
253.	economics/
254.	value of life/
255.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
256.	exp Economics, Hospital/
257.	exp Economics, medical/
258.	Economics, nursing/
259.	economics, pharmaceutical/
260.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
261.	exp budgets/
262.	budget*.ti,ab.
263.	cost*.ti.
264.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
265.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
266.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
267.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
268.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
269.	or/53-68
270.	exp models, economic/
271.	*Models, Theoretical/
272.	*Models, Organizational/
273.	markov chains/
274.	monte carlo method/
275.	exp Decision Theory/
276.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
277.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
278.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
279.	or/70-78
280.	quality-adjusted life years/
281.	sickness impact profile/
282.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
283.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
284.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
285.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
286.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
287.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
288.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
289.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.

290.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
291.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
292.	rosser.ti,ab.
293.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
294.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
295.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
296.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
297.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
298.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
299.	or/80-98
300.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

199.	*Palliative therapy/
200.	*Terminal care/
201.	*Hospice care/
202.	palliat*.ti,ab.
203.	*Terminally ill patient/
204.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
205.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
206.	life limit*.ti,ab.
207.	*Nursing home/
208.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
209.	*Respite Care/
210.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
211.	*Hospice/
212.	hospice*.ti,ab.
213.	*Patient care planning/
214.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
215.	living will*.ti,ab.
216.	*Patient care/
217.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
218.	*Attitude to Death/
219.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
220.	*Doctor patient relation/
221.	*Long term care/
222.	*Health care delivery/
223.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
224.	EOLC.ti,ab.
225.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
226.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
227.	or/1-28

228.	letter.pt. or letter/
229.	note.pt.
230.	editorial.pt.
231.	case report/ or case study/
232.	(letter or comment*).ti.
233.	or/30-34
234.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
235.	35 not 36
236.	animal/ not human/
237.	nonhuman/
238.	exp Animal Experiment/
239.	exp Experimental Animal/
240.	animal model/
241.	exp Rodent/
242.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
243.	or/37-44
244.	29 not 45
245.	limit 46 to English language
246.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
247.	47 not 48
248.	health economics/
249.	exp economic evaluation/
250.	exp health care cost/
251.	exp fee/
252.	budget/
253.	funding/
254.	budget*.ti,ab.
255.	cost*.ti.
256.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
257.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
258.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
259.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
260.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
261.	or/50-62
262.	statistical model/
263.	exp economic aspect/
264.	64 and 65
265.	*theoretical model/
266.	*nonbiological model/
267.	stochastic model/

268.	decision theory/
269.	decision tree/
270.	monte carlo method/
271.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
272.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
273.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
274.	or/66-75
275.	quality-adjusted life years/
276.	"quality of life index"/
277.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
278.	sickness impact profile/
279.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
280.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
281.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
282.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
283.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
284.	(qol* or hq1* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
285.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
286.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
287.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
288.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
289.	rosser.ti,ab.
290.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
291.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
292.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
293.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
294.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
295.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
296.	or/77-97
297.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#65.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#66.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#67.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#68.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#69.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally ILL IN NHSEED,HTA
#70.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#71.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#72.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#73.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#74.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA

#75.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#76.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#77.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#78.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#79.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#80.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#81.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#82.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#83.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#84.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#85.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#86.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#87.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#88.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#89.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#90.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#91.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#92.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#93.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#94.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#95.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#96.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 5

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## 1.7 Advanced Care Planning

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.7.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches for were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 8: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Human; Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

### Medline (Ovid) search terms

512.	Palliative care/
513.	Terminal care/
514.	Hospice care/

515.	palliat*.ti,ab.
516.	Terminally ill/
517.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
518.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
519.	life limit*.ti,ab.
520.	Nursing Homes/
521.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
522.	Respite Care/
523.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
524.	Hospices/
525.	hospice*.ti,ab.
526.	*Patient care planning/
527.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
528.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
529.	*Attitude to Death/
530.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
531.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
532.	*Long-Term Care/
533.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
534.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
535.	EOLC.ti,ab.
536.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
537.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
538.	or/1-26
539.	letter/
540.	editorial/
541.	news/
542.	exp historical article/
543.	Anecdotes as Topic/
544.	comment/
545.	case report/
546.	(letter or comment*).ti.
547.	or/28-35
548.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
549.	36 not 37
550.	animals/ not humans/
551.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
552.	exp Animal Experimentation/
553.	exp Models, Animal/
554.	exp Rodentia/
555.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
556.	or/38-44
557.	27 not 45
558.	limit 46 to English language
559.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp

	middle age/ or exp aged/)
560.	47 not 48
561.	exp Advance Care Planning/
562.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
563.	living will*.ti,ab.
564.	or/50-52
565.	49 and 53
566.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
567.	49 and 55
568.	54 not 56
569.	patient care team/
570.	interdisciplinary communication/
571.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
572.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
573.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
574.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
575.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
576.	*Case Management/
577.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
578.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
579.	Or/58-67
580.	interdisciplinary communication/
581.	exp Communication Barriers/
582.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
583.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
584.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
585.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
586.	Or/69-74
587.	49 and 68 and 75
588.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
589.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
590.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
591.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]

592.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
593.	exp remote consultation/
594.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
595.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
596.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
597.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
598.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
599.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
600.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
601.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
602.	exp Home Care Agencies/
603.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
604.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
605.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
606.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
607.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*).ti,ab.
608.	Or/77-96
609.	After-Hours Care/
610.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
611.	rapid response.ti,ab.
612.	Hospital Rapid Response Team/
613.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
614.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
615.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
616.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
617.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
618.	exp telemedicine/
619.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
620.	hotlines/
621.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
622.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
623.	Or/98-111

624.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
625.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
626.	Critical Pathways/
627.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
628.	Or/113-116
629.	49 and 117
630.	Patient Care Bundles/
631.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
632.	or/117-118
633.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
634.	49 and 121 and 122
635.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
636.	49 and 124
637.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
638.	123 or 125 or 126
639.	118 not 127
640.	49 and (68 or 97 or 112)
641.	57 or 76 or 128 or 129

#### Embase (Ovid) search terms

506.	*Palliative therapy/
507.	*Terminal care/
508.	*Hospice care/
509.	palliat*.ti,ab.
510.	*Terminally ill patient/
511.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
512.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
513.	life limit*.ti,ab.
514.	*Nursing home/
515.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
516.	*Respite Care/
517.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
518.	*Hospice/
519.	hospice*.ti,ab.
520.	*Patient care planning/
521.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
522.	*Patient care/
523.	*Attitude to Death/
524.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
525.	*Doctor patient relation/
526.	*Long term care/
527.	*Health care delivery/
528.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
529.	EOLC.ti,ab.

530.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
531.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
532.	or/1-26
533.	letter.pt. or letter/
534.	note.pt.
535.	editorial.pt.
536.	case report/ or case study/
537.	(letter or comment*).ti.
538.	or/28-32
539.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
540.	33 not 34
541.	animal/ not human/
542.	nonhuman/
543.	exp Animal Experiment/
544.	exp Experimental Animal/
545.	animal model/
546.	exp Rodent/
547.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
548.	or/35-42
549.	27 not 43
550.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
551.	44 not 45
552.	limit 46 to English language
553.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
554.	living will*.ti,ab.
555.	48 or 49
556.	47 and 50
557.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
558.	47 and 52
559.	51 not 53
560.	interdisciplinary communication/
561.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
562.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
563.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
564.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
565.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
566.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
567.	*Case Management/

568.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
569.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
570.	Or/55-64
571.	interdisciplinary communication/
572.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
573.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
574.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
575.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
576.	Or/66-70
577.	47 and 65 and 71
578.	*social welfare/
579.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
580.	*senior center/
581.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
582.	*teleconsultation/
583.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
584.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
585.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
586.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
587.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
588.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
589.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
590.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
591.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
592.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
593.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
594.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
595.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
596.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriateness* or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
597.	Or/73-91
598.	(after hours care or after-hours care).ti,ab.
599.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
600.	rapid response.ti,ab.
601.	rapid response team/
602.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.

603.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
604.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
605.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
606.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
607.	exp telehealth/
608.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
609.	telephone/
610.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
611.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)).ti,ab.
612.	or/93-106
613.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
614.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
615.	*Clinical Pathway/
616.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
617.	Or/108-111
618.	*Care Bundle/
619.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
620.	or/113-114
621.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
622.	47 and 115 and 116
623.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
624.	47 and 118
625.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
626.	117 or 119 or 120
627.	47 and 112
628.	122 not 121
629.	47 and (65 or 92 or 107)
630.	54 or 74 or 123 or 124

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#448.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#449.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#450.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#451.	palliat*:ti,ab
#452.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#453.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#454.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#455.	life limit*:ti,ab
#456.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#457.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#458.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only

#459.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#460.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#461.	hospice*:ti,ab
#462.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#463.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#464.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#465.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#466.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#467.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#468.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#469.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#470.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#471.	EOLC:ti,ab
#472.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#473.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#474.	(or #1-#26)
#475.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#476.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#477.	living will*:ti,ab
#478.	(or #28-#30)
#479.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#480.	#27 and #32
#481.	#31 not #32
#482.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#483.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#484.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#485.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#486.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#487.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#488.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#489.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#490.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#491.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#492.	(or #35-#44)
#493.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#494.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#495.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#496.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
#497.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab

#498.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#499.	(or #46-#51)
#500.	#27 and #45 and #52
#501.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#502.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#503.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#504.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#505.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#506.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#507.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#508.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#509.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#510.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#511.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#512.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#513.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#514.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#515.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#516.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#517.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#518.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#519.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#520.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#521.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#522.	(social care):ti,ab
#523.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#524.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#525.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#526.	(Or #54-#78)
#527.	MeSH descriptor: [After-Hours Care] explode all trees
#528.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) near/3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)):ti,ab
#529.	rapid next response:ti,ab
#530.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospital Rapid Response Team] explode all trees
#531.	medical next emergency next team*:ti,ab
#532.	(hospital* near/2 home*):ti,ab
#533.	hospital next at next night:ti,ab
#534.	(NHS next (111 or 24 or direct)):ti,ab
#535.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only

#536.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health):ti,ab
#537.	MeSH descriptor: [Hotlines] explode all trees
#538.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*):ti,ab
#539.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) near/3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)):ti,ab
#540.	(or #80-#92)
#541.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#542.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#543.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#544.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#545.	(or #94-97)
#546.	#27 and #98
#547.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#548.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#549.	(or #100-#101)
#550.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#551.	#27 and #102 and #103
#552.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#553.	#27 and #105
#554.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#555.	#104 or #106 or #107
#556.	#99 not #108
#557.	#27 and (#45 or #79 or #93)
#558.	#34 or #53 or #109 or #110

#### CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms

S413.	MH Palliative care
S414.	MH Terminal care
S415.	MH Hospice care
S416.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S417.	MW Terminally ill
S418.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S419.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S420.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S421.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S422.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S423.	MH Nursing homes
S424.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S425.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S426.	MH Respite care
S427.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S428.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )

S429.	MH Hospices
S430.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S431.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S432.	MH Attitude to Death
S433.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S434.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S435.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S436.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S437.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S438.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S439.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S440.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S441.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S442.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S443.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S444.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31
S445.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S446.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S447.	S33 OR S34
S448.	S32 and S35
S449.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S450.	MDT OR IDT
S451.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S452.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S453.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S454.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S455.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S456.	MH Case Management
S457.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S458.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S459.	S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42 OR S43 OR S44 OR S45 OR S46
S460.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
S461.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
S462.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
S463.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
S464.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab

S465.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
S466.	S48 OR S49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52 OR S53
S467.	S32 AND S47 AND S54
S468.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S469.	(MH "Charities")
S470.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S471.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S472.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S473.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S474.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S475.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S476.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S477.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S478.	remote consultation
S479.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S480.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S481.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S482.	home based versus hospital based
S483.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S484.	home hospitali?ation
S485.	home care service*
S486.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S487.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S488.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S489.	social care
S490.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S491.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S492.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S493.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S494.	S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61 OR S62 OR S63 OR S64 OR S65 OR S66 OR S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73 OR S74 OR S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81
S495.	out of hours care
S496.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) n3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*))

S497.	rapid response
S498.	(critical care n2 outreach) OR medical emergency team* OR (hospital* n2 home*) OR hospital at night
S499.	NHS 111 OR NHS 24 OR NHS Direct
S500.	(MH "Telemedicine") OR (MH "Telehealth")
S501.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health)
S502.	(MH "Telephone Information Services")
S503.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*)
S504.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) n3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*))
S505.	S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92
S506.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S507.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S508.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S509.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S510.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S511.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S512.	S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99
S513.	S32 AND S100
S514.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S515.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S516.	S102 OR S103
S517.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S518.	S32 AND S104 AND S105
S519.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S520.	S32 AND S107
S521.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S522.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S523.	S109 OR S110
S524.	S106 OR S108 OR S111
S525.	S101 NOT S112
S526.	S31 AND (S47 OR S82 OR S93)
S527.	S36 OR S55 OR S113 OR S114

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

21.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR
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	ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
22.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
23.	1 and 2
24.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
25.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

81.	exp End of life care/
82.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
83.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
84.	life limit*.ti,ab.
85.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
86.	EOLC.ti,ab.
87.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
88.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
89.	or/2-8
90.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
91.	9 not 10
92.	limit 11 to English
93.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
94.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
95.	13 or 14
96.	12 not 15
97.	euthanasia/
98.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
99.	17 or 18
100.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

85.	palliat*.ti,ab.
86.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
87.	life limit*.ti,ab.
88.	hospice*.ti,ab.
89.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
90.	living will*.ti,ab.
91.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
92.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.

93.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
94.	EOLC.ti,ab.
95.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
96.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
97.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
98.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
99.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
100.	or/1-15
101.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
102.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
103.	17 not 18
104.	16 not 19
105.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

5.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(altitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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**1.7.2 Health Economics literature search strategy**

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 9: Database date parameters and filters used**

<b>Database</b>	<b>Dates searched</b>	<b>Search filter used</b>
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

301.	Palliative care/
302.	Terminal care/
303.	Hospice care/
304.	palliat*.ti,ab.
305.	Terminally ill/
306.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
307.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
308.	life limit*.ti,ab.
309.	Nursing Homes/
310.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
311.	Respite Care/
312.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
313.	Hospices/
314.	hospice*.ti,ab.
315.	exp Advance Care Planning/
316.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
317.	living will*.ti,ab.
318.	*Patient care planning/
319.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
320.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
321.	*Attitude to Death/
322.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
323.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
324.	*Long-Term Care/
325.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
326.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
327.	EOLC.ti,ab.
328.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.

329.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
330.	or/1-29
331.	letter/
332.	editorial/
333.	news/
334.	exp historical article/
335.	Anecdotes as Topic/
336.	comment/
337.	case report/
338.	(letter or comment*).ti.
339.	or/31-38
340.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
341.	39 not 40
342.	animals/ not humans/
343.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
344.	exp Animal Experimentation/
345.	exp Models, Animal/
346.	exp Rodentia/
347.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
348.	or/41-47
349.	30 not 48
350.	limit 49 to English language
351.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
352.	50 not 51
353.	economics/
354.	value of life/
355.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
356.	exp Economics, Hospital/
357.	exp Economics, medical/
358.	Economics, nursing/
359.	economics, pharmaceutical/
360.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
361.	exp budgets/
362.	budget*.ti,ab.
363.	cost*.ti.
364.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
365.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
366.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
367.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
368.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
369.	or/53-68
370.	exp models, economic/
371.	*Models, Theoretical/
372.	*Models, Organizational/

373.	markov chains/
374.	monte carlo method/
375.	exp Decision Theory/
376.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
377.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
378.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
379.	or/70-78
380.	quality-adjusted life years/
381.	sickness impact profile/
382.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
383.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
384.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
385.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
386.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
387.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
388.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
389.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
390.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
391.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
392.	rosser.ti,ab.
393.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
394.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
395.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
396.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
397.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
398.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
399.	or/80-98
400.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

298.	*Palliative therapy/
299.	*Terminal care/
300.	*Hospice care/
301.	palliat*.ti,ab.
302.	*Terminally ill patient/
303.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
304.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
305.	life limit*.ti,ab.
306.	*Nursing home/
307.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
308.	*Respite Care/
309.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
310.	*Hospice/
311.	hospice*.ti,ab.

312.	*Patient care planning/
313.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
314.	living will*.ti,ab.
315.	*Patient care/
316.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
317.	*Attitude to Death/
318.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
319.	*Doctor patient relation/
320.	*Long term care/
321.	*Health care delivery/
322.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
323.	EOLC.ti,ab.
324.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
325.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
326.	or/1-28
327.	letter.pt. or letter/
328.	note.pt.
329.	editorial.pt.
330.	case report/ or case study/
331.	(letter or comment*).ti.
332.	or/30-34
333.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
334.	35 not 36
335.	animal/ not human/
336.	nonhuman/
337.	exp Animal Experiment/
338.	exp Experimental Animal/
339.	animal model/
340.	exp Rodent/
341.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
342.	or/37-44
343.	29 not 45
344.	limit 46 to English language
345.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
346.	47 not 48
347.	health economics/
348.	exp economic evaluation/
349.	exp health care cost/
350.	exp fee/
351.	budget/

352.	funding/
353.	budget*.ti,ab.
354.	cost*.ti.
355.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
356.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
357.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
358.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
359.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
360.	or/50-62
361.	statistical model/
362.	exp economic aspect/
363.	64 and 65
364.	*theoretical model/
365.	*nonbiological model/
366.	stochastic model/
367.	decision theory/
368.	decision tree/
369.	monte carlo method/
370.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
371.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
372.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
373.	or/66-75
374.	quality-adjusted life years/
375.	"quality of life index"/
376.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
377.	sickness impact profile/
378.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
379.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
380.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
381.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
382.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
383.	(qol* or hq1* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
384.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
385.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
386.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
387.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
388.	rosser.ti,ab.
389.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
390.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
391.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.

392.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
393.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
394.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
395.	or/77-97
396.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#97.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#98.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#99.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#100.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#101.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally III IN NHSEED,HTA
#102.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#103.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#104.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#105.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#106.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#107.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#108.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#109.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#110.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#111.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#112.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#113.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#114.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#115.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#116.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#117.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#118.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#119.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#120.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#121.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#122.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#123.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#124.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#125.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#126.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#127.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#128.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 6

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## 1.8 **Carer support services**

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.8.1 **Clinical search literature search strategy**

Searches for were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 10: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Publication Type: Abstract, Clinical Trial, Journal Article, Meta Analysis, Systematic Review; Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

642.	Palliative care/
643.	Terminal care/
644.	Hospice care/
645.	palliat*.ti,ab.
646.	Terminally ill/
647.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
648.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
649.	life limit*.ti,ab.
650.	Nursing Homes/
651.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
652.	Respite Care/
653.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
654.	Hospices/
655.	hospice*.ti,ab.
656.	exp Advance Care Planning/
657.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
658.	living will*.ti,ab.
659.	*Patient care planning/
660.	*"Continuity of Patient Care"/
661.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
662.	*Attitude to Death/
663.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
664.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
665.	*Long-Term Care/
666.	*"Delivery of Health Care"/
667.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
668.	EOLC.ti,ab.
669.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
670.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
671.	or/1-29
672.	letter/
673.	editorial/
674.	news/
675.	exp historical article/
676.	Anecdotes as Topic/
677.	comment/
678.	case report/
679.	(letter or comment*).ti.
680.	or/31-38
681.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
682.	39 not 40
683.	animals/ not humans/
684.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
685.	exp Animal Experimentation/

686.	exp Models, Animal/
687.	exp Rodentia/
688.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
689.	or/41-47
690.	30 not 48
691.	limit 49 to English language
692.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
693.	50 not 51
694.	Caregivers/
695.	Spouses/
696.	Family/
697.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
698.	or/53-56
699.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
700.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
701.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
702.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
703.	Self-Help Groups/
704.	exp social support/
705.	Counseling/
706.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
707.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
708.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
709.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
710.	or/58-68
711.	52 and 57 and 69
712.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
713.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
714.	Critical Pathways/
715.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
716.	Or/71-74
717.	52 and 75
718.	Patient Care Bundles/
719.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.

720.	or/77-78
721.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
722.	52 and 79 and 80
723.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
724.	52 and 82
725.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
726.	81 or 83 or 84
727.	76 not 85
728.	patient care team/
729.	interdisciplinary communication/
730.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
731.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
732.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
733.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
734.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
735.	*Case Management/
736.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
737.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
738.	Or/88-96
739.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
740.	52 and (97 or 98)
741.	70 or 86 or 99

#### Embase (Ovid) search terms

631.	*Palliative therapy/
632.	*Terminal care/
633.	*Hospice care/
634.	palliat*.ti,ab.
635.	*Terminally ill patient/
636.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
637.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
638.	life limit*.ti,ab.
639.	*Nursing home/
640.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
641.	*Respite Care/
642.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
643.	*Hospice/
644.	hospice*.ti,ab.
645.	*Patient care planning/

646.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
647.	living will*.ti,ab.
648.	*Patient care/
649.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
650.	*Attitude to Death/
651.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
652.	*Doctor patient relation/
653.	*Long term care/
654.	*Health care delivery/
655.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
656.	EOLC.ti,ab.
657.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
658.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
659.	or/1-28
660.	letter.pt. or letter/
661.	note.pt.
662.	editorial.pt.
663.	case report/ or case study/
664.	(letter or comment*).ti.
665.	or/30-34
666.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
667.	35 not 36
668.	animal/ not human/
669.	nonhuman/
670.	exp Animal Experiment/
671.	exp Experimental Animal/
672.	animal model/
673.	exp Rodent/
674.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
675.	or/37-44
676.	29 not 45
677.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
678.	46 not 47
679.	limit 48 to English language
680.	*Caregiver/
681.	*Spouse/
682.	*Family/
683.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
684.	or/50-53
685.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
686.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.

687.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
688.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
689.	*Self-Help/
690.	*Social support/
691.	*Counseling/
692.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
693.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
694.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
695.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
696.	or/55-65
697.	49 and 54 and 66
698.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*).ti,ab.
699.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
700.	*Clinical Pathway/
701.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
702.	Or/68-71
703.	49 and 72
704.	*Care Bundle/
705.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
706.	or/74-75
707.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
708.	49 and 76 and 77
709.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
710.	49 and 79
711.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
712.	78 or 80 or 81
713.	73 not 82
714.	interdisciplinary communication/
715.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
716.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
717.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
718.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
719.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.

720.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
721.	*Case Management/
722.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
723.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
724.	Or/84-93
725.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
726.	49 and (94 or 95)
727.	67 or 83 or 96

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#559.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#560.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#561.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#562.	palliat*:ti,ab
#563.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#564.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#565.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#566.	life limit*:ti,ab
#567.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#568.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#569.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#570.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#571.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#572.	hospice*:ti,ab
#573.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#574.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#575.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#576.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#577.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#578.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#579.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#580.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#581.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#582.	EOLC:ti,ab
#583.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#584.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#585.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#586.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#587.	(or #1-#27)
#588.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#589.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#590.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#591.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand

	father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#592.	(or #30-#33)
#593.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#594.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#595.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#596.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#597.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#598.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#599.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#600.	(counseling or counselling*):ti,ab
#601.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#602.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#603.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#604.	(or #35-#45)
#605.	#29 and #34 and #46
#606.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#607.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#608.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#609.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#610.	(or #48-#51)
#611.	#29 and #52
#612.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#613.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#614.	(or #54-#55)
#615.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#616.	#29 and #56 and #57
#617.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#618.	#29 and #59
#619.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#620.	#58 or #60 or #61
#621.	#53 not #62
#622.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#623.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#624.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab

#625.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#626.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#627.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#628.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#629.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#630.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#631.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#632.	(or #65-#74)
#633.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#634.	#29 and (#74 or #75)
#635.	#47 or #63 or #76

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S528.	MH Palliative care
S529.	MH Terminal care
S530.	MH Hospice care
S531.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S532.	MW Terminally ill
S533.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S534.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S535.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S536.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S537.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S538.	MH Nursing homes
S539.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S540.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S541.	MH Respite care
S542.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S543.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S544.	MH Hospices
S545.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S546.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S547.	MH Attitude to Death
S548.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S549.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S550.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S551.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S552.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S553.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S554.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S555.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S556.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S557.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )

S558.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S559.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S560.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S561.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33
S562.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S563.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S564.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S565.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S566.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S567.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S568.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S569.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S570.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42
S571.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S572.	S34 AND S43 AND S44
S573.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S574.	S34 AND S46
S575.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S576.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S577.	S48 OR S49
S578.	S45 OR S47 OR S50
S579.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40
S580.	S34 AND S52
S581.	S53 NOT S51
S582.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S583.	MDT OR IDT
S584.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S585.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S586.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S587.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S588.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S589.	MH Case Management
S590.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)

S591.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S592.	S55 OR S54 OR S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61 OR S61 OR S62
S593.	TX service* AND TX ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S594.	AB service* AND AB ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S595.	S66 OR S67
S596.	S34 AND (S65 OR S68)
S597.	S54 OR S69

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

26.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
27.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
28.	1 and 2
29.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
30.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

101.	exp End of life care/
102.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
103.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
104.	life limit*.ti,ab.
105.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
106.	EOLC.ti,ab.
107.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
108.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
109.	or/2-8
110.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
111.	9 not 10
112.	limit 11 to English
113.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
114.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or party or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)

115.	13 or 14
116.	12 not 15
117.	euthanasia/
118.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
119.	17 or 18
120.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

106.	palliat*.ti,ab.
107.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
108.	life limit*.ti,ab.
109.	hospice*.ti,ab.
110.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
111.	living will*.ti,ab.
112.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
113.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
114.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
115.	EOLC.ti,ab.
116.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
117.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
118.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
119.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
120.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
121.	or/1-15
122.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
123.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
124.	17 not 18
125.	16 not 19
126.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

6.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents")
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	OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs") OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(altitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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### 1.8.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 11: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

401.	Palliative care/
402.	Terminal care/
403.	Hospice care/
404.	palliat*.ti,ab.
405.	Terminally III/
406.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
407.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
408.	life limit*.ti,ab.
409.	Nursing Homes/
410.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
411.	Respite Care/
412.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.

413.	Hospices/
414.	hospice*.ti,ab.
415.	exp Advance Care Planning/
416.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
417.	living will*.ti,ab.
418.	*Patient care planning/
419.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
420.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
421.	*Attitude to Death/
422.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
423.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
424.	*Long-Term Care/
425.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
426.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
427.	EOLC.ti,ab.
428.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
429.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
430.	or/1-29
431.	letter/
432.	editorial/
433.	news/
434.	exp historical article/
435.	Anecdotes as Topic/
436.	comment/
437.	case report/
438.	(letter or comment*).ti.
439.	or/31-38
440.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
441.	39 not 40
442.	animals/ not humans/
443.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
444.	exp Animal Experimentation/
445.	exp Models, Animal/
446.	exp Rodentia/
447.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
448.	or/41-47
449.	30 not 48
450.	limit 49 to English language
451.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
452.	50 not 51
453.	economics/
454.	value of life/
455.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
456.	exp Economics, Hospital/

457.	exp Economics, medical/
458.	Economics, nursing/
459.	economics, pharmaceutical/
460.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
461.	exp budgets/
462.	budget*.ti,ab.
463.	cost*.ti.
464.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
465.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
466.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
467.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
468.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
469.	or/53-68
470.	exp models, economic/
471.	*Models, Theoretical/
472.	*Models, Organizational/
473.	markov chains/
474.	monte carlo method/
475.	exp Decision Theory/
476.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
477.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
478.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
479.	or/70-78
480.	quality-adjusted life years/
481.	sickness impact profile/
482.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
483.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
484.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
485.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
486.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
487.	(qol* or hq1* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
488.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
489.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
490.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
491.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
492.	rosser.ti,ab.
493.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
494.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
495.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
496.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
497.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
498.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
499.	or/80-98
500.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

397.	*Palliative therapy/
398.	*Terminal care/
399.	*Hospice care/
400.	palliat*.ti,ab.
401.	*Terminally ill patient/
402.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
403.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
404.	life limit*.ti,ab.
405.	*Nursing home/
406.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
407.	*Respite Care/
408.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
409.	*Hospice/
410.	hospice*.ti,ab.
411.	*Patient care planning/
412.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
413.	living will*.ti,ab.
414.	*Patient care/
415.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
416.	*Attitude to Death/
417.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))).ti,ab.
418.	*Doctor patient relation/
419.	*Long term care/
420.	*Health care delivery/
421.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
422.	EOLC.ti,ab.
423.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
424.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
425.	or/1-28
426.	letter.pt. or letter/
427.	note.pt.
428.	editorial.pt.
429.	case report/ or case study/
430.	(letter or comment*).ti.
431.	or/30-34
432.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
433.	35 not 36
434.	animal/ not human/
435.	nonhuman/
436.	exp Animal Experiment/

437.	exp Experimental Animal/
438.	animal model/
439.	exp Rodent/
440.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
441.	or/37-44
442.	29 not 45
443.	limit 46 to English language
444.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
445.	47 not 48
446.	health economics/
447.	exp economic evaluation/
448.	exp health care cost/
449.	exp fee/
450.	budget/
451.	funding/
452.	budget*.ti,ab.
453.	cost*.ti.
454.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
455.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
456.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
457.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
458.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
459.	or/50-62
460.	statistical model/
461.	exp economic aspect/
462.	64 and 65
463.	*theoretical model/
464.	*nonbiological model/
465.	stochastic model/
466.	decision theory/
467.	decision tree/
468.	monte carlo method/
469.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
470.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
471.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
472.	or/66-75
473.	quality-adjusted life years/
474.	"quality of life index"/
475.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
476.	sickness impact profile/

477.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
478.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
479.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
480.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
481.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
482.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
483.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
484.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
485.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
486.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
487.	rosser.ti,ab.
488.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
489.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
490.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
491.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
492.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
493.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
494.	or/77-97
495.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#129.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#130.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#131.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#132.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#133.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally Ill IN NHSEED,HTA
#134.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#135.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#136.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#137.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#138.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#139.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#140.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#141.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#142.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#143.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#144.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#145.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#146.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#147.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#148.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#149.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA

#150.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#151.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#152.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#153.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#154.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#155.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#156.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#157.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#158.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#159.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#160.	(#30) IN HTA

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This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## 1.9 Information sharing

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.9.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 12: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Human; Age Groups: Adult: 19-44 years, Middle Aged: 45-64 years, Aged: 65+ years, Aged, 80 and over
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

742.	Palliative care/
743.	Terminal care/
744.	Hospice care/

745.	palliat*.ti,ab.
746.	Terminally ill/
747.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
748.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
749.	life limit*.ti,ab.
750.	Nursing Homes/
751.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
752.	Respite Care/
753.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
754.	Hospices/
755.	hospice*.ti,ab.
756.	*Patient care planning/
757.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
758.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
759.	*Attitude to Death/
760.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
761.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
762.	*Long-Term Care/
763.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
764.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
765.	EOLC.ti,ab.
766.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
767.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
768.	or/1-26
769.	letter/
770.	editorial/
771.	news/
772.	exp historical article/
773.	Anecdotes as Topic/
774.	comment/
775.	case report/
776.	(letter or comment*).ti.
777.	or/28-35
778.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
779.	36 not 37
780.	animals/ not humans/
781.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
782.	exp Animal Experimentation/
783.	exp Models, Animal/
784.	exp Rodentia/
785.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
786.	or/38-44
787.	27 not 45
788.	limit 46 to English language
789.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp

	middle age/ or exp aged/)
790.	47 not 48
791.	interdisciplinary communication/
792.	patient care team/
793.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
794.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
795.	((interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary or combin* or inter disciplinary or multi disciplinary or interprofessional or multiprofessional or inter professional or multi professional) adj2 (work* or team* or care or ward#)).ti,ab.
796.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
797.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
798.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
799.	*Case Management/
800.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
801.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
802.	Or/51-60
803.	interdisciplinary communication/
804.	exp Communication Barriers/
805.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
806.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
807.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
808.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
809.	Or/62-67
810.	49 and 61 and 68
811.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
812.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
813.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
814.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
815.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
816.	exp remote consultation/
817.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
818.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or

	telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
819.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
820.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
821.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
822.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
823.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
824.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
825.	exp Home Care Agencies/
826.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
827.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
828.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
829.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
830.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
831.	Or/70-89
832.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
833.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
834.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
835.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)).ti,ab.
836.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
837.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
838.	Or/91-96
839.	After-Hours Care/
840.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)).ti,ab.
841.	rapid response.ti,ab.
842.	Hospital Rapid Response Team/
843.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
844.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
845.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
846.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
847.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
848.	exp telemedicine/
849.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
850.	hotlines/

851.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
852.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
853.	Or/98-111
854.	Caregivers/
855.	Spouses/
856.	Family/
857.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
858.	Or/113-116
859.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
860.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
861.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
862.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
863.	Self-Help Groups/
864.	exp social support/
865.	Counseling/
866.	(counseling or counsellng*).ti,ab.
867.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
868.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
869.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
870.	or/118-127
871.	49 and 117 and 129
872.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*).ti,ab.
873.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
874.	Critical Pathways/
875.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
876.	Patient Care Bundles/
877.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
878.	or/131-136
879.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
880.	49 and 137 and 138
881.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
882.	49 and 140
883.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
884.	139 or 141 or 142

885.	"referral and consultation"/
886.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
887.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
888.	Or/144-146
889.	49 and (90 or 97 or 112 or 147)
890.	69 or 130 or 143 or 148

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

728.	*Palliative therapy/
729.	*Terminal care/
730.	*Hospice care/
731.	palliat*.ti,ab.
732.	*Terminally ill patient/
733.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
734.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
735.	life limit*.ti,ab.
736.	*Nursing home/
737.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
738.	*Respite Care/
739.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
740.	*Hospice/
741.	hospice*.ti,ab.
742.	*Patient care planning/
743.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
744.	*Patient care/
745.	*Attitude to Death/
746.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
747.	*Doctor patient relation/
748.	*Long term care/
749.	*Health care delivery/
750.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
751.	EOLC.ti,ab.
752.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
753.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
754.	or/1-26
755.	letter.pt. or letter/
756.	note.pt.
757.	editorial.pt.
758.	case report/ or case study/
759.	(letter or comment*).ti.
760.	or/28-32
761.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
762.	33 not 34
763.	animal/ not human/
764.	nonhuman/
765.	exp Animal Experiment/

766.	exp Experimental Animal/
767.	animal model/
768.	exp Rodent/
769.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
770.	or/35-42
771.	27 not 43
772.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
773.	44 not 45
774.	limit 46 to English language
775.	interdisciplinary communication/
776.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
777.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
778.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
779.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
780.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
781.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
782.	*Case Management/
783.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
784.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
785.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
786.	Or/49-58
787.	interdisciplinary communication/
788.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
789.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
790.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
791.	Or/60-63
792.	47 and 59 and 64
793.	*Caregiver/
794.	*Spouse/
795.	*Family/
796.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
797.	Or/66-69
798.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
799.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.

800.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
801.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
802.	*Self-Help/
803.	*Social support/
804.	*Counseling/
805.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
806.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
807.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
808.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
809.	or/71-81
810.	47 and 70 and 82
811.	*social welfare/
812.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
813.	*senior center/
814.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
815.	*teleconsultation/
816.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
817.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
818.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
819.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
820.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
821.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
822.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
823.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
824.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
825.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
826.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
827.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
828.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
829.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
830.	Or/84-102
831.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/
832.	*aftercare/
833.	*hospital discharge/

834.	*clinical handover/
835.	*transitional care/
836.	*patient care planning/
837.	*medical record/
838.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (dischagr* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
839.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
840.	(dischagr* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
841.	Or/104-113
842.	(after hours care or after-hours care).ti,ab.
843.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
844.	rapid response.ti,ab.
845.	rapid response team/
846.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
847.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
848.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
849.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
850.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
851.	exp telehealth/
852.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
853.	telephone/
854.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
855.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
856.	or/115-128
857.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*).ti,ab.
858.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
859.	*Clinical Pathway/
860.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
861.	*Care Bundle/
862.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
863.	or/130-135
864.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
865.	47 and 136 and 137
866.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
867.	47 and 139

868.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
869.	138 or 140 or 141
870.	exp patient referral/
871.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
872.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
873.	Or/143-145
874.	47 and (103 or 114 or 129 or 146)
875.	65 or 93 or 142 or 147

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#636.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#637.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#638.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#639.	palliat*:ti,ab
#640.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#641.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#642.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#643.	life limit*:ti,ab
#644.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#645.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#646.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#647.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#648.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#649.	hospice*:ti,ab
#650.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#651.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#652.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#653.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#654.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#655.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#656.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#657.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#658.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#659.	EOLC:ti,ab
#660.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#661.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#662.	(or #1-#26)
#663.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#664.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#665.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#666.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or ward* or ward*)) or (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or ward* or ward*):ti,ab

	or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*):ti,ab
#667.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#668.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#669.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#670.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#671.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#672.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#673.	palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#674.	(or #28-#38)
#675.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#676.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#677.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#678.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
#679.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
#680.	(or #40-44)
#681.	#27 and #39 and #45
#682.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#683.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#684.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#685.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#686.	(or #47-50)
#687.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#688.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#689.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#690.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#691.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#692.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#693.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#694.	(counseling or counsellng*):ti,ab
#695.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#696.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#697.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#698.	(or #52-#62)
#699.	#27 and #51 and #63
#700.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#701.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees

#702.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#703.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#704.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#705.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#706.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#707.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#708.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#709.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#710.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#711.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#712.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit* ) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#713.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#714.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#715.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#716.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#717.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#718.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#719.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#720.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#721.	(social care):ti,ab
#722.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#723.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#724.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#725.	(Or #65-#89)
#726.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#727.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#728.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#729.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#730.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#731.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#732.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#733.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#734.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#735.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#736.	(or #91-#100)
#737.	MeSH descriptor: [After-Hours Care] explode all trees
#738.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) near/3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case

	worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*):ti,ab
#739.	rapid next response:ti,ab
#740.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospital Rapid Response Team] explode all trees
#741.	medical next emergency next team*:ti,ab
#742.	(hospital* near/2 home*):ti,ab
#743.	hospital next at next night:ti,ab
#744.	(NHS next (111 or 24 or direct)):ti,ab
#745.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#746.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health):ti,ab
#747.	MeSH descriptor: [Hotlines] explode all trees
#748.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*):ti,ab
#749.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) near/3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)):ti,ab
#750.	(or #102-#114)
#751.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#752.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#753.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#754.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#755.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#756.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#757.	(or #116-#121)
#758.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#759.	#27 and #122 and #123
#760.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#761.	#27 and #125
#762.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#763.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#764.	#124 or #126 or #127
#765.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab
#766.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#767.	(or #128-#131)
#768.	#27 and (#90 or #101 or #115 or #132)
#769.	#46 or #64 or #129 or #133

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S598.	MH Palliative care
S599.	MH Terminal care
S600.	MH Hospice care
S601.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S602.	MW Terminally ill
S603.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S604.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )

S605.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S606.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S607.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S608.	MH Nursing homes
S609.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S610.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S611.	MH Respite care
S612.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S613.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S614.	MH Hospices
S615.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S616.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S617.	(MH "Continuity of Patient Care")
S618.	TI ( advance* or patient* ) AND TI ( care or caring ) AND TI ( continu* or plan* )
S619.	AB ( advance* or patient* ) AND AB ( care or caring ) AND AB ( continu* or plan* )
S620.	MH Attitude to Death
S621.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S622.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S623.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S624.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S625.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S626.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S627.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S628.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S629.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S630.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S631.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S632.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33 OR S34
S633.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S634.	MDT OR IDT
S635.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S636.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S637.	S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39
S638.	S35 AND S40
S639.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S640.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S641.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1

	profession*) )
S642.	MH Case Management
S643.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S644.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*))
S645.	S42 OR S43 OR S44 OR S45 OR S46 OR S47
S646.	S35 and S48
S647.	S49 not S41
S648.	S41 OR S49
S649.	TX ( (palliativ* n2 (care or caring)) ) OR AB ( (palliativ* n2 (care or caring)) )
S650.	(MH "Communication+")
S651.	TI ( (communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact) ) OR AB ( (communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact) )
S652.	TI ( ((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) n3 information*) ) OR AB ( ((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) n3 information*) )
S653.	TI ( (followup or follow up) ) OR AB ( (followup or follow up).ti,ab. )
S654.	S53 OR S54 OR S55 OR S56
S655.	S49 NOT S41
S656.	S40 OR S48 OR S52
S657.	S35 AND S59 AND S57
S658.	S60 not S41
S659.	S58 OR S61
S660.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S661.	(MH "Charities")
S662.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S663.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S664.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S665.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S666.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S667.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S668.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S669.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S670.	remote consultation
S671.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S672.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S673.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S674.	home based versus hospital based
S675.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S676.	home hospitali?ation
S677.	home care service*

S678.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S679.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S680.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S681.	social care
S682.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S683.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S684.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S685.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S686.	S63 OR S64 OR S65 OR S66 OR S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73 OR S74 OR S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88
S687.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S688.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S689.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over* ) )
S690.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over* ) )
S691.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S692.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S693.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S694.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S695.	S90 OR S91 OR S92 OR S93 OR S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97
S696.	out of hours care
S697.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) n3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*))
S698.	rapid response
S699.	(critical care n2 outreach) OR medical emergency team* OR (hospital* n2 home*) OR hospital at night
S700.	NHS 111 OR NHS 24 OR NHS Direct
S701.	(MH "Telemedicine") OR (MH "Telehealth")
S702.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health)
S703.	(MH "Telephone Information Services")
S704.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*)
S705.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) n3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*))
S706.	S99 OR S100 OR S101 OR S102 OR S103 OR S104 OR S105 OR S106 OR S107

	OR S108
S707.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S708.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S709.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S710.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S711.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S712.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S713.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S714.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S715.	S110 OR S111 OR S112 OR S113 OR S114 OR S115 OR S116 OR S117
S716.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S717.	S35 AND S118 AND S119
S718.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S719.	S35 AND S121
S720.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S721.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S722.	S123 OR S124
S723.	S120 OR S122 OR S125
S724.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")
S725.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S726.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S727.	S127 OR S128 OR S129
S728.	S35 AND (89 OR 98 OR 109 OR 130)
S729.	S62 OR S126 OR S131

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

31.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
32.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
33.	1 and 2
34.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal

35.	3 and 4
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**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

121.	exp End of life care/
122.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
123.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
124.	life limit*.ti,ab.
125.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
126.	EOLC.ti,ab.
127.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
128.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
129.	or/2-8
130.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
131.	9 not 10
132.	limit 11 to English
133.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
134.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
135.	13 or 14
136.	12 not 15
137.	euthanasia/
138.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
139.	17 or 18
140.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

127.	palliat*.ti,ab.
128.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
129.	life limit*.ti,ab.
130.	hospice*.ti,ab.
131.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
132.	living will*.ti,ab.
133.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
134.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
135.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
136.	EOLC.ti,ab.
137.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
138.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
139.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
140.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
141.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
142.	or/1-15
143.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
144.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.

145.	17 not 18
146.	16 not 19
147.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

7.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" OR "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men") OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab((attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*))) or ti,ab((end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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**1.9.2 Health Economics literature search strategy**

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 13: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
		studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

501.	Palliative care/
502.	Terminal care/
503.	Hospice care/
504.	palliat*.ti,ab.
505.	Terminally ill/
506.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
507.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
508.	life limit*.ti,ab.
509.	Nursing Homes/
510.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
511.	Respite Care/
512.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
513.	Hospices/
514.	hospice*.ti,ab.
515.	exp Advance Care Planning/
516.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
517.	living will*.ti,ab.
518.	*Patient care planning/
519.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
520.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
521.	*Attitude to Death/
522.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
523.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
524.	*Long-Term Care/
525.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
526.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
527.	EOLC.ti,ab.
528.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
529.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
530.	or/1-29
531.	letter/
532.	editorial/
533.	news/
534.	exp historical article/
535.	Anecdotes as Topic/
536.	comment/

537.	case report/
538.	(letter or comment*).ti.
539.	or/31-38
540.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
541.	39 not 40
542.	animals/ not humans/
543.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
544.	exp Animal Experimentation/
545.	exp Models, Animal/
546.	exp Rodentia/
547.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
548.	or/41-47
549.	30 not 48
550.	limit 49 to English language
551.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
552.	50 not 51
553.	economics/
554.	value of life/
555.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
556.	exp Economics, Hospital/
557.	exp Economics, medical/
558.	Economics, nursing/
559.	economics, pharmaceutical/
560.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
561.	exp budgets/
562.	budget*.ti,ab.
563.	cost*.ti.
564.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
565.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
566.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
567.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
568.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
569.	or/53-68
570.	exp models, economic/
571.	*Models, Theoretical/
572.	*Models, Organizational/
573.	markov chains/
574.	monte carlo method/
575.	exp Decision Theory/
576.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
577.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
578.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
579.	or/70-78
580.	quality-adjusted life years/

581.	sickness impact profile/
582.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
583.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
584.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
585.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
586.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
587.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
588.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
589.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
590.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
591.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
592.	rosser.ti,ab.
593.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
594.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
595.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
596.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
597.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
598.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
599.	or/80-98
600.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

496.	*Palliative therapy/
497.	*Terminal care/
498.	*Hospice care/
499.	palliat*.ti,ab.
500.	*Terminally ill patient/
501.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
502.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
503.	life limit*.ti,ab.
504.	*Nursing home/
505.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
506.	*Respite Care/
507.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
508.	*Hospice/
509.	hospice*.ti,ab.
510.	*Patient care planning/
511.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
512.	living will*.ti,ab.
513.	*Patient care/
514.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
515.	*Attitude to Death/
516.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.

517.	*Doctor patient relation/
518.	*Long term care/
519.	*Health care delivery/
520.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
521.	EOLC.ti,ab.
522.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
523.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
524.	or/1-28
525.	letter.pt. or letter/
526.	note.pt.
527.	editorial.pt.
528.	case report/ or case study/
529.	(letter or comment*).ti.
530.	or/30-34
531.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
532.	35 not 36
533.	animal/ not human/
534.	nonhuman/
535.	exp Animal Experiment/
536.	exp Experimental Animal/
537.	animal model/
538.	exp Rodent/
539.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
540.	or/37-44
541.	29 not 45
542.	limit 46 to English language
543.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
544.	47 not 48
545.	health economics/
546.	exp economic evaluation/
547.	exp health care cost/
548.	exp fee/
549.	budget/
550.	funding/
551.	budget*.ti,ab.
552.	cost*.ti.
553.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
554.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
555.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
556.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.

557.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
558.	or/50-62
559.	statistical model/
560.	exp economic aspect/
561.	64 and 65
562.	*theoretical model/
563.	*nonbiological model/
564.	stochastic model/
565.	decision theory/
566.	decision tree/
567.	monte carlo method/
568.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
569.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
570.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
571.	or/66-75
572.	quality-adjusted life years/
573.	"quality of life index"/
574.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
575.	sickness impact profile/
576.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
577.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
578.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
579.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
580.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
581.	(qol* or hq1* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
582.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
583.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
584.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
585.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
586.	rosser.ti,ab.
587.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
588.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
589.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
590.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
591.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
592.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
593.	or/77-97
594.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#161.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
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#162.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#163.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#164.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#165.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally III IN NHSEED,HTA
#166.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#167.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#168.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#169.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#170.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#171.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#172.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#173.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#174.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#175.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#176.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#177.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#178.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#179.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#180.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#181.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#182.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#183.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#184.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#185.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#186.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#187.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#188.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#189.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#190.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#191.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#192.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 8

This literature search strategy was used for the following review:

## **1.10 Service provision and identification of additional services**

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### **1.10.1 Clinical search literature search strategy**

Searches for were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 14: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Publication Type: Abstract, Clinical Trial, Journal Article, Meta Analysis, Systematic Review; Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

#### **Medline (Ovid) search terms**

891.	Palliative care/
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892.	Terminal care/
893.	Hospice care/
894.	palliat*.ti,ab.
895.	Terminally III/
896.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
897.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
898.	life limit*.ti,ab.
899.	Nursing Homes/
900.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
901.	Respite Care/
902.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
903.	Hospices/
904.	hospice*.ti,ab.
905.	exp Advance Care Planning/
906.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
907.	living will*.ti,ab.
908.	*Patient care planning/
909.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
910.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
911.	*Attitude to Death/
912.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
913.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
914.	*Long-Term Care/
915.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
916.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
917.	EOLC.ti,ab.
918.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
919.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
920.	or/1-29
921.	letter/
922.	editorial/
923.	news/
924.	exp historical article/
925.	Anecdotes as Topic/
926.	comment/
927.	case report/
928.	(letter or comment*).ti.
929.	or/31-38
930.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
931.	39 not 40
932.	animals/ not humans/
933.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
934.	exp Animal Experimentation/
935.	exp Models, Animal/
936.	exp Rodentia/

937.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
938.	or/41-47
939.	30 not 48
940.	limit 49 to English language
941.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
942.	50 not 51
943.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
944.	52 and 53
945.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
946.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
947.	Critical Pathways/
948.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
949.	Patient Care Bundles/
950.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
951.	or/55-60
952.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
953.	52 and 61 and 62
954.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
955.	52 and 64
956.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
957.	63 or 65 or 66
958.	patient care team/
959.	interdisciplinary communication/
960.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
961.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
962.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
963.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
964.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
965.	*Case Management/
966.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
967.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
968.	Or/68-77
969.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
970.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]

971.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
972.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
973.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
974.	exp remote consultation/
975.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
976.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
977.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
978.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
979.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
980.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
981.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
982.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
983.	exp Home Care Agencies/
984.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
985.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
986.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
987.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
988.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriateness* or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
989.	Or/78-98
990.	"Continuity of Patient Care"/
991.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
992.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
993.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
994.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
995.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
996.	Or/100-105
997.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
998.	living will*.ti,ab.
999.	Or/107-108
1000.	*Caregiver/
1001.	*Spouse/
1002.	*Family/
1003.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or

	brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1004.	Or/110-113
1005.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
1006.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
1007.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)).ti,ab.
1008.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1009.	*Self-Help/
1010.	*Social support/
1011.	*Counseling/
1012.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1013.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1014.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1015.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1016.	Or/115-125
1017.	52 and 114 and 126
1018.	52 and (78 or 99 or 106 or 109)
1019.	54 or 67 or 127 or 128

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

876.	*Palliative therapy/
877.	*Terminal care/
878.	*Hospice care/
879.	palliat*.ti,ab.
880.	*Terminally ill patient/
881.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
882.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
883.	life limit*.ti,ab.
884.	*Nursing home/
885.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
886.	*Respite Care/
887.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
888.	*Hospice/
889.	hospice*.ti,ab.
890.	*Patient care planning/
891.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
892.	living will*.ti,ab.
893.	*Patient care/
894.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
895.	*Attitude to Death/

896.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
897.	*Doctor patient relation/
898.	*Long term care/
899.	*Health care delivery/
900.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
901.	EOLC.ti,ab.
902.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
903.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
904.	or/1-28
905.	letter.pt. or letter/
906.	note.pt.
907.	editorial.pt.
908.	case report/ or case study/
909.	(letter or comment*).ti.
910.	or/30-34
911.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
912.	35 not 36
913.	animal/ not human/
914.	nonhuman/
915.	exp Animal Experiment/
916.	exp Experimental Animal/
917.	animal model/
918.	exp Rodent/
919.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
920.	or/37-44
921.	29 not 45
922.	limit 46 to English language
923.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
924.	47 not 48
925.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
926.	49 and 50
927.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
928.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
929.	*Clinical Pathway/
930.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
931.	*Care Bundle/
932.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
933.	or/52-57
934.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
935.	49 and 58 and 59
936.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
937.	49 and 61

938.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
939.	60 or 62 or 63
940.	interdisciplinary communication/
941.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
942.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
943.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
944.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
945.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
946.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
947.	*Case Management/
948.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
949.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
950.	Or/65-74
951.	*social welfare/
952.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
953.	*senior center/
954.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
955.	*teleconsultation/
956.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
957.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
958.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
959.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
960.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
961.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
962.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
963.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
964.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
965.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
966.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
967.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
968.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
969.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriateness* or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
970.	Or/76-94
971.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/

972.	*aftercare/
973.	*hospital discharge/
974.	*clinical handover/
975.	*transitional care/
976.	*patient care planning/
977.	*medical record/
978.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
979.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
980.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
981.	Or/96-105
982.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
983.	living will*.ti,ab.
984.	Or/107-108
985.	*Caregiver/
986.	*Spouse/
987.	*Family/
988.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
989.	Or/110-113
990.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
991.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
992.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
993.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
994.	*Self-Help/
995.	*Social support/
996.	*Counseling/
997.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
998.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
999.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1000.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1001.	or/115-125
1002.	49 and 114 and 126
1003.	49 and (75 or 95 or 106 or 109)
1004.	51 or 64 or 127 or 128

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#770.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#771.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#772.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#773.	palliat*:ti,ab
#774.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#775.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#776.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#777.	life limit*:ti,ab
#778.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#779.	(care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes):ti,ab
#780.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#781.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#782.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#783.	hospice*:ti,ab
#784.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#785.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#786.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#787.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#788.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#789.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#790.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#791.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#792.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#793.	EOLC:ti,ab
#794.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#795.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#796.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#797.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#798.	(or #1-#28)
#799.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#800.	#29 and #30
#801.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#802.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#803.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#804.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#805.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#806.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#807.	(or #34-#37)
#808.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#809.	#29 and #38 and #39
#810.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#811.	#29 and #41
#812.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab

#813.	#40 or #43 or #43
#814.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#815.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#816.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#817.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#818.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#819.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#820.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#821.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#822.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#823.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#824.	(or #45-#54)
#825.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#826.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#827.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#828.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#829.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#830.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#831.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#832.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#833.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#834.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#835.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#836.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#837.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#838.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#839.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#840.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#841.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#842.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#843.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#844.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#845.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#846.	(social care):ti,ab
#847.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#848.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#849.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab

#850.	(Or #56-#80)
#851.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#852.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#853.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#854.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#855.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#856.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#857.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#858.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#859.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#860.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#861.	(or #82-#90)
#862.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#863.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#864.	living will*:ti,ab
#865.	(or #93-#95)
#866.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#867.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#868.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#869.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#870.	(or #97-#100)
#871.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#872.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#873.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#874.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#875.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#876.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#877.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#878.	(counseling or counsellng*):ti,ab
#879.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#880.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#881.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#882.	(or #102-#112)
#883.	29 and 101 and 113

#884.	#29 and (#55 or #81 or #92 or #96)
#885.	#31 or #44 or #114 or #115

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S730.	MH Palliative care
S731.	MH Terminal care
S732.	MH Hospice care
S733.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S734.	MW Terminally ill
S735.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S736.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S737.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S738.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S739.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S740.	MH Nursing homes
S741.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S742.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S743.	MH Respite care
S744.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S745.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S746.	MH Hospices
S747.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S748.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S749.	(MH "Continuity of Patient Care")
S750.	TI ( advance* or patient* ) AND TI ( care or caring ) AND TI ( continu* or plan* )
S751.	AB ( advance* or patient* ) AND AB ( care or caring ) AND AB ( continu* or plan* )
S752.	MH Attitude to Death
S753.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S754.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S755.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S756.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S757.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S758.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S759.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S760.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S761.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S762.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S763.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S764.	(MH "Advance Care Planning")
S765.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33 OR S34 OR S35
S766.	TX service* AND TX ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S767.	AB service* AND AB ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )

S768.	S37 OR S38
S769.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S770.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S771.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S772.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S773.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S774.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S775.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S776.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S777.	S40 OR S41 OR S42 OR S43 OR S44 OR S45 OR S46 OR S47
S778.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S779.	S36 AND S48 AND S49
S780.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S781.	S36 AND S51
S782.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S783.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S784.	S53 OR S54
S785.	S48 OR S50 OR S55
S786.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S787.	MDT OR IDT
S788.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S789.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S790.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S791.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S792.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S793.	MH Case Management
S794.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S795.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S796.	S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61 OR S62 OR S63 OR S64 OR S65 OR S66
S797.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S798.	(MH "Charities")
S799.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S800.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S801.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health

	Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S802.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S803.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S804.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S805.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S806.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S807.	remote consultation
S808.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S809.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S810.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriately or increase* or risk*))
S811.	home based versus hospital based
S812.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S813.	home hospitali?ation
S814.	home care service*
S815.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S816.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S817.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S818.	social care
S819.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S820.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S821.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S822.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S823.	S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73 OR S74 OR S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92 OR S93
S824.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S825.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S826.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S827.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S828.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S829.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S830.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S831.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S832.	S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99 OR S100 OR S101 OR S102
S833.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )

S834.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S835.	S104 OR S105
S836.	S36 AND (S67 OR S94 OR S103 OR S106)
S837.	S39 OR S56 OR S107

#### PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms

36.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
37.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
38.	1 and 2
39.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
40.	3 and 4

#### HMIC (Ovid) search terms

141.	exp End of life care/
142.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
143.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
144.	life limit*.ti,ab.
145.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
146.	EOLC.ti,ab.
147.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
148.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
149.	or/2-8
150.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
151.	9 not 10
152.	limit 11 to English
153.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
154.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
155.	13 or 14
156.	12 not 15
157.	euthanasia/
158.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
159.	17 or 18

160.	16 not 19
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**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

148.	palliat*.ti,ab.
149.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
150.	life limit*.ti,ab.
151.	hospice*.ti,ab.
152.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
153.	living will*.ti,ab.
154.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
155.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
156.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
157.	EOLC.ti,ab.
158.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
159.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
160.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
161.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
162.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
163.	or/1-15
164.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
165.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
166.	17 not 18
167.	16 not 19
168.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

8.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*))) or
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	ti,ab(attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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### 1.10.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 15: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

601.	Palliative care/
602.	Terminal care/
603.	Hospice care/
604.	palliat*.ti,ab.
605.	Terminally III/
606.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
607.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
608.	life limit*.ti,ab.
609.	Nursing Homes/
610.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
611.	Respite Care/
612.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
613.	Hospices/
614.	hospice*.ti,ab.
615.	exp Advance Care Planning/
616.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.

617.	living will*.ti,ab.
618.	*Patient care planning/
619.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
620.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
621.	*Attitude to Death/
622.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
623.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
624.	*Long-Term Care/
625.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
626.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
627.	EOLC.ti,ab.
628.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
629.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
630.	or/1-29
631.	letter/
632.	editorial/
633.	news/
634.	exp historical article/
635.	Anecdotes as Topic/
636.	comment/
637.	case report/
638.	(letter or comment*).ti.
639.	or/31-38
640.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
641.	39 not 40
642.	animals/ not humans/
643.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
644.	exp Animal Experimentation/
645.	exp Models, Animal/
646.	exp Rodentia/
647.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
648.	or/41-47
649.	30 not 48
650.	limit 49 to English language
651.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
652.	50 not 51
653.	economics/
654.	value of life/
655.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
656.	exp Economics, Hospital/
657.	exp Economics, medical/
658.	Economics, nursing/
659.	economics, pharmaceutical/
660.	exp "Fees and Charges"/

661.	exp budgets/
662.	budget*.ti,ab.
663.	cost*.ti.
664.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
665.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
666.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
667.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
668.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
669.	or/53-68
670.	exp models, economic/
671.	*Models, Theoretical/
672.	*Models, Organizational/
673.	markov chains/
674.	monte carlo method/
675.	exp Decision Theory/
676.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
677.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
678.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
679.	or/70-78
680.	quality-adjusted life years/
681.	sickness impact profile/
682.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
683.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
684.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
685.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
686.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
687.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
688.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
689.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
690.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
691.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
692.	rosser.ti,ab.
693.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
694.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
695.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
696.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
697.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
698.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
699.	or/80-98
700.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

595.	*Palliative therapy/
596.	*Terminal care/
597.	*Hospice care/

598.	palliat*.ti,ab.
599.	*Terminally ill patient/
600.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
601.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
602.	life limit*.ti,ab.
603.	*Nursing home/
604.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
605.	*Respite Care/
606.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
607.	*Hospice/
608.	hospice*.ti,ab.
609.	*Patient care planning/
610.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
611.	living will*.ti,ab.
612.	*Patient care/
613.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
614.	*Attitude to Death/
615.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
616.	*Doctor patient relation/
617.	*Long term care/
618.	*Health care delivery/
619.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
620.	EOLC.ti,ab.
621.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
622.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
623.	or/1-28
624.	letter.pt. or letter/
625.	note.pt.
626.	editorial.pt.
627.	case report/ or case study/
628.	(letter or comment*).ti.
629.	or/30-34
630.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
631.	35 not 36
632.	animal/ not human/
633.	nonhuman/
634.	exp Animal Experiment/
635.	exp Experimental Animal/
636.	animal model/
637.	exp Rodent/

638.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
639.	or/37-44
640.	29 not 45
641.	limit 46 to English language
642.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
643.	47 not 48
644.	health economics/
645.	exp economic evaluation/
646.	exp health care cost/
647.	exp fee/
648.	budget/
649.	funding/
650.	budget*.ti,ab.
651.	cost*.ti.
652.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
653.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
654.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
655.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
656.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
657.	or/50-62
658.	statistical model/
659.	exp economic aspect/
660.	64 and 65
661.	*theoretical model/
662.	*nonbiological model/
663.	stochastic model/
664.	decision theory/
665.	decision tree/
666.	monte carlo method/
667.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
668.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
669.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
670.	or/66-75
671.	quality-adjusted life years/
672.	"quality of life index"/
673.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
674.	sickness impact profile/
675.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
676.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
677.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.

678.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
679.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
680.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
681.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
682.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
683.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
684.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
685.	rosser.ti,ab.
686.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
687.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
688.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
689.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
690.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
691.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
692.	or/77-97
693.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#193.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#194.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#195.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#196.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#197.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally Ill IN NHSEED,HTA
#198.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#199.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#200.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#201.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#202.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#203.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#204.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#205.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#206.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#207.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#208.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#209.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#210.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#211.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#212.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#213.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#214.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#215.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#216.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA

#217.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#218.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#219.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#220.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#221.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#222.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#223.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#224.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 9

This literature search strategy was used for the following review;

## 1.11 Out of hours provision

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review. [Add cross reference]*

### 1.11.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches for were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 16: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Human; Age Groups: Adult: 19-44 years, Middle Aged: 45-64 years, Aged: 65+ years, Aged, 80 and over; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

### Medline (Ovid) search terms

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1020.	Palliative care/
1021.	Terminal care/
1022.	Hospice care/
1023.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1024.	Terminally ill/
1025.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
1026.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
1027.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1028.	Nursing Homes/
1029.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
1030.	Respite Care/
1031.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1032.	Hospices/
1033.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1034.	*Patient care planning/
1035.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
1036.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
1037.	*Attitude to Death/
1038.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
1039.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
1040.	*Long-Term Care/
1041.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
1042.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1043.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1044.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1045.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1046.	or/1-26
1047.	letter/
1048.	editorial/
1049.	news/
1050.	exp historical article/
1051.	Anecdotes as Topic/
1052.	comment/
1053.	case report/
1054.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1055.	or/28-35
1056.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
1057.	36 not 37
1058.	animals/ not humans/
1059.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
1060.	exp Animal Experimentation/
1061.	exp Models, Animal/
1062.	exp Rodentia/
1063.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1064.	or/38-44

1065.	27 not 45
1066.	limit 46 to English language
1067.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1068.	47 not 48
1069.	After-Hours Care/
1070.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
1071.	rapid response.ti,ab.
1072.	Hospital Rapid Response Team/
1073.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
1074.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
1075.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
1076.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
1077.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
1078.	exp telemedicine/
1079.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
1080.	hotlines/
1081.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
1082.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
1083.	or/50-63
1084.	49 and 64
1085.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*).ti,ab.
1086.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
1087.	Critical Pathways/
1088.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
1089.	Patient Care Bundles/
1090.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
1091.	or/66-71
1092.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1093.	49 and 72 and 73
1094.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1095.	49 and 75
1096.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1097.	74 or 76 or 77
1098.	patient care team/
1099.	interdisciplinary communication/
1100.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or

	multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1101.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1102.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1103.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)).ti,ab.
1104.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1105.	*Case Management/
1106.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1107.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1108.	Or/79-88
1109.	interdisciplinary communication/
1110.	exp Communication Barriers/
1111.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
1112.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
1113.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
1114.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1115.	Or/90-95
1116.	49 and 89 and 96
1117.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
1118.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1119.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1120.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1121.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
1122.	exp remote consultation/
1123.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
1124.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1125.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1126.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1127.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1128.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.

1129.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1130.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
1131.	exp Home Care Agencies/
1132.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1133.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1134.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1135.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1136.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1137.	Or/98-117
1138.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
1139.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
1140.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
1141.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (dischagr* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)).ti,ab.
1142.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
1143.	(dischagr* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
1144.	Or/119-124
1145.	exp Advance Care Planning/
1146.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
1147.	living will*.ti,ab.
1148.	or/126-128
1149.	Caregivers/
1150.	Spouses/
1151.	Family/
1152.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1153.	Or/130-133
1154.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
1155.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
1156.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)).ti,ab.
1157.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1158.	Self-Help Groups/
1159.	exp social support/
1160.	Counseling/
1161.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1162.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1163.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1164.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or

	sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1165.	or/135-145
1166.	49 and 134 and 146
1167.	"referral and consultation"/
1168.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
1169.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
1170.	or/148-150
1171.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
1172.	49 and (89 or 125 or 129 or 151 or 152)
1173.	65 or 78 or 97 or 147 or 153

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

1005.	*Palliative therapy/
1006.	*Terminal care/
1007.	*Hospice care/
1008.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1009.	*Terminally ill patient/
1010.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
1011.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
1012.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1013.	*Nursing home/
1014.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
1015.	*Respite Care/
1016.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1017.	*Hospice/
1018.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1019.	*Patient care planning/
1020.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
1021.	*Patient care/
1022.	*Attitude to Death/
1023.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
1024.	*Doctor patient relation/
1025.	*Long term care/
1026.	*Health care delivery/
1027.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1028.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1029.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1030.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1031.	or/1-26
1032.	letter.pt. or letter/
1033.	note.pt.
1034.	editorial.pt.
1035.	case report/ or case study/

1036.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1037.	or/28-32
1038.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
1039.	33 not 34
1040.	animal/ not human/
1041.	nonhuman/
1042.	exp Animal Experiment/
1043.	exp Experimental Animal/
1044.	animal model/
1045.	exp Rodent/
1046.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1047.	or/35-42
1048.	27 not 43
1049.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1050.	44 not 45
1051.	limit 46 to English language
1052.	(after hours care or after-hours care).ti,ab.
1053.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
1054.	rapid response.ti,ab.
1055.	rapid response team/
1056.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
1057.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
1058.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
1059.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
1060.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
1061.	exp telehealth/
1062.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
1063.	telephone/
1064.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
1065.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
1066.	or/48-61
1067.	47 and 62
1068.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
1069.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
1070.	*Clinical Pathway/
1071.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.

1072.	*Care Bundle/
1073.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
1074.	or/64-70
1075.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1076.	47 and 70 and 71
1077.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1078.	47 and 73
1079.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1080.	72 or 74 or 75
1081.	interdisciplinary communication/
1082.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
1083.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1084.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1085.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1086.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
1087.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1088.	*Case Management/
1089.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1090.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1091.	Or/77-86
1092.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
1093.	living will*.ti,ab.
1094.	88 or 89
1095.	*Caregiver/
1096.	*Spouse/
1097.	*Family/
1098.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1099.	Or/91-94
1100.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
1101.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
1102.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
1103.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1104.	*Self-Help/
1105.	*Social support/
1106.	*Counseling/

1107.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1108.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1109.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1110.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1111.	or/96-106
1112.	47 and 95 and 107
1113.	interdisciplinary communication/
1114.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
1115.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
1116.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
1117.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1118.	Or/109-113
1119.	47 and 87 and 114
1120.	*social welfare/
1121.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
1122.	*senior center/
1123.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
1124.	*teleconsultation/
1125.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
1126.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
1127.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
1128.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1129.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1130.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1131.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
1132.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1133.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
1134.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1135.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1136.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1137.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1138.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1139.	Or/116-134
1140.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/

1141.	*aftercare/
1142.	*hospital discharge/
1143.	*clinical handover/
1144.	*transitional care/
1145.	*patient care planning/
1146.	*medical record/
1147.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)).ti,ab.
1148.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)).ti,ab.
1149.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)).ti,ab.
1150.	Or/136-145
1151.	exp patient referral/
1152.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
1153.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
1154.	or/147-149
1155.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
1156.	47 and (87 or 90 or 135 or 146 or 150 or 151)
1157.	63 or 76 or 108 or 115 or 152

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#886.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#887.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#888.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#889.	palliat*:ti,ab
#890.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#891.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#892.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#893.	life limit*:ti,ab
#894.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#895.	((care or nursing) near/2 (home or homes)):ti,ab
#896.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#897.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#898.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#899.	hospice*:ti,ab
#900.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#901.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#902.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#903.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#904.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#905.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#906.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#907.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#908.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#909.	EOLC:ti,ab

#910.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#911.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#912.	(or #1-#26)
#913.	MeSH descriptor: [After-Hours Care] explode all trees
#914.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) near/3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)):ti,ab
#915.	rapid next response:ti,ab
#916.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospital Rapid Response Team] explode all trees
#917.	medical next emergency next team*:ti,ab
#918.	(hospital* near/2 home*):ti,ab
#919.	hospital next at next night:ti,ab
#920.	(NHS next (111 or 24 or direct)):ti,ab
#921.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#922.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health):ti,ab
#923.	MeSH descriptor: [Hotlines] explode all trees
#924.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*):ti,ab
#925.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) near/3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)):ti,ab
#926.	(or #28-#40)
#927.	#27 and #41
#928.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#929.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#930.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#931.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#932.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#933.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#934.	(or #43-#38)
#935.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#936.	#27 and #49 and #50
#937.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#938.	#27 and #52
#939.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#940.	#51 or #53 or #54
#941.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#942.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#943.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or

	collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#944.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#945.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#946.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#947.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#948.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#949.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#950.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#951.	(or #56-#65)
#952.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#953.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#954.	living will*:ti,ab
#955.	(or #67-#69)
#956.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#957.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#958.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#959.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#960.	(or #71-#74)
#961.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#962.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#963.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#964.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#965.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#966.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#967.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#968.	(counseling or counsellng*):ti,ab
#969.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#970.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#971.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#972.	(or #76-#86)
#973.	#27 and #75 and #87
#974.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#975.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#976.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#977.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*):ti,ab near/3

	information*):ti,ab
#978.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
#979.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#980.	(or #80-#94)
#981.	#27 and #66 and #95
#982.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#983.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#984.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#985.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#986.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#987.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#988.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#989.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#990.	((telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#991.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#992.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#993.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#994.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#995.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#996.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#997.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#998.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#999.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#1000.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#1001.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#1002.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#1003.	(social care):ti,ab
#1004.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#1005.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#1006.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#1007.	(Or #97-#121)
#1008.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#1009.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#1010.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#1011.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#1012.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#1013.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#1014.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#1015.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*):ti,ab
#1016.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#1017.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or

	program*)):ti,ab
#1018.	(or #123-#132)
#1019.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#1020.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab
#1021.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#1022.	(or #134-#136)
#1023.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#1024.	#27 and( #66 or #70 or #122 or #133 or #137 or #138)
#1025.	#42 or #55 or #88 or #96 or #139

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S838.	MH Palliative care
S839.	MH Terminal care
S840.	MH Hospice care
S841.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S842.	MW Terminally ill
S843.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S844.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S845.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S846.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S847.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S848.	MH Nursing homes
S849.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S850.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S851.	MH Respite care
S852.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S853.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S854.	MH Hospices
S855.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S856.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S857.	(MH "Continuity of Patient Care")
S858.	TI ( advance* or patient* ) AND TI ( care or caring ) AND TI ( continu* or plan* )
S859.	AB ( advance* or patient* ) AND AB ( care or caring ) AND AB ( continu* or plan* )
S860.	MH Attitude to Death
S861.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S862.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S863.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S864.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S865.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S866.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S867.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S868.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S869.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S870.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S871.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )

S872.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33 OR S34
S873.	out of hours care
S874.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) n3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*))
S875.	rapid response
S876.	(critical care n2 outreach) OR medical emergency team* OR (hospital* n2 home*) OR hospital at night
S877.	NHS 111 OR NHS 24 OR NHS Direct
S878.	(MH "Telemedicine") OR (MH "Telehealth")
S879.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health)
S880.	(MH "Telephone Information Services")
S881.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*)
S882.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) n3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*))
S883.	S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42 OR S43 OR S44 OR S45
S884.	S35 AND S46
S885.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S886.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S887.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S888.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S889.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S890.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S891.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S892.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S893.	S48 OR S49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52 OR S53 OR S54 OR S55
S894.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S895.	S35 AND S56 AND S57
S896.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S897.	S35 AND S59
S898.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S899.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S900.	S61 OR S62
S901.	S58 OR S60 OR S63
S902.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")

S903.	MDT OR IDT
S904.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S905.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S906.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S907.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S908.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S909.	MH Case Management
S910.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S911.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S912.	S65 OR S66 OR S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71 OR S72 OR S73 OR S74
S913.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S914.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S915.	S76 OR S77
S916.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
S917.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
S918.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
S919.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
S920.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
S921.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
S922.	S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84
S923.	S35 AND S75 AND S85
S924.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S925.	(MH "Charities")
S926.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S927.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S928.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S929.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S930.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S931.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S932.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S933.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S934.	remote consultation
S935.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))

S936.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S937.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S938.	home based versus hospital based
S939.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S940.	home hospitali?ation
S941.	home care service*
S942.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S943.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S944.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S945.	social care
S946.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S947.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S948.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S949.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S950.	S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92 OR S93 OR S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99 OR S100 OR S101 OR S102 OR S103 OR S104 OR S105 OR S106 OR S107 OR S108 OR S109 OR S110 OR S111 OR S112
S951.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S952.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S953.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S954.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S955.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S956.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S957.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S958.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S959.	S1114 OR S115 OR S116 OR S117 OR S118 OR S119 OR S120 OR S121
S960.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")
S961.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S962.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S963.	S123 OR S124 OR S125
S964.	TX service* AND TX ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S965.	AB service* AND AB ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S966.	S127 OR S128
S967.	S35 AND (S75 OR S78 OR S113 OR S122 OR S126 OR S129)
S968.	S47 OR S64 OR S86 OR S130

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

41.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
42.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
43.	1 and 2
44.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
45.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

161.	exp End of life care/
162.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
163.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
164.	life limit*.ti,ab.
165.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
166.	EOLC.ti,ab.
167.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
168.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
169.	or/2-8
170.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
171.	9 not 10
172.	limit 11 to English
173.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
174.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamph or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or party or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
175.	13 or 14
176.	12 not 15
177.	euthanasia/
178.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
179.	17 or 18
180.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

169.	palliat*.ti,ab.
170.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.

171.	life limit*.ti,ab.
172.	hospice*.ti,ab.
173.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
174.	living will*.ti,ab.
175.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
176.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
177.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
178.	EOLC.ti,ab.
179.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
180.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
181.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
182.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
183.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
184.	or/1-15
185.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
186.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
187.	17 not 18
188.	16 not 19
189.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

9.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men") OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*))) or ti,ab(attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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### 1.11.2 Health Economics literature search strategy

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 17: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

701.	Palliative care/
702.	Terminal care/
703.	Hospice care/
704.	palliat*.ti,ab.
705.	Terminally ill/
706.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
707.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
708.	life limit*.ti,ab.
709.	Nursing Homes/
710.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
711.	Respite Care/
712.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
713.	Hospices/
714.	hospice*.ti,ab.
715.	exp Advance Care Planning/
716.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
717.	living will*.ti,ab.
718.	*Patient care planning/
719.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
720.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
721.	*Attitude to Death/

722.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
723.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
724.	*Long-Term Care/
725.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
726.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
727.	EOLC.ti,ab.
728.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
729.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
730.	or/1-29
731.	letter/
732.	editorial/
733.	news/
734.	exp historical article/
735.	Anecdotes as Topic/
736.	comment/
737.	case report/
738.	(letter or comment*).ti.
739.	or/31-38
740.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
741.	39 not 40
742.	animals/ not humans/
743.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
744.	exp Animal Experimentation/
745.	exp Models, Animal/
746.	exp Rodentia/
747.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
748.	or/41-47
749.	30 not 48
750.	limit 49 to English language
751.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
752.	50 not 51
753.	economics/
754.	value of life/
755.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
756.	exp Economics, Hospital/
757.	exp Economics, medical/
758.	Economics, nursing/
759.	economics, pharmaceutical/
760.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
761.	exp budgets/
762.	budget*.ti,ab.
763.	cost*.ti.
764.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
765.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.

766.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
767.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
768.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
769.	or/53-68
770.	exp models, economic/
771.	*Models, Theoretical/
772.	*Models, Organizational/
773.	markov chains/
774.	monte carlo method/
775.	exp Decision Theory/
776.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
777.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
778.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
779.	or/70-78
780.	quality-adjusted life years/
781.	sickness impact profile/
782.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
783.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
784.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
785.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
786.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
787.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
788.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
789.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
790.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
791.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
792.	rosser.ti,ab.
793.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
794.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
795.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
796.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
797.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
798.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
799.	or/80-98
800.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

694.	*Palliative therapy/
695.	*Terminal care/
696.	*Hospice care/
697.	palliat*.ti,ab.
698.	*Terminally ill patient/
699.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
700.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
701.	life limit*.ti,ab.

702.	*Nursing home/
703.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
704.	*Respite Care/
705.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
706.	*Hospice/
707.	hospice*.ti,ab.
708.	*Patient care planning/
709.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
710.	living will*.ti,ab.
711.	*Patient care/
712.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
713.	*Attitude to Death/
714.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
715.	*Doctor patient relation/
716.	*Long term care/
717.	*Health care delivery/
718.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
719.	EOLC.ti,ab.
720.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
721.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
722.	or/1-28
723.	letter.pt. or letter/
724.	note.pt.
725.	editorial.pt.
726.	case report/ or case study/
727.	(letter or comment*).ti.
728.	or/30-34
729.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
730.	35 not 36
731.	animal/ not human/
732.	nonhuman/
733.	exp Animal Experiment/
734.	exp Experimental Animal/
735.	animal model/
736.	exp Rodent/
737.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
738.	or/37-44
739.	29 not 45
740.	limit 46 to English language
741.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)

742.	47 not 48
743.	health economics/
744.	exp economic evaluation/
745.	exp health care cost/
746.	exp fee/
747.	budget/
748.	funding/
749.	budget*.ti,ab.
750.	cost*.ti.
751.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
752.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
753.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
754.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
755.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
756.	or/50-62
757.	statistical model/
758.	exp economic aspect/
759.	64 and 65
760.	*theoretical model/
761.	*nonbiological model/
762.	stochastic model/
763.	decision theory/
764.	decision tree/
765.	monte carlo method/
766.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
767.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
768.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
769.	or/66-75
770.	quality-adjusted life years/
771.	"quality of life index"/
772.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
773.	sickness impact profile/
774.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
775.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
776.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
777.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
778.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
779.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
780.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
781.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.

782.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
783.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
784.	rosser.ti,ab.
785.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
786.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
787.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
788.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
789.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
790.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
791.	or/77-97
792.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#225.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#226.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#227.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#228.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#229.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally III IN NHSEED,HTA
#230.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#231.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#232.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#233.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#234.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#235.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#236.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#237.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#238.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#239.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#240.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#241.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#242.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#243.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#244.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#245.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#246.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#247.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#248.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#249.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#250.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#251.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#252.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#253.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA

#254.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#255.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#256.	(#30) IN HTA

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This literature search strategy was used for the following review;

## **1.12 Additional services needed to support people in their last year of life to stay in their preferred place of care/Inappropriate admissions**

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review. [Add cross reference]*

### **1.12.1 Clinical search literature search strategy**

Searches were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 18: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Publication Type: Abstract, Clinical Trial, Journal Article, Meta Analysis, Systematic Review; Age Groups: All Adult; Language: English
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

1174.	Palliative care/
1175.	Terminal care/
1176.	Hospice care/
1177.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1178.	Terminally ill/
1179.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
1180.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
1181.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1182.	Nursing Homes/
1183.	Respite Care/
1184.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1185.	Hospices/
1186.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1187.	exp Advance Care Planning/
1188.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
1189.	living will*.ti,ab.
1190.	*Patient care planning/
1191.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
1192.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
1193.	*Attitude to Death/
1194.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
1195.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
1196.	*Long-Term Care/
1197.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
1198.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1199.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1200.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1201.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1202.	or/1-28
1203.	letter/
1204.	editorial/
1205.	news/
1206.	exp historical article/
1207.	Anecdotes as Topic/
1208.	comment/
1209.	case report/
1210.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1211.	or/30-37
1212.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
1213.	38 not 39
1214.	animals/ not humans/
1215.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
1216.	exp Animal Experimentation/
1217.	exp Models, Animal/

1218.	exp Rodentia/
1219.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1220.	or/40-46
1221.	29 not 47
1222.	limit 48 to English language
1223.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1224.	49 not 50
1225.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
1226.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1227.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1228.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1229.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
1230.	exp remote consultation/
1231.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/
1232.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1233.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1234.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1235.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1236.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
1237.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1238.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
1239.	exp Home Care Agencies/
1240.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1241.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1242.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1243.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1244.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1245.	or/52-71
1246.	51 and 72
1247.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
1248.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)).ti,ab.
1249.	Critical Pathways/

1250.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
1251.	Patient Care Bundles/
1252.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
1253.	or/74-79
1254.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1255.	51 and 80 and 81
1256.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1257.	51 and 83
1258.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1259.	82 or 84 or 85
1260.	patient care team/
1261.	interdisciplinary communication/
1262.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1263.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1264.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1265.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
1266.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1267.	*Case Management/
1268.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1269.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1270.	Or/87-96
1271.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
1272.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
1273.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
1274.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
1275.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
1276.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
1277.	Or/98-103
1278.	*Caregiver/
1279.	*Spouse/
1280.	*Family/
1281.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1282.	Or/105-108
1283.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.

1284.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
1285.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
1286.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1287.	*Self-Help/
1288.	*Social support/
1289.	*Counseling/
1290.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1291.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1292.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1293.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1294.	Or/110-120
1295.	52 and 109 and 121
1296.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*).ti,ab.
1297.	51 and (97 or 104 or 123)
1298.	73 or 86 or 122 or 124

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

1158.	*Palliative therapy/
1159.	*Terminal care/
1160.	*Hospice care/
1161.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1162.	*Terminally ill patient/
1163.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
1164.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
1165.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1166.	*Nursing home/
1167.	*Respite Care/
1168.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1169.	*Hospice/
1170.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1171.	*Patient care planning/
1172.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
1173.	living will*.ti,ab.
1174.	*Patient care/
1175.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
1176.	*Attitude to Death/
1177.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
1178.	*Doctor patient relation/
1179.	*Long term care/

1180.	*Health care delivery/
1181.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1182.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1183.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1184.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1185.	or/1-27
1186.	letter.pt. or letter/
1187.	note.pt.
1188.	editorial.pt.
1189.	case report/ or case study/
1190.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1191.	or/29-33
1192.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
1193.	34 not 35
1194.	animal/ not human/
1195.	nonhuman/
1196.	exp Animal Experiment/
1197.	exp Experimental Animal/
1198.	animal model/
1199.	exp Rodent/
1200.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1201.	or/36-43
1202.	28 not 44
1203.	limit 45 to English language
1204.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1205.	46 not 47
1206.	*social welfare/
1207.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
1208.	*senior center/
1209.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
1210.	*teleconsultation/
1211.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
1212.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
1213.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
1214.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1215.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1216.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1217.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
1218.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1219.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.

1220.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1221.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1222.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1223.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1224.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropiate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1225.	or/49-67
1226.	48 and 68
1227.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
1228.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
1229.	*Clinical Pathway/
1230.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
1231.	*Care Bundle/
1232.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
1233.	or/70-75
1234.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1235.	48 and 76 and 77
1236.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1237.	48 and 79
1238.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1239.	78 or 80 or 81
1240.	interdisciplinary communication/
1241.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
1242.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1243.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1244.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1245.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
1246.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1247.	*Case Management/
1248.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1249.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1250.	Or/83-92
1251.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/
1252.	*aftercare/
1253.	*hospital discharge/
1254.	*clinical handover/
1255.	*transitional care/

1256.	*patient care planning/
1257.	*medical record/
1258.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
1259.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
1260.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
1261.	Or/94-103
1262.	*Caregiver/
1263.	*Spouse/
1264.	*Family/
1265.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1266.	Or/105-108
1267.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
1268.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
1269.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
1270.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1271.	*Self-Help/
1272.	*Social support/
1273.	*Counseling/
1274.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1275.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1276.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1277.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1278.	or/109-120
1279.	48 and 109 and 120
1280.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*).ti,ab.
1281.	48 and (93 or 104 or 123)
1282.	69 or 82 or 122 or 124

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#1026.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#1027.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#1028.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#1029.	palliat*:ti,ab
#1030.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only

#1031.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#1032.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#1033.	life limit*:ti,ab
#1034.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#1035.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#1036.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#1037.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#1038.	hospice*:ti,ab
#1039.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#1040.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#1041.	((advance* or patient*) near/3 (care or caring) near/3 (continu* or plan*)):ti,ab
#1042.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#1043.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#1044.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#1045.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#1046.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#1047.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#1048.	EOLC:ti,ab
#1049.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#1050.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#1051.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#1052.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#1053.	(or #1-#27)
#1054.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#1055.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#1056.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#1057.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#1058.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#1059.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#1060.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#1061.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#1062.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#1063.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#1064.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#1065.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#1066.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#1067.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#1068.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#1069.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#1070.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#1071.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#1072.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees

#1073.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#1074.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#1075.	(social care):ti,ab
#1076.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#1077.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#1078.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#1079.	(or #29-#53)
#1080.	#28 and #54
#1081.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#1082.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#1083.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#1084.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#1085.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#1086.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#1087.	(or #56-#61)
#1088.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#1089.	#27 and #62 and #63
#1090.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#1091.	#27 and #65
#1092.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#1093.	#64 or #66 or #67
#1094.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#1095.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#1096.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#1097.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#1098.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#1099.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#1100.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#1101.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#1102.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#1103.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#1104.	(or #69-#78)
#1105.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only
#1106.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#1107.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#1108.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#1109.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#1110.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only

#1111.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#1112.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#1113.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#1114.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#1115.	(or #80-#89)
#1116.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#1117.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#1118.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#1119.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#1120.	(or #91-#94)
#1121.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#1122.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#1123.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#1124.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#1125.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#1126.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#1127.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#1128.	(counseling or counsellng*):ti,ab
#1129.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#1130.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#1131.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew* ) near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#1132.	(or #96-#106)
#1133.	27 and 95 and 107
#1134.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#1135.	#29 and (#79 or #90 or #109)
#1136.	#55 or #68 or #108 or #110

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S969.	MH Palliative care
S970.	MH Terminal care
S971.	MH Hospice care
S972.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S973.	MW Terminally ill
S974.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )

S975.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S976.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S977.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S978.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S979.	MH Nursing homes
S980.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S981.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S982.	MH Respite care
S983.	MH Respite care
S984.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S985.	MH Hospices
S986.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S987.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S988.	(MH "Continuity of Patient Care")
S989.	TI ( advance* or patient* ) AND TI ( care or caring ) AND TI ( continu* or plan* )
S990.	AB ( advance* or patient* ) AND AB ( care or caring ) AND AB ( continu* or plan* )
S991.	MH Attitude to Death
S992.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S993.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S994.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S995.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S996.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S997.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S998.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S999.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S1000.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S1001.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S1002.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S1003.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR 27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33 OR S34
S1004.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S1005.	(MH "Charities")
S1006.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S1007.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S1008.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")
S1009.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S1010.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S1011.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S1012.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S1013.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")

S1014.	remote consultation
S1015.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S1016.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S1017.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S1018.	home based versus hospital based
S1019.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S1020.	home hospitali?ation
S1021.	home care service*
S1022.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S1023.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S1024.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S1025.	social care
S1026.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S1027.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S1028.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S1029.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S1030.	S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42 OR S43 OR S44 OR S45 OR S46 OR S47 OR S48 OR S49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52 OR S53 OR S54 OR S55 OR S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61
S1031.	S35 AND S62
S1032.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S1033.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S1034.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S1035.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S1036.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S1037.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S1038.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S1039.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S1040.	S64 OR S65 OR S66 OR S67 OR S68 OR S69 OR S70 OR S71
S1041.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S1042.	S35 AND S72 AND S73
S1043.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S1044.	S35 AND S75
S1045.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S1046.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S1047.	S77 OR S78
S1048.	S74 OR S76 OR S79
S1049.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S1050.	MDT OR IDT

S1051.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S1052.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S1053.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S1054.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S1055.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S1056.	MH Case Management
S1057.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S1058.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S1059.	S81 OR S82 OR S83 OR S84 OR S85 OR S86 OR S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90
S1060.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care
S1061.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S1062.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S1063.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S1064.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S1065.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S1066.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S1067.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S1068.	S92 OR S93 OR S94 OR S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99
S1069.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1070.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1071.	S101 OR S102
S1072.	S36 AND (S91 OR S100 OR S103)
S1073.	S63 OR S80 OR S104

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

46.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*)) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)))
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	OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(altitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
47.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
48.	1 and 2
49.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
50.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

181.	exp End of life care/
182.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
183.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
184.	life limit*.ti,ab.
185.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
186.	EOLC.ti,ab.
187.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
188.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
189.	or/2-8
190.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
191.	9 not 10
192.	limit 11 to English
193.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
194.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or party or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
195.	13 or 14
196.	12 not 15
197.	euthanasia/
198.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
199.	17 or 18
200.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

190.	palliat*.ti,ab.
191.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
192.	life limit*.ti,ab.
193.	hospice*.ti,ab.
194.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
195.	living will*.ti,ab.
196.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
197.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
198.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
199.	EOLC.ti,ab.
200.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.

201.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
202.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
203.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
204.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
205.	or/1-15
206.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
207.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
208.	17 not 18
209.	16 not 19
210.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

10.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men")) OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(altitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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**1.12.2 Health Economics literature search strategy**

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 19: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
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<b>Database</b>	<b>Dates searched</b>	<b>Search filter used</b>
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

801.	Palliative care/
802.	Terminal care/
803.	Hospice care/
804.	palliat*.ti,ab.
805.	Terminally ill/
806.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
807.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
808.	life limit*.ti,ab.
809.	Nursing Homes/
810.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
811.	Respite Care/
812.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
813.	Hospices/
814.	hospice*.ti,ab.
815.	exp Advance Care Planning/
816.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
817.	living will*.ti,ab.
818.	*Patient care planning/
819.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
820.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
821.	*Attitude to Death/
822.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
823.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
824.	*Long-Term Care/
825.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
826.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
827.	EOLC.ti,ab.
828.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
829.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.

830.	or/1-29
831.	letter/
832.	editorial/
833.	news/
834.	exp historical article/
835.	Anecdotes as Topic/
836.	comment/
837.	case report/
838.	(letter or comment*).ti.
839.	or/31-38
840.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
841.	39 not 40
842.	animals/ not humans/
843.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
844.	exp Animal Experimentation/
845.	exp Models, Animal/
846.	exp Rodentia/
847.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
848.	or/41-47
849.	30 not 48
850.	limit 49 to English language
851.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
852.	50 not 51
853.	economics/
854.	value of life/
855.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
856.	exp Economics, Hospital/
857.	exp Economics, medical/
858.	Economics, nursing/
859.	economics, pharmaceutical/
860.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
861.	exp budgets/
862.	budget*.ti,ab.
863.	cost*.ti.
864.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
865.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
866.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
867.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
868.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
869.	or/53-68
870.	exp models, economic/
871.	*Models, Theoretical/
872.	*Models, Organizational/
873.	markov chains/

874.	monte carlo method/
875.	exp Decision Theory/
876.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
877.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
878.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
879.	or/70-78
880.	quality-adjusted life years/
881.	sickness impact profile/
882.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
883.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
884.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
885.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
886.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
887.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
888.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
889.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
890.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
891.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
892.	rosser.ti,ab.
893.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
894.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
895.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
896.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
897.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
898.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
899.	or/80-98
900.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

793.	*Palliative therapy/
794.	*Terminal care/
795.	*Hospice care/
796.	palliat*.ti,ab.
797.	*Terminally ill patient/
798.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
799.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
800.	life limit*.ti,ab.
801.	*Nursing home/
802.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
803.	*Respite Care/
804.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
805.	*Hospice/
806.	hospice*.ti,ab.
807.	*Patient care planning/

808.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
809.	living will*.ti,ab.
810.	*Patient care/
811.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
812.	*Attitude to Death/
813.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
814.	*Doctor patient relation/
815.	*Long term care/
816.	*Health care delivery/
817.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
818.	EOLC.ti,ab.
819.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
820.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
821.	or/1-28
822.	letter.pt. or letter/
823.	note.pt.
824.	editorial.pt.
825.	case report/ or case study/
826.	(letter or comment*).ti.
827.	or/30-34
828.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
829.	35 not 36
830.	animal/ not human/
831.	nonhuman/
832.	exp Animal Experiment/
833.	exp Experimental Animal/
834.	animal model/
835.	exp Rodent/
836.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
837.	or/37-44
838.	29 not 45
839.	limit 46 to English language
840.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
841.	47 not 48
842.	health economics/
843.	exp economic evaluation/
844.	exp health care cost/
845.	exp fee/
846.	budget/
847.	funding/

848.	budget*.ti,ab.
849.	cost*.ti.
850.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
851.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
852.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
853.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
854.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
855.	or/50-62
856.	statistical model/
857.	exp economic aspect/
858.	64 and 65
859.	*theoretical model/
860.	*nonbiological model/
861.	stochastic model/
862.	decision theory/
863.	decision tree/
864.	monte carlo method/
865.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
866.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
867.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
868.	or/66-75
869.	quality-adjusted life years/
870.	"quality of life index"/
871.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
872.	sickness impact profile/
873.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
874.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
875.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
876.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
877.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
878.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
879.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
880.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
881.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
882.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
883.	rosser.ti,ab.
884.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
885.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
886.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
887.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.

888.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
889.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
890.	or/77-97
891.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#257.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#258.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#259.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#260.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#261.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally III IN NHSEED,HTA
#262.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#263.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#264.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#265.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#266.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#267.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#268.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#269.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#270.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#271.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#272.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#273.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#274.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#275.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#276.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#277.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#278.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#279.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#280.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#281.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#282.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#283.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#284.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#285.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#286.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#287.	(#30) IN NHSEED
#288.	(#30) IN HTA

### End of life Care search strategy 11

This literature search strategy was used for the following review;

## 1.13 Optimal transition/Facilitating discharge

The literature searches for this review are detailed below and complied with the methodology outlined in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual 2014, updated 2017  
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/pmg20/resources/developing-nice-guidelines-the-manual-pdf-72286708700869>

*For more detailed information, please see the Methodology Review.* [Add cross reference]

### 1.13.1 Clinical search literature search strategy

Searches for were constructed using a PICO framework where population (P) terms were combined with Intervention (I) and in some cases Comparison (C) terms. Outcomes (O) are rarely used in search strategies for interventions as these concepts may not be well described in title, abstract or indexes and therefore difficult to retrieve. Search filters were applied to the search where appropriate.

**Table 20: Database date parameters and filters used**

Database	Dates searched	Search filter used
Medline (Ovid)	1946 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
Embase (Ovid)	1974 – 15 August 2017	Exclusions
The Cochrane Library (Wiley)	Cochrane Reviews to 2017 Issue 8 of 12 CENTRAL to 2017 Issue 7 of 12 DARE, and NHSEED to 2015 Issue 2 of 4 HTA to 2016 Issue 4 of 4	None
CINAHL, Current Nursing and Allied Health Literature (EBSCO)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Limiters - English Language; Exclude MEDLINE records; Human; Age Groups: Adult: 19-44 years, Middle Aged: 45-64 years, Aged: 65+ years, Aged, 80 and over;
PsycINFO (ProQuest)	Inception – 15 August 2017	Study type
HMIC. Healthcare Management Information Consortium (Ovid)	1979 – 21 August 2017	Exclusions
SPP, Social Policy and Practice	1981 – 15 May 2016	Study types
ASSIA, Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts (ProQuest)	1987 – 04 September 2017	None

#### Medline (Ovid) search terms

1299.	Palliative care/
1300.	Terminal care/

1301.	Hospice care/
1302.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1303.	Terminally ill/
1304.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)).ti,ab.
1305.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
1306.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1307.	Nursing Homes/
1308.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
1309.	Respite Care/
1310.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1311.	Hospices/
1312.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1313.	exp Advance Care Planning/
1314.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
1315.	living will*.ti,ab.
1316.	*Patient care planning/
1317.	*Attitude to Death/
1318.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
1319.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
1320.	*Long-Term Care/
1321.	**Delivery of Health Care"/
1322.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1323.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1324.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1325.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1326.	or/1-27
1327.	letter/
1328.	editorial/
1329.	news/
1330.	exp historical article/
1331.	Anecdotes as Topic/
1332.	comment/
1333.	case report/
1334.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1335.	or/29-36
1336.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
1337.	37 not 38
1338.	animals/ not humans/
1339.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
1340.	exp Animal Experimentation/
1341.	exp Models, Animal/
1342.	exp Rodentia/
1343.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1344.	or/39-45
1345.	28 not 46

1346.	limit 47 to English language
1347.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1348.	48 not 49
1349.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
1350.	*Aftercare/ or *Patient discharge/ or *Patient handoff/ or *Patient transfer/ or *Transitional care/
1351.	Patient Discharge Summaries/
1352.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (dischagr* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
1353.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
1354.	(dischagr* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
1355.	or/51-56
1356.	50 and 57
1357.	After-Hours Care/
1358.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
1359.	rapid response.ti,ab.
1360.	Hospital Rapid Response Team/
1361.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
1362.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
1363.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
1364.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
1365.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
1366.	exp telemedicine/
1367.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
1368.	hotlines/
1369.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
1370.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
1371.	or/59-72
1372.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*).ti,ab.
1373.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
1374.	Critical Pathways/
1375.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
1376.	Patient Care Bundles/
1377.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*).ti,ab.
1378.	or/74-79

1379.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1380.	50 and 80 and 81
1381.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1382.	50 and 83
1383.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1384.	82 or 84 or 85
1385.	patient care team/
1386.	interdisciplinary communication/
1387.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1388.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1389.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1390.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
1391.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1392.	*Case Management/
1393.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1394.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1395.	Or/87-96
1396.	interdisciplinary communication/
1397.	exp Communication Barriers/
1398.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
1399.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
1400.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
1401.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1402.	Or/98-103
1403.	50 and 97 and 104
1404.	Social Welfare/ec, ed, es, eh, ma, st, sn, td [Economics, Education, Ethics, Ethnology, Manpower, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends]
1405.	Charities/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1406.	Home Care Services/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1407.	Community Health Nursing/ec, ed, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Education, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1408.	Telemedicine/ec, es, ma, mt, og, st, sn, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Methods, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Trends, Utilization]
1409.	exp remote consultation/
1410.	*telemedicine/ or *telepathology/ or *teleradiology/ or *telerehabilitation/

1411.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1412.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1413.	Mobile Health Units/ec, es, ma, og, st, sn, sd, td, ut [Economics, Ethics, Manpower, Organization & Administration, Standards, Statistics & Numerical Data, Supply & Distribution, Trends, Utilization]
1414.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1415.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.
1416.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1417.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
1418.	exp Home Care Agencies/
1419.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1420.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1421.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1422.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1423.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1424.	Or/106-125
1425.	exp Advance Care Planning/
1426.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
1427.	living will*.ti,ab.
1428.	or/127-129
1429.	Caregivers/
1430.	Spouses/
1431.	Family/
1432.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grandfather* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1433.	Or/131-134
1434.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*)).ti,ab.
1435.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*)).ti,ab.
1436.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
1437.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1438.	Self-Help Groups/
1439.	exp social support/
1440.	Counseling/
1441.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1442.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1443.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1444.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grandfather* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).adj3 (education or educate

	or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1445.	or/136-146
1446.	50 and 135 and 147
1447.	"referral and consultation"/
1448.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
1449.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
1450.	or/149-151
1451.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
1452.	50 and (73 or 97 or 126 or 130 or 152 or 153)
1453.	58 or 86 or 105 or 148 or 154

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

1283.	*Palliative therapy/
1284.	*Terminal care/
1285.	*Hospice care/
1286.	palliat*.ti,ab.
1287.	*Terminally ill patient/
1288.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
1289.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
1290.	life limit*.ti,ab.
1291.	*Nursing home/
1292.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
1293.	*Respite Care/
1294.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1295.	*Hospice/
1296.	hospice*.ti,ab.
1297.	living will*.ti,ab.
1298.	*Attitude to Death/
1299.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
1300.	*Doctor patient relation/
1301.	*Long term care/
1302.	*Health care delivery/
1303.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
1304.	EOLC.ti,ab.
1305.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
1306.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
1307.	or/1-24
1308.	letter.pt. or letter/
1309.	note.pt.
1310.	editorial.pt.
1311.	case report/ or case study/
1312.	(letter or comment*).ti.
1313.	or/26-30
1314.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.

1315.	31 not 32
1316.	animal/ not human/
1317.	nonhuman/
1318.	exp Animal Experiment/
1319.	exp Experimental Animal/
1320.	animal model/
1321.	exp Rodent/
1322.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
1323.	or/33-40
1324.	25 not 41
1325.	limit 42 to English language
1326.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
1327.	43 not 44
1328.	*patient care/ or *case management/ or *patient care planning/ or *rapid response team/
1329.	*aftercare/
1330.	*hospital discharge/
1331.	*clinical handover/
1332.	*transitional care/
1333.	*patient care planning/
1334.	*medical record/
1335.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) adj (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*).ti,ab.
1336.	((care or caring or serv*) adj2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*).ti,ab.
1337.	(discharg* adj2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*).ti,ab.
1338.	or/46-55
1339.	45 and 56
1340.	(after hours care or after-hours care).ti,ab.
1341.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) adj3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practitioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*).ti,ab.
1342.	rapid response.ti,ab.
1343.	rapid response team/
1344.	(critical care adj2 outreach).ti,ab.
1345.	medical emergency team*.ti,ab.
1346.	(hospital* adj2 home*).ti,ab.
1347.	hospital at night.ti,ab.
1348.	("NHS 111" or "NHS 24" or "NHS Direct").ti,ab.
1349.	exp telehealth/
1350.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support

	or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health).ti,ab.
1351.	telephone/
1352.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*).ti,ab.
1353.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) adj3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*).ti,ab.
1354.	or/58-71
1355.	(commission* adj2 (support* or service* or model*)).ti,ab.
1356.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) adj2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*).ti,ab.
1357.	*Clinical Pathway/
1358.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) adj2 path*).ti,ab.
1359.	*Care Bundle/
1360.	(care adj2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)).ti,ab.
1361.	or/73-78
1362.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*).ti,ab.
1363.	45 and 79 and 80
1364.	gold standard*.ti,ab.
1365.	45 and 82
1366.	(amber adj2 bundle).ti,ab.
1367.	81 or 83 or 84
1368.	interdisciplinary communication/
1369.	patient care team*.ti,ab.
1370.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1371.	((integrat* or network*) adj2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT).ti,ab.
1372.	(key adj2 work*).ti,ab.
1373.	((healthcare or care) adj2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*).ti,ab.
1374.	((healthcare or care) adj1 profession*).ti,ab.
1375.	*Case Management/
1376.	(case adj2 manage*).ti,ab.
1377.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*).ti,ab.
1378.	Or/86-95
1379.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
1380.	living will*.ti,ab.
1381.	97 or 98
1382.	*Caregiver/
1383.	*Spouse/
1384.	*Family/
1385.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or

	sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*).ti,ab.
1386.	Or/100-103
1387.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) adj3 (care* or service*).ti,ab.
1388.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (service* or group* or system*).ti,ab.
1389.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*).ti,ab.
1390.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) adj2 support*).ti,ab.
1391.	*Self-Help/
1392.	*Social support/
1393.	*Counseling/
1394.	(counseling or counselling*).ti,ab.
1395.	(buddy* or buddies).ti,ab.
1396.	((health* or medical*) adj2 check*).ti,ab.
1397.	((spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) adj3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge)).ti,ab.
1398.	or/105-115
1399.	45 and 104 and 116
1400.	interdisciplinary communication/
1401.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact).ti,ab.
1402.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) adj3 information*).ti,ab.
1403.	(followup or follow up).ti,ab.
1404.	(palliativ* adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
1405.	Or/118-121
1406.	45 and 96 and 123
1407.	*social welfare/
1408.	*community health nursing/ or *community care/
1409.	*senior center/
1410.	*telemedicine/ or *telehealth/
1411.	*teleconsultation/
1412.	(telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or mobile health unit*).ti,ab.
1413.	*home care/ or *home health agency/ or *home monitoring/ or *home oxygen therapy/ or *home physiotherapy/ or *home rehabilitation/ or *home respiratory care/ or *respite care/ or *visiting nursing service/
1414.	*health care personnel/ or *health auxiliary/ or *nursing home personnel/
1415.	(telemedicine or tele medicine or telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or telepathology or teleradiology or telerehabilitatio).ti,ab.
1416.	((tele* or remote) adj2 consult*).ti,ab.
1417.	(mobile adj2 (health or care) adj2 unit*).ti,ab.
1418.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care).ti,ab.

1419.	(hospital adj3 (domicil* or home)).ti,ab.
1420.	home hospitali*ation.ti,ab.
1421.	(social adj (welfare or care)).ti,ab.
1422.	(nurs* adj4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)).ti,ab.
1423.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) adj nurs*).ti,ab.
1424.	(community adj2 (health care or healthcare or nursing or nurse*)).ti,ab.
1425.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) adj3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriateness* or increase* or risk*)).ti,ab.
1426.	Or/125-143
1427.	exp patient referral/
1428.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*).ti,ab.
1429.	(recommend* or direct*).ti,ab.
1430.	or/145-147
1431.	(service* adj3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequency* or review* or ident* or assess*)).ti,ab.
1432.	45 and (72 or 96 or 99 or 144 or 148 or 149)
1433.	57 or 85 or 124 or 117 or 150

**Cochrane Library (Wiley) search terms**

#1137.	MeSH descriptor: [Palliative Care] this term only
#1138.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminal Care] this term only
#1139.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospice Care] this term only
#1140.	palliat*:ti,ab
#1141.	MeSH descriptor: [Terminally Ill] this term only
#1142.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) near/2 (care* or caring or ill*)):ti,ab
#1143.	((dying or terminal) near (phase* or stage*)):ti,ab
#1144.	life limit*:ti,ab
#1145.	MeSH descriptor: [Nursing Homes] explode all trees
#1146.	MeSH descriptor: [Respite Care] this term only
#1147.	((respite or day) near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#1148.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospices] this term only
#1149.	hospice*:ti,ab
#1150.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Planning] this term only
#1151.	MeSH descriptor: [Attitude to Death] explode all trees
#1152.	(attitude* near/3 (death* or dying*)):ti,ab
#1153.	MeSH descriptor: [Physician-Patient Relations] this term only
#1154.	MeSH descriptor: [Long-Term Care] this term only
#1155.	MeSH descriptor: [Delivery of Health Care] this term only
#1156.	(end near/2 life):ti,ab
#1157.	EOLC:ti,ab
#1158.	((last or final) near/2 (year or month*) near/2 life):ti,ab
#1159.	((dying or death) near/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)):ti,ab
#1160.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#1161.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#1162.	(or #1-#25)
#1163.	MeSH descriptor: [Continuity of Patient Care] this term only

#1164.	MeSH descriptor: [Aftercare] this term only
#1165.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge] this term only
#1166.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Handoff] this term only
#1167.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Transfer] this term only
#1168.	MeSH descriptor: [Transitional Care] this term only
#1169.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Discharge Summaries] this term only
#1170.	((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) near (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*)):ti,ab
#1171.	((care or caring or serv*) near/2 (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*)):ti,ab
#1172.	(discharg* near/2 (facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*)):ti,ab
#1173.	(or #27-#36)
#1174.	#26 and #37
#1175.	MeSH descriptor: [After-Hours Care] explode all trees
#1176.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) near/3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*)):ti,ab
#1177.	rapid next response:ti,ab
#1178.	MeSH descriptor: [Hospital Rapid Response Team] explode all trees
#1179.	medical next emergency next team*:ti,ab
#1180.	(hospital* near/2 home*):ti,ab
#1181.	hospital next at next night:ti,ab
#1182.	(NHS next (111 or 24 or direct)):ti,ab
#1183.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#1184.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health):ti,ab
#1185.	MeSH descriptor: [Hotlines] explode all trees
#1186.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*):ti,ab
#1187.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) near/3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*)):ti,ab
#1188.	(or #39-#51)
#1189.	(commission* near/2 (support* or service* or model*)):ti,ab
#1190.	((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat*) near/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*)):ti,ab
#1191.	MeSH descriptor: [Critical Pathways] explode all trees
#1192.	((critical or clinic* or service* or care) near/2 path*):ti,ab
#1193.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Bundles] explode all trees
#1194.	(care near/2 (bundle* or service* or package* or standard*)):ti,ab
#1195.	(or #53-#58)
#1196.	(assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer*):ti,ab
#1197.	#26 and #59 and #60

#1198.	gold standard*:ti,ab
#1199.	#26 and #62
#1200.	(amber near/2 bundle):ti,ab
#1201.	#61 or #63 or #64
#1202.	MeSH descriptor: [Patient Care Team] explode all trees
#1203.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#1204.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)) or MDT or IDT):ti,ab
#1205.	((integrat* or network*) near/2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*)):ti,ab
#1206.	(key near/2 work*):ti,ab
#1207.	((healthcare or care) near/2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)):ti,ab
#1208.	((healthcare or care) near/1 profession*):ti,ab
#1209.	MeSH descriptor: [Case Management] this term only
#1210.	(case near/2 manage*):ti,ab
#1211.	(co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*):ti,ab
#1212.	(or #66-#75)
#1213.	MeSH descriptor: [Advance Care Planning] explode all trees
#1214.	(advance* near/2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)):ti,ab
#1215.	living will*:ti,ab
#1216.	(or #77-#79)
#1217.	MeSH descriptor: [Caregivers] this term only
#1218.	MeSH descriptor: [Spouses] this term only
#1219.	MeSH descriptor: [Family] this term only
#1220.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*):ti,ab
#1221.	(or #81-#84)
#1222.	((replacement or break* or holiday* or respite) near/3 (care* or service*)):ti,ab
#1223.	((communit* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (service* or group* or system*)):ti,ab
#1224.	((group* or support* or psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/3 (selfhelp or self help or therap*)):ti,ab
#1225.	((psychosocial* or psycholog*) near/2 support*):ti,ab
#1226.	MeSH descriptor: [Self-Help Groups] this term only
#1227.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Support] explode all trees
#1228.	MeSH descriptor: [Counseling] this term only
#1229.	(counseling or counsellng*):ti,ab
#1230.	(buddy* or buddies):ti,ab
#1231.	(health or medical*) near/3 check*:ti,ab
#1232.	(spouse* or wife or wives or husband* or carer* or caregiver* or care giver* or significant other* or friend* or partner* or family or families or individual* or sibling* or

	brother* or sister* or relative or relatives or mothers* or daughters* or father* or son or sons or uncle* or aunt* or grand mother* or grandmother* or grandfather* or grand father* or aunt* or uncle* or cousin* or niece* or nephew*) near/3 (education or educate or educating or information or literature or leaflet* or booklet* or pamphlet* or website* or knowledge):ti,ab
#1233.	(or #86-#96)
#1234.	#26 and #85 and #97
#1235.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
#1236.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
#1237.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
#1238.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
#1239.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
#1240.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
#1241.	(or #99-#104)
#1242.	#26 and #76 and #105
#1243.	MeSH descriptor: [Social Welfare] explode all trees
#1244.	MeSH descriptor: [Charities] explode all trees
#1245.	MeSH descriptor: [Adult Day Care Centers] explode all trees
#1246.	MeSH descriptor: [Community Health Nursing] explode all trees
#1247.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services] explode all trees
#1248.	MeSH descriptor: [Senior Centers] explode all trees
#1249.	MeSH descriptor: [Telemedicine] this term only
#1250.	MeSH descriptor: [Remote Consultation] explode all trees
#1251.	((telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team*):ti,ab
#1252.	MeSH descriptor: [Mobile Health Units] explode all trees
#1253.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) near/3 (care or health care or healthcare)):ti,ab
#1254.	(hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care):ti,ab
#1255.	((hospitali*ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) near/3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*)):ti,ab
#1256.	(home based versus hospital based):ti,ab
#1257.	(hospital near/3 (domicil* or home)):ti,ab
#1258.	(home hospitali*ation):ti,ab
#1259.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Services, Hospital-Based] explode all trees
#1260.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Nursing] explode all trees
#1261.	MeSH descriptor: [Homemaker Services] explode all trees
#1262.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Care Agencies] explode all trees
#1263.	MeSH descriptor: [Home Health Aides] explode all trees
#1264.	(social care):ti,ab
#1265.	MeSH descriptor: [Nurses, Community Health] explode all trees
#1266.	(nurs* near/4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based)):ti,ab
#1267.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) near nurs*):ti,ab
#1268.	(Or #107-#131)
#1269.	MeSH descriptor: [Referral and Consultation] explode all trees
#1270.	(referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult*):ti,ab

#1271.	(recommend* or direct*):ti,ab
#1272.	(or #133-#135)
#1273.	service* near/3 (provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess*):ti,ab
#1274.	#26 and( #52 or #76 or #80 or #132 or #136 or #137)
#1275.	#38 or #65 or #98 or #106 or #138

**CINAHL (EBSCO) search terms**

S1074.	MH Palliative care
S1075.	MH Terminal care
S1076.	MH Hospice care
S1077.	TI palliat* OR AB palliat*
S1078.	MW Terminally ill
S1079.	TI ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND TI ( care* or caring or ill* )
S1080.	AB ( terminal* or long term or longterm ) AND AB ( care* or caring or ill* )
S1081.	TI ( dying or terminal ) AND TI ( phase* or stage* )
S1082.	AB ( dying or terminal ) AND AB ( phase* or stage* )
S1083.	TI life limit* OR AB life limit*
S1084.	MH Nursing homes
S1085.	TI ( care or nursing ) AND TI ( home or homes )
S1086.	AB ( care or nursing ) AND AB ( home or homes )
S1087.	MH Respite care
S1088.	TI ( respite or day ) AND TI ( care or caring )
S1089.	AB ( respite or day ) AND AB ( care or caring )
S1090.	MH Hospices
S1091.	TI Hospice* OR AB Hospice*
S1092.	(MH "Patient Care Plans")
S1093.	MH Attitude to Death
S1094.	TI attitude* AND TI ( death* or dying )
S1095.	AB attitude* AND AB ( death* or dying )
S1096.	MH Physician-Patient Relations
S1097.	(MH "Long Term Care")
S1098.	(MH "Health Care Delivery")
S1099.	TI end AND TI life OR AB end AND AB life
S1100.	TI EOLC OR AB EOLC
S1101.	TI ( last or final ) AND TI ( year or month ) AND TI life
S1102.	AB ( last or final ) AND AB ( year or month ) AND AB life
S1103.	TI ( dying or death ) AND TI ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S1104.	AB ( dying or death ) AND AB ( patient* or person* or people or care or caring )
S1105.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1106.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1107.	S1 OR S2 OR S3 OR S4 OR S5 OR S6 OR S7 OR S8 OR S9 OR S10 OR S11 OR S12 OR S13 OR S14 OR S15 OR S16 OR S17 OR S18 OR S19 OR S20 OR S21 OR S22 OR S23 OR S24 OR S25 OR S26 OR S27 OR S28 OR S29 OR S30 OR S31 OR S32 OR S33
S1108.	MH Continuity of Patient Care OR MH Aftercare OR MH Patient discharge OR MH Patient handoff OR MH Patient transfer OR MH Transitional care

S1109.	(MM "Discharge Planning") OR (MM "Patient Discharge Summaries")
S1110.	TI ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND TX ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S1111.	AB ( ((patient* or person* or people or nursing* or clinic*) ) AND AB ( (discharg* or handover* or hand* over* or handoff* or hand off* or signout* or sign* out* or signover* or sign* over*) )
S1112.	AB ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND AB ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S1113.	TI ( (care or caring or serv*) ) AND TI ( (continu* or change* or transition* or transfer*) )
S1114.	TI discharg* AND TI ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S1115.	AB discharg* AND AB ( facilitat* or rapid* or pathway* or path way* or plan* or program*) )
S1116.	S35 OR S36 OR S37 OR S38 OR S39 OR S40 OR S41 OR S42
S1117.	S34 AND S43
S1118.	out of hours care
S1119.	((morning* or evening* or weekday or weekend* or 7 day or seven day or seven-day or after-hour* or 24 hour* or 24hour* or twenty-four-hour* or out-of-hour* or 9-5 or Monday-Friday or Saturday or Sunday) n3 (service* or access* or availab* or hour* or appointment* or care or caring or palliativ* or pharmacy* or telephone* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or nurs* or speciali* or physician* or doctor* or expert* or professional* or paramedic* or general practioner* or GP* or social worker* or case worker* or ambulance* or health worker* or physiotherapist* or therapist*))
S1120.	rapid response
S1121.	(critical care n2 outreach) OR medical emergency team* OR (hospital* n2 home*) OR hospital at night
S1122.	NHS 111 OR NHS 24 OR NHS Direct
S1123.	(MH "Telemedicine") OR (MH "Telehealth")
S1124.	(telehealth* or tele-health* or telemedicine* or tele-medicine* or teleconsult* or tele-consult* or tele-monitor* or telemonitor* or telemanag* or tele-manag* or telepharm* or tele-pharm* or telenurs* or tele-nurs* or tele-homecare or telehomecare or tele-support or telesupport or mobile health or ehealth or e-health or mhealth or m-health)
S1125.	(MH "Telephone Information Services")
S1126.	(hotline* or helpline* or help-line* or call cent* or call service*)
S1127.	((email* or e-mail* or telephone* or phone* or video*) n3 (servic* or advic* or advis* or consult* or support* or care* or caring* or appoint*))
S1128.	S45 OR S46 OR S47 OR S48 OR S49 OR S50 OR S51 OR S52 OR S53 OR S54
S1129.	TI commission* AND TI ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S1130.	AB commission* AND AB ( (support* or service* or model*) )
S1131.	TI ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND TI ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S1132.	AB ( service* or program* or co-ordinat* or co ordinat* or coordinat* ) AND AB ( model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab* )
S1133.	TI ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND TI path*
S1134.	AB ( critical or clinic* or service* or care ) AND AB path*
S1135.	TI care AND TI ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S1136.	AB care AND AB ( bundle* or service* or package* or standard* )
S1137.	S56 OR S57 OR S58 OR S59 OR S60 OR S61 OR S62 OR S63

S1138.	TI ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* ) OR AB ( assess* or criteria* or predict* or recogni* or identif* or refer* )
S1139.	S34 AND S64 AND S65
S1140.	TI gold standard* OR AB gold standard*
S1141.	S34 AND S67
S1142.	TI amber AND TI bundle
S1143.	AB amber AND AB bundle
S1144.	S69 OR S70
S1145.	S66 OR S68 OR S71
S1146.	(MH "Multidisciplinary Care Team+")
S1147.	MDT OR IDT
S1148.	((interdisciplin* or inter-disciplin* or interprofession* or inter-profession* or multidisciplin* or multi-disciplin* or multi-profession* or multiprofession* or transprofession* or trans-profession*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S1149.	((integrat* or network*) n2 (team* or staff* or meeting* or manag* or appointment* or system* or program* or practic* or advic* or advis* or caring or intervention* or ward* or round* or panel* or forum* or fora or communicat* or collaborat* or relat*))
S1150.	TI (key n2 work*) OR AB (key n2 work*)
S1151.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n2 (lead or leader or leads or facilitat*)) )
S1152.	TI ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) ) OR AB ( ((healthcare or care) n1 profession*) )
S1153.	MH Case Management
S1154.	TI (case n2 manage*) OR AB (case n2 manage*)
S1155.	TI ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*)*) ) OR AB ( (co-ordinator* or coordinator* or coordinate* or co-ordinate*) )
S1156.	S73 OR S74 OR S75 OR S76 OR S77 OR S78 OR S79 OR S80 OR S81 OR S82
S1157.	TI advance* AND TI ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1158.	AB advance* AND AB ( plan* or decision* or directive* )
S1159.	S84 OR S85
S1160.	MeSH descriptor: [Interdisciplinary Communication] explode all trees
S1161.	MeSH descriptor: [Communication Barriers] explode all trees
S1162.	(communicat* or discuss* or speak* or talk* or convers* or contact):ti,ab
S1163.	((handover or hand over or share or shared or sharing or transfer*) near/3 information*):ti,ab
S1164.	(followup or follow up):ti,ab
S1165.	(palliativ* near/2 (care or caring)):ti,ab
S1166.	S87 OR S88 OR S89 OR S90 OR S91 OR S92
S1167.	S34 AND S83 AND S93
S1168.	(MM "Social Welfare")
S1169.	(MH "Charities")
S1170.	(MM "Adult Day Center (Saba CCC)") OR (MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Older Adult Care (Saba CCC)")
S1171.	(MH "Community Health Nursing+") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S1172.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Health Aides") OR (MM "Home Health Care Information Systems") OR (MM "Home Health Aide Service (Saba CCC)")

S1173.	(MM "Housing for the Elderly") OR (MM "Rural Health Centers") OR (MM "Community Health Centers")
S1174.	(MH "Telemedicine+") OR (MH "Telehealth+")
S1175.	(MM "Remote Consultation") OR (MM "Telephone Consultation (Iowa NIC)") OR (MM "Services for Australian Rural and Remote Allied Health")
S1176.	telehealth or tele health or virtual hospital* or helpline* or help line* or rapid response team* or senior center*
S1177.	(MM "Rural Health Personnel") OR (MM "Mobile Health Units")
S1178.	remote consultation
S1179.	((community based or community dwelling home or rural) n3 (care or health care or healthcare))
S1180.	hospital-based home care or HBHC or hospital-based hospice care or acute hospital care
S1181.	((hospitali?ation* or admission* or readmission* or admit*) n3 (reduc* or avoid* or prevent* or inappropriate or increase* or risk*))
S1182.	home based versus hospital based
S1183.	(hospital n3 (domicil* or home))
S1184.	home hospitali?ation
S1185.	home care service*
S1186.	(MM "Home Health Agencies") OR (MM "Nursing Home Personnel")
S1187.	(MM "Homemaker Services") OR (MM "Health Services for the Aged")
S1188.	(MH "Home Health Care+") OR (MM "Home Care Equipment and Supplies") OR (MH "Nursing Homes") OR (MM "National Association for Home Care & Hospice") OR (MM "Nursing Home Patients")
S1189.	social care
S1190.	(MM "Hospitals, Community")
S1191.	(MM "Home Nursing") OR (MM "Home Nursing, Professional")
S1192.	(nurs* n4 (home-visit* or home visit* or home-based or home based))
S1193.	((district* or communit* or home or visit*) n nurs*)
S1194.	S95 OR S96 OR S97 OR S98 OR S99 OR S100 OR S101 OR S102 OR S103 OR S104 OR S105 OR S106 OR S107 OR S108 OR S109 OR S110 OR S111 OR S112 OR S113 OR S114 OR S115 OR S116 OR S117 OR S118 OR S119 OR S120
S1195.	(MH "Referral and Consultation+")
S1196.	TI ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* ) OR AB ( referral* or referred or referring or refer or refers or consult* )
S1197.	TI ( recommend* or direct* ) OR AB ( recommend* or direct* )
S1198.	S122 OR S123 OR S124
S1199.	TX service* AND TX ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S1200.	AB service* AND AB ( provision* or deliver* or addition* or method* or time* or timing or frequent* or frequenc* or review* or ident* or assess* )
S1201.	S126 OR S127
S1202.	S34 AND (S55 OR S83 OR S86 OR S121 OR S125 OR S128)
S1203.	S44 OR S72 OR S94 OR S129

**PsycINFO (ProQuest) search terms**

51.	(ti,ab(commission* NEAR/2 (support* OR service* OR model*)) OR ((service* OR program* OR co-ordinat* OR coordinat*) NEAR/2 (model* OR deliver* OR strateg* OR support* OR access* OR method* OR system* OR policies OR policy OR availab*))) AND (SU.EXACT("Palliative Care") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally Ill Patients") OR SU.EXACT("Hospice") OR ti,ab(palliat*) OR ti,ab((terminal* OR long-term OR
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	longterm) NEAR/2 (care* OR caring OR ill*) OR ti,ab((dying OR terminal) NEAR/1 (phase* OR stage*)) OR ti,ab(life-limit*) OR SU.EXACT("Nursing Homes") OR ti,ab((care OR nursing) NEAR/2 (home OR homes)) OR SU.EXACT("Respite Care") OR ti,ab((respite OR day) NEAR/2 (care OR caring)) OR ti,ab(hospice*) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Treatment Planning") OR MJSUB.EXACT("Continuum of Care") OR ti,ab((advance* OR patient*) NEAR/3 (care OR caring) NEAR/3 (continu* OR plan*)) OR MJSUB.EXACT("Long Term Care") OR ti,ab(attitude* NEAR/3 (death* OR dying*)) OR ti,ab(end NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab(EOLC) OR ti,ab((last OR final) NEAR/2 (year OR month*) NEAR/2 life) OR ti,ab((dying OR death) NEAR/2 (patient* OR person* OR people OR care OR caring)))
52.	Adolescence (13-17 Yrs), Adulthood (18 Yrs & Older), Aged (65 Yrs & Older), Middle Age (40-64 Yrs), Thirties (30-39 Yrs), Very Old (85 Yrs & Older), Young Adulthood (18-29 Yrs)
53.	1 and 2
54.	Conference Proceedings, Journal Article, Peer Reviewed Journal
55.	3 and 4

**HMIC (Ovid) search terms**

201.	exp End of life care/
202.	(terminal* adj ill*).ti,ab.
203.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
204.	life limit*.ti,ab.
205.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
206.	EOLC.ti,ab.
207.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
208.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
209.	or/2-8
210.	(exp child/ or exp Paediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp older people/)
211.	9 not 10
212.	limit 11 to English
213.	limit 12 to (audiovis or book or chapter dh helmis or circular or microfiche dh helmis or multimedias or website)
214.	limit 12 to (audiocass or books or cdrom or chapter or dept pubs or diskettes or folio pamp or "map" or marc or microfiche or multimedia or pamphlet or parly or press or press rel or thesis or trustdoc or video or videos or website)
215.	13 or 14
216.	12 not 15
217.	euthanasia/
218.	euthanasia.ti,ab.
219.	17 or 18
220.	16 not 19

**SPP (Ovid) search terms**

211.	palliat*.ti,ab.
212.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
213.	life limit*.ti,ab.
214.	hospice*.ti,ab.
215.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
216.	living will*.ti,ab.

217.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
218.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
219.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
220.	EOLC.ti,ab.
221.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
222.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
223.	(nursing adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
224.	(terminal* adj2 ill*).ti,ab.
225.	(respite adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
226.	or/1-15
227.	(child* or infant*).ti,ab.
228.	(adult* or adolescent*).ti,ab.
229.	17 not 18
230.	16 not 19
231.	limit 20 to (journal or journal article or online resource or online report or report)

**ASSIA (ProQuest) search terms**

11.	palliat*.ti,ab. ((ti,ab(commission* N/2 (support* or service* or model*)) OR ti,ab((service* or program* or co-ordinat* or coordinat*) N/2 (model* or deliver* or strateg* or support* or access* or method* or system* or policies or policy or availab*))) AND ((SU.EXACT("Care" OR "Clinical nursing" OR "Community homes" OR "Community nursery nursing" OR "Community nursing" OR "Compassionate care" OR "Continuing care" OR "District nursing" OR "Family centred care" OR "Geriatric wards" OR "Group care" OR "Health visiting" OR "Home care" OR "Home from home care" OR "Home health aides" OR "Home helps" OR "Hospices" OR "Hostel wards" OR "Informal care" OR "Integrated care pathways" OR "Intentional care" OR "Intermediate care" OR "Intermediate care centres" OR "Lack of care" OR "Learning disability nursing" OR "Length of stay" OR "Liaison nursing" OR "Long stay wards" OR "Long term care" OR "Long term home care" OR "Long term residential care" OR "Nurse led care" OR "Nursing" OR "Occupational health nursing" OR "Ontological care" OR "Out of home care" OR "Outreach nursing" OR "Palliative care" OR "Paranursing" OR "Pastoral care" OR "Patient care" OR "Primary nursing" OR "Private residential care" OR "Process centred care" OR "Quality of care" OR "Radical health visiting" OR "Residential care" OR "Residential group care" OR "Respite care" OR "Shared care" OR "Social care" "Temporary care" OR "Terminal care" OR "Wards") OR (SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill fathers") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly men") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill elderly women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young adults") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill parents") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill women") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill widowed sisters") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill colleagues") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill young girls") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill people") OR SU.EXACT("Terminally ill men") OR SU.EXACT("Advance directives" OR "Do not resuscitate orders" OR "Durable power of attorney for health care" OR "Living wills" OR "Treatment preferences" OR "Treatment needs")) OR (ti,ab((advance* or patient*) N/3 (care or caring) N/3 (continu* or plan*)) or ti,ab(attitude* N/3 (death* or dying*)) or ti,ab(end N/2 life) or ti,ab(EOLC) or ti,ab((last or final) N/2 (year or month*) N/2 life) or ti,ab((dying or death) N/2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)))))) OR SU.EXACT("End of life decisions")
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**1.13.2 Health Economics literature search strategy**

Health economic evidence was identified by conducting a broad search relating to end of life care in NHS Economic Evaluation Database (NHS EED – this ceased to be updated after March 2015) and the Health Technology Assessment database (HTA) with no date

restrictions. NHS EED and HTA databases are hosted by the Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD). Additional searches were run on Medline and Embase for health economics, economic modelling and quality of life studies.

**Table 21: Database date parameters and filters used**

<b>Database</b>	<b>Dates searched</b>	<b>Search filter used</b>
Medline	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Embase	2014 – 25 August 2017	Exclusions Health economics studies Health economics modelling studies Quality of life studies
Centre for Research and Dissemination (CRD)	HTA - Inception – 25 August 2017 NHSEED - Inception to March 2015	None

**Medline (Ovid) search terms**

901.	Palliative care/
902.	Terminal care/
903.	Hospice care/
904.	palliat*.ti,ab.
905.	Terminally ill/
906.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
907.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*).ti,ab.
908.	life limit*.ti,ab.
909.	Nursing Homes/
910.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
911.	Respite Care/
912.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
913.	Hospices/
914.	hospice*.ti,ab.
915.	exp Advance Care Planning/
916.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*).ti,ab.
917.	living will*.ti,ab.
918.	*Patient care planning/
919.	**Continuity of Patient Care"/
920.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*).ti,ab.
921.	*Attitude to Death/
922.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*).ti,ab.
923.	*Physician-Patient Relations/
924.	*Long-Term Care/
925.	**Delivery of Health Care"/

926.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
927.	EOLC.ti,ab.
928.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
929.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
930.	or/1-29
931.	letter/
932.	editorial/
933.	news/
934.	exp historical article/
935.	Anecdotes as Topic/
936.	comment/
937.	case report/
938.	(letter or comment*).ti.
939.	or/31-38
940.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
941.	39 not 40
942.	animals/ not humans/
943.	exp Animals, Laboratory/
944.	exp Animal Experimentation/
945.	exp Models, Animal/
946.	exp Rodentia/
947.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
948.	or/41-47
949.	30 not 48
950.	limit 49 to English language
951.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
952.	50 not 51
953.	economics/
954.	value of life/
955.	exp "costs and cost analysis"/
956.	exp Economics, Hospital/
957.	exp Economics, medical/
958.	Economics, nursing/
959.	economics, pharmaceutical/
960.	exp "Fees and Charges"/
961.	exp budgets/
962.	budget*.ti,ab.
963.	cost*.ti.
964.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
965.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
966.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
967.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
968.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
969.	or/53-68

970.	exp models, economic/
971.	*Models, Theoretical/
972.	*Models, Organizational/
973.	markov chains/
974.	monte carlo method/
975.	exp Decision Theory/
976.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
977.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
978.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
979.	or/70-78
980.	quality-adjusted life years/
981.	sickness impact profile/
982.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
983.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
984.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
985.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
986.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
987.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
988.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
989.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
990.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
991.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
992.	rosser.ti,ab.
993.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
994.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
995.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
996.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
997.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
998.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
999.	or/80-98
1000.	52 and (69 or 79 or 99)

**Embase (Ovid) search terms**

892.	*Palliative therapy/
893.	*Terminal care/
894.	*Hospice care/
895.	palliat*.ti,ab.
896.	*Terminally ill patient/
897.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*).ti,ab.
898.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)).ti,ab.
899.	life limit*.ti,ab.
900.	*Nursing home/
901.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes)).ti,ab.
902.	*Respite Care/

903.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring)).ti,ab.
904.	*Hospice/
905.	hospice*.ti,ab.
906.	*Patient care planning/
907.	(advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*)).ti,ab.
908.	living will*.ti,ab.
909.	*Patient care/
910.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)).ti,ab.
911.	*Attitude to Death/
912.	(attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*)).ti,ab.
913.	*Doctor patient relation/
914.	*Long term care/
915.	*Health care delivery/
916.	(end adj2 life).ti,ab.
917.	EOLC.ti,ab.
918.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life).ti,ab.
919.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring)).ti,ab.
920.	or/1-28
921.	letter.pt. or letter/
922.	note.pt.
923.	editorial.pt.
924.	case report/ or case study/
925.	(letter or comment*).ti.
926.	or/30-34
927.	randomized controlled trial/ or random*.ti,ab.
928.	35 not 36
929.	animal/ not human/
930.	nonhuman/
931.	exp Animal Experiment/
932.	exp Experimental Animal/
933.	animal model/
934.	exp Rodent/
935.	(rat or rats or mouse or mice).ti.
936.	or/37-44
937.	29 not 45
938.	limit 46 to English language
939.	(exp child/ or exp pediatrics/ or exp infant/) not (exp adolescent/ or exp adult/ or exp middle age/ or exp aged/)
940.	47 not 48
941.	health economics/
942.	exp economic evaluation/

943.	exp health care cost/
944.	exp fee/
945.	budget/
946.	funding/
947.	budget*.ti,ab.
948.	cost*.ti.
949.	(economic* or pharmaco?economic*).ti.
950.	(price* or pricing*).ti,ab.
951.	(cost* adj2 (effectiv* or utilit* or benefit* or minimi* or unit* or estimat* or variable*)).ab.
952.	(financ* or fee or fees).ti,ab.
953.	(value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab.
954.	or/50-62
955.	statistical model/
956.	exp economic aspect/
957.	64 and 65
958.	*theoretical model/
959.	*nonbiological model/
960.	stochastic model/
961.	decision theory/
962.	decision tree/
963.	monte carlo method/
964.	(markov* or monte carlo).ti,ab.
965.	econom* model*.ti,ab.
966.	(decision* adj2 (tree* or analy* or model*)).ti,ab.
967.	or/66-75
968.	quality-adjusted life years/
969.	"quality of life index"/
970.	short form 12/ or short form 20/ or short form 36/ or short form 8/
971.	sickness impact profile/
972.	(quality adj2 (wellbeing or well being)).ti,ab.
973.	sickness impact profile.ti,ab.
974.	disability adjusted life.ti,ab.
975.	(qal* or qtime* or qwb* or daly*).ti,ab.
976.	(euroqol* or eq5d* or eq 5*).ti,ab.
977.	(qol* or hql* or hqol* or h qol* or hrqol* or hr qol*).ti,ab.
978.	(health utility* or utility score* or disutilit* or utility value*).ti,ab.
979.	(hui or hui1 or hui2 or hui3).ti,ab.
980.	(health* year* equivalent* or hye or hyes).ti,ab.
981.	discrete choice*.ti,ab.
982.	rosser.ti,ab.

983.	(willingness to pay or time tradeoff or time trade off or tto or standard gamble*).ti,ab.
984.	(sf36* or sf 36* or short form 36* or shortform 36* or shortform36*).ti,ab.
985.	(sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or shortform20).ti,ab.
986.	(sf12* or sf 12* or short form 12* or shortform 12* or shortform12*).ti,ab.
987.	(sf8* or sf 8* or short form 8* or shortform 8* or shortform8*).ti,ab.
988.	(sf6* or sf 6* or short form 6* or shortform 6* or shortform6*).ti,ab.
989.	or/77-97
990.	49 and (63 or 76 or 98)

**NHS EED and HTA (CRD) search terms**

#289.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Palliative Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#290.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminal Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#291.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospice Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#292.	(palliat*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#293.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Terminally Ill IN NHSEED,HTA
#294.	((terminal* or long term or longterm) adj2 (care* or caring or ill*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#295.	((dying or terminal) adj (phase* or stage*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#296.	(life limit*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#297.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nursing Homes IN NHSEED,HTA
#298.	((care or nursing) adj2 (home or homes))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#299.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Respite Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#300.	((respite or day) adj2 (care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#301.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Hospices IN NHSEED,HTA
#302.	(hospice*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#303.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Advance Care Planning EXPLODE ALL TREES IN NHSEED,HTA
#304.	((advance* adj2 (plan* or decision* or directive*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#305.	(living will*) IN NHSEED, HTA
#306.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Care Planning IN NHSEED,HTA
#307.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Continuity of Patient Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#308.	((advance* or patient*) adj3 (care or caring) adj3 (continu* or plan*)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#309.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Attitude to Death IN NHSEED,HTA
#310.	((attitude* adj3 (death* or dying*))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#311.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Physician-Patient Relations IN NHSEED,HTA
#312.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Long-Term Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#313.	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Delivery of Health Care IN NHSEED,HTA
#314.	((end adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#315.	(EOLC) IN NHSEED, HTA
#316.	((last or final) adj2 (year or month*) adj2 life)) IN NHSEED, HTA
#317.	((dying or death) adj2 (patient* or person* or people or care or caring))) IN NHSEED, HTA
#318.	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13 OR #14 OR #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29
#319.	(#30) IN NHSEED

#320.	(#30) IN HTA
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