

Resources for advocacy on palliative care for older persons surveys

I. Identify

Rates of aging in the country.

- **Social/perception gap.** Ageism. No return on investment.
 - Advocacy necessary to change this. Partner with faith communities, as well as other health and patient \\ \\ CSOs

II. Calculate

Workforce gaps.

- A. Clinical: Palliative care workforce, geriatricians, and primary care clinicians with basic palliative care training. See Future of the Palliative Care Workforce: Preview to an Impending Crisis, [https://www.amjmed.com/article/S0002-9343\(16\)30962-7/pdf](https://www.amjmed.com/article/S0002-9343(16)30962-7/pdf)

The Growing Demand for Hospice and Palliative Medicine Physicians: Will the Supply Keep Up? <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/29410071>

Both US but inferences about other countries can be made from modeling the methods.

Atlases of Palliative Care

<https://eapcnet.wordpress.com/2017/05/19/the-first-mapping-study-for-palliative-care-development-in-the-eastern-mediterranean-region-and-africa-launched-at-eapc-world-congress/>

Europe: https://issuu.com/universidaddenavarra/docs/atlas_europa_full_edition

Africa: <https://www.africanpalliativecare.org/articles/apca-atlas-of-palliative-care-in-africa/>

Eastern Mediterranean: <http://hdl.handle.net/10171/43303>

- B. Education. Train and certify. Are there enough trainers?

- C Caregiver: social gaps in long term care.

ILO Study https://www.ilo.org/secsoc/information-resources/publications-and-tools/Workingpapers/WCMS_407620/lang-en/index.htm. Country specific data.

Shortage of Homecare Workers: Worse than you think.

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/nextavenue/2018/04/18/the-shortage-of-home-care-workers-worse-than-you-think/#f909ed23ddd4>

III. Specify

Regulatory and normative frameworks. Identify the global and regional commitments made by member states.