



Kardinal König Haus

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# Spiritual Care

in a context of plurality

*“You matter because you are you.”*

*Dame Cicely Saunders*

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The Leadership Academy explores ways to

- develop a professional approach for care teams and
- translate them into daily life through training and leadership.

Starting from a **general understanding of spirituality** (including the perspectives of science and medicine), we will look at the various expressions that our teams are faced with: How does **spirituality** manifest itself in hospice settings in a **multicultural society**? Who notices these manifestations and how do we deal with them in multiprofessional teams?

We will then move on to the “challenge” of **spirituality in palliative care**. What place and relevance do we / can we / do we want to assign to spiritual care in our general care for patients and relatives? How do we deal with the (implicite/explicite) **spirituality of team members** – both professionals and volunteers? And how do we “**organize**” **spiritual care**? What functions, processes, standards, trainings, communication formats etc. do we / can we use in doing so?

Input from experienced trainers will be complemented by the open exchange of current practice of the participants. The diversity of settings and cultures within the group will help us envision the plurality inherent in the spirituality we face in our daily work.

**Target group:** Managers, team leaders and trainers in hospice and palliative care settings as well as “experts for spirituality” (priests, counsellors...). We hope to reflect in our group our “belief” that spiritual care should not be delegated to a single person but is a holistic task to be managed and taken care of (also) by the whole team.

**Trainers:** **Christian Metz**, therapist, supervisor, trainer, team leader Kardinal König Akademie; **Monika Müller**, therapist, clinical supervisor, trainer, author and a leading figure in the development of hospice care in Germany.

**Cost:** Training: € 90,-. Accommodation and full pension (2 nights) free for participants from CEE/SEE countries.

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