

## Caru Regional Network

Venue: Bridge House Hotel, Tullamore, Co. Offaly, R35 K2T9

Date: 9<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Time	Topic/ Presentations	Facilitator
9.00. – 9.30	Registration & review the stands	
9.30 – 9.45	Caru Programme Update	<b>Liz Jacques</b> , CHO 2 Regional Lead, Caru Programme
9.45 – 10.30	1) Recognising the deteriorating/dying resident. 2) Symptom Issues that may arise 3) Levels of Palliative Care 1 & 2 4) Completing the national referral form and information necessary for effective triage questions (10 mins)	<b>Phyllis Howlin</b> , Candidate ANP in Palliative Care for Older Persons, Laois / Offaly
10.30 – 10.50	Importance of Advance Care Planning when resident admitted to hospital preventing unnecessary transfers to acute hospital	<b>Paula Ward</b> , Candidate ANP, Midlands Regional Hospital, Tullamore
11.00 – 12.00	Tea & Coffee, Scones/Pastries  <b>Time to review stands &amp; speak with promoters</b>	<b>Nursing Homes</b> , showcasing their change projects post Caru workshops in CHO 8. <b>Phyllis Howlin</b> , Resources for referrals to Specialist Palliative Care <b>Irish Hospice Foundation</b> , Bereavement Resources display <b>Ceile Care</b> , Ceile Care Promotion <b>Alzheimer's Ireland</b> , Memory Technology Resource Rooms <b>Active Retirement Group</b> , TBC <b>Michelle O'Donnell</b> , Glasshammer, Glass Art & it's meaning and making meaning. <b>Alone</b> , TBC
12.00 – 12.45	H.E.A.R.T.S.	<b>Rita Delaney</b> , Complementary Therapist, Cuisle Cancer Centre, Portlaoise
12.45 – 13.20	Glasshammer – focus on location, memory making and spiritual narrative.	<b>Michelle O'Donnell</b> , Glasshammer
13.20 – 13.30	Closing	<b>Sharon O'Brien</b> , CHO 8 Regional Lead, Caru Programme