

End of life care and support in Leeds

# End of Life and Palliative Care Funding

Information for patients

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Leeds Palliative  
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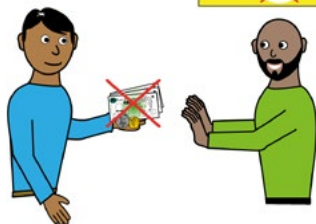
You might want to ask someone to help you read it.

## **information**



This leaflet gives you information on what funding is available if you have a life limiting illness.

**free of charge**



Your NHS and Hospice healthcare is always free.



If you need extra social care support you will have an assessment for this.



The assessment will look at how much you need and how this will be funded.



Sometimes health and social fund all of your care. Sometimes you will fund part of it and health and social care will fund the rest.



Ask your health and social care team for more information.

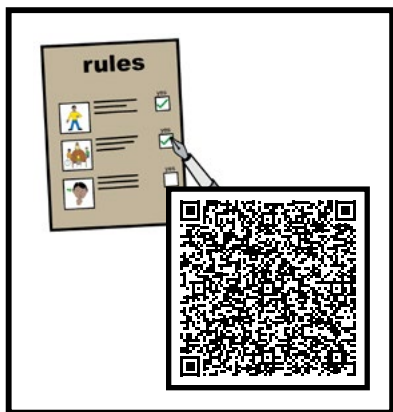


Your doctor can complete a SR1 form when they think you are in your last months of life.



SR1 stands for Special Rules.

This gives quick access to higher rate benefits.



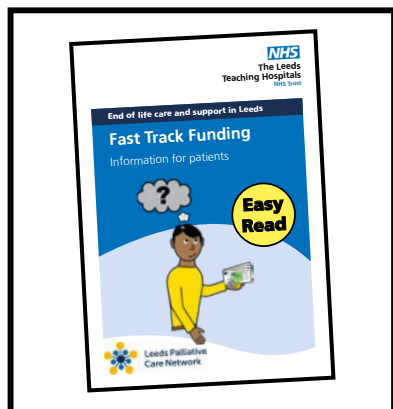
For more information visit:

The 'Special Rules':  
how the benefit system supports people nearing the end of life

Or scan the QR code.



Speak to your health or social care professional about other benefits you might be able to get.



We have another leaflet to explain Fast Track Funding. This is funding you can apply for when you are approaching the end of your life.



Please visit:

**[www.leedspalliativecare.org.uk](http://www.leedspalliativecare.org.uk)**

for information about local services in Leeds. We have other Easy Read leaflets available here.

If you have a Learning Disability or Autism diagnosis please complete a Health Passport and return it to the Learning Disability and Autism team on:

**[leedsth-tr.l autism@nhs.net](mailto:leedsth-tr.l autism@nhs.net)**





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