

Thinking about completing voluntary assisted dying (VAD) training?

In-person and online training days 2022

Join colleagues to complete the online training together in a supported group workshop over one full day. Want to make a weekend away? (assuming we can!) Sign up to any one of your preferred dates/venues below. If we cannot run the day in person, we will hold it online. So book your leave / day off regardless.

Where & when	<p style="text-align: center;">All days are 0845am to 5pm</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Link to register:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loddon Mallee Friday 4 February Bendigo https://tinyurl.com/bendigoVAD • Melbourne Friday 11 February Parkville https://tinyurl.com/parkvilleVAD • Grampians Friday 18 March Ballarat https://tinyurl.com/ballaratVAD • Hume Friday 25 March Wangaratta https://tinyurl.com/wangarattaVAD • Barwon Friday 01 April Geelong https://tinyurl.com/geelongVAD • Gippsland Friday 06 May Traralgon https://tinyurl.com/traralgonVAD • Online Friday 10 June Online https://tinyurl.com/onlineVAD • Online/in-person Friday 16 September Melbourne https://tinyurl.com/melbourneVAD
What:	<p>Join colleagues for a dedicated day to complete the mandatory voluntary assisted dying online training. On successful completion, you will be able to provide assessments for your patients seeking voluntary assisted dying and participate in voluntary assisted dying to <i>the level you feel comfortable</i>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete the required training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ A semi-structured time frame to work through the online modules ○ Regular summary of key points of each module provided through the day ○ Supported by the VAD Navigator service & others • Meet with local voluntary assisted dying clinician/s <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gain insight into the personal and professional experience of participating in VAD with discussions on consultations and completing eligibility assessments • Meet and greet with state-wide services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Meet the state-wide VAD support team, including the pharmacists, care navigators, VAD Board Secretariat, who oversee the VAD Portal. <p>The day aims to enable you to complete the training in the most effective way possible, with input from the state-wide services and medical colleagues.</p> <p>Lunch and refreshments provided on the day.</p>
Who:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you are a Fellow of a medical college – including newly admitted – you are eligible to complete the VAD training and encouraged to attend. • All GPs and specialists as above are welcome, not only the host health services
What to do next:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Register to attend (we need an idea of numbers for venue booking and planning) <p>Pre-requisites:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Also register for the online training when you register for the training day 2. Complete Modules 1 and 2 (approx. 1-1.5 hours) in your own time before the scheduled day. This helps us make the most of the day and ensures you can access the training 3. BYO laptop and headset (& extension cable) – internet connection will be provided on the day
Find out more:	<p>Voluntary assisted dying care navigators - tel (03) 855 95823 / m0436 848 344 / vadcarenavigator@petermac.org</p> <p>Department of Health voluntary assisted dying website</p>