

PALLIATIVE CARE, MINOR

In our palliative care program, you'll learn to work throughout the continuum of illness, addressing the physical, emotional, social, and spiritual needs of your patients while bolstering their autonomy and access to information. This high-demand specialty is relevant for all types of nursing practice, including gerontology, oncology, pediatrics, home care, and mental health.

For more information: <http://www.nursing.upenn.edu/palliative-care-minor/>

Curriculum

A total of 3 course units are required.

Code	Title	Course Units
Core Courses		
NURS 5570	Principles of Palliative Care	1
NURS 5670	An Evidence-based Approach to Managing Symptoms in Advanced Illness	1
Elective Courses		
Select one of the following:		1
NURS 5110	Loss, Grief and Bereavement	
NURS 5250	Ethical Aspects of Health and Technology	
NURS 5400	Current Issues In Health and Social Policy	
NURS 6360	Pain Science and Practice	
Total Course Units		3

The degree and major requirements displayed are intended as a guide for students entering in the Fall of 2025 and later. Students should consult with their academic program regarding final certifications and requirements for graduation.
