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### Remembering Prof Cynthia Goh

Jigme Dorji Wangchuck National Referral Hospital, Thimphu Bhutan fondly remember Prof. Cynthia Goh. She has been instrumental in providing Palliative Care Training in Bhutan. She and her team from Singapore conducted Training of Trainers at JDWNRH with the objective to develop a service which would provide countrywide coverage of palliative care services.

One aspect of her hard work in the development of palliative services can be measured through her dedication in advocating to stakeholders who could make these changes in the healthcare system for patients to have an access to palliative care in Bhutan.

Since the inception of Home-based palliative care in 2018, she had been involved with us in developing the competency of health staff from the hospital. Her knowledge and dedication are used by each one of us in reaching out to patients in Bhutan. She will always be remembered through the smile and satisfaction of our patients when we provide the palliative services.

She had been a great mentor, a guide and a wonderful human being and we will miss her dearly. We will remain ever grateful to Prof. Cynthia Goh for inspiring us in improving our care for the patients and their families.

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