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Are you a nurse working during the COVID-19 pandemic?

Do you care for patients with terminal illness?

Would you like to participate in a research study?

STUDY TITLE: Social connection and physical distancing during COVID-19: A qualitative study of palliative and end-of-life care nursing

STUDY PURPOSE: To learn about your experiences of providing care for patients with progressive and life-limiting illness through the pandemic. We are particularly interested in how you are dealing with pandemic constraints, such as visiting restrictions, across care settings. Our hope is that the findings will support nurses in providing quality end-of-life care amidst the current challenges.

PARTICIPATION: One telephone interview. The interview will include open-ended questions and is expected to last about an hour. Participation is voluntary and there is no compensation. All information you provide will be kept strictly confidential.

CONTACT: The study is led by faculty members in the School of Nursing at the University of Ottawa (Drs. David Wright, Christine McPherson, and Kim McMillan). For more information, please e-mail: nursing@uottawa.ca. If you have colleagues who may be interested, please forward this invitation to them, and your network(s)

The study is approved by the University of Ottawa, Research Ethics Board. For questions about the ethical conduct of the study, contact the Protocol Officer for Ethics in Research, University of Ottawa, ethics@uottawa.ca