

LKS Current Awareness Bulletin Bereavement March/May 2019

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Welcome to the National Bereavement Care Pathway

Prime Minister urges all NHS Trusts to [adopt the National Bereavement Care Pathway](#).
National Bereavement Care Pathway

Sonographers and the National Bereavement Care Pathway

A project to improve the overall quality of bereavement care for parents and families whose baby has died before, during or shortly after birth, is being extended to include 21 more NHS trusts across England, in addition to the 11 which pioneered the programme. "Sonographers should be aware of their role in the National Bereavement Care Pathways," [according to Nigel Thomson](#), the Society's professional officer for ultrasound.

The Society of Radiographers

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[Improving quality of dying: What makes a 'good death'?](#)

[Where do nurses go for help? A qualitative study of coping with death and dying](#)

[Raising awareness that dying matters](#)

[Paradoxes of death and dying](#)

[Conversations with families about reducing the risk of sudden infant death syndrome](#)

[Attitudes and perceptions of paramedics about end-of-life care: a literature review](#)

[Suicide and self-harm: vulnerable children and young people](#)

[Bereavement midwife Christa Burgess receives Cavell Star](#)

[Care after death](#)

[Our crucial journey in end-of-life care](#)

[Managing common end-of-life cancer presentations according to the evidence](#)

[Pioneering end-of-life care at London Ambulance Service](#)

[Are district nurses well placed to provide equitable end-of-life care to individuals who are homeless?](#)

[Shifting perspectives in palliative and end-of-life care: a personal view](#)

[Dignity in life and care: the perspectives of Swedish patients in a palliative care context](#)

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Nurses struggling to look after dying patients due of staff shortages, survey finds

Recording the precious stories of the dying

<https://twitter.com/DyingMatters/status/1134071976732045312>

Trafford Council organise bereavement open day organised by to 'break taboo'

<https://twitter.com/DyingMatters/status/1134053104058605568>

The Children's Grief Centre in Limerick helps young minds come to terms with loss, through death or parental separation:

<https://twitter.com/DyingMatters/status/1133689664089538561>

Barnsley Hospice @BarnsleyHospice May 22

To mark [@DyingMatters](https://twitter.com/DyingMatters) Week, we provided a special event to give staff and volunteers the opportunity to join in discussions around the theme. Read all about it here: [.bit.ly/2WZzqcl](https://bit.ly/2WZzqcl)

Baby loss: The hospital helping bereaved families

<https://twitter.com/DyingMatters/status/1131199310698307585>

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