

OER INTER-PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Introduction to team working and collaborative practice in health, education and social care, practice and delivery

STRAND ONE Group discussion activity – Scenario Three

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Jane is a 43-year-old divorced woman with two children, the children have regular contact with their father. Jane is terminally ill with breast cancer and is not expected to live more than a couple of months. Jane has recently deteriorated, she is spending large amounts of time in bed and is receiving pain relief but no other form of treatment.

YOU NEED TO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING TASKS

Task One: Consider the following five questions as you will have to demonstrate an understanding of these to your facilitator in the final session.

- A) What are the needs of this person and her family?
- B) What are the people who might be involved in meeting this person and her family's needs (list all people/agencies)?
- C) Outline their different roles and consider different professional values.
- D) How might interprofessional working benefit and/or disadvantage this person and her family?

Task Two: Design and create an information leaflet that you could give to this person and her family. This leaflet should introduce the team and should give information on the services they provide to meet their needs. The leaflet will be on one piece of A4 paper, you need to give a copy and describe your leaflet to your facilitator and your other group members at the final session.

Reflect on the benefits and challenges of working together as an interprofessional group on this task.