

#EUHPP LIVE WEBINAR

Addressing psychological distress in palliative care: the EU-funded “PsyPal” project on psychedelic therapy

13 APRIL 2026, 14.00 – 15.30 CEST, BRUSSELS TIME

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Despite growing recognition of the psychological and existential burden experienced by people with life-limiting conditions, these needs remain insufficiently addressed in many health systems.

EU-funded [PsyPal project](#) is a clinical trial examining whether psychedelic therapy with psilocybin may reduce depressive symptoms in people living with several progressive, incurable conditions.

PsyPal therapy model is a carefully curated process designed for both safety and the deepest therapeutic impact, encompassing three critical phases: preparation, intervention, and integration, weaving together pharmacotherapy and psychotherapeutic support.

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14.00 – 14.05	Welcome and introduction Dr. Cathy Payne, European Association for Palliative Care (EAPC)
14.05 – 14.15	Unmet psychological and existential palliative care needs in Europe Dr Simone Veronese, V-President, EAPC (video recording)
14.15 – 14.30	PsyPal project as an EU-funded research case study Prof. Robert Schoevers, University Medical Center Groningen
14.30 – 14.45	Participant needs and ethical considerations in clinical trials Ian Roullier, co-Founder, Psychedelic Participant Advocacy Network - PsyPAN
14.45 – 15.00	Research and regulatory landscape for psychedelic therapies Tadeusz Hawrot, Founder and Executive Director, Psychedelic Access and Research European Alliance (PAREA)
15.00 – 15.20	Q&A – Discussion with the audience
15.20 – 15.30	Closing remarks Dr Cathy Payne, EAPC



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