“IDG and the Need for a Team Based Mentality”
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Objectives
The participant will:
1. Articulate the role and duties of the IDG in a hospice setting.
2. Develop a further understanding of the importance of interaction between individual IDG disciplines and how they affect and benefit each other.
3. Learn strategies as a chaplain to support and improve effectiveness of the IDG team.

I. IDG Team Make-Up, Meeting Requirements, SOP’s
   A. Why? CMS says so.
   B. Who, What, When

II. Wholistic/Holistic Patient Care
   A. Spiritual Pain as a Part of the Whole
   B. Five Common Hospice Meds and How They Relate to Spiritual Care
   C. Example of Chaplain Effect on Patients With COPD

III. Chaplains as a Support for Staff
   A. Through emotional support
   B. Through education
   C. Through documenting well