

Alignment of the 10 Essential Components of the *Palliative and End-of-life Care Blueprint for Improvement* against existing palliative and end-of-life standards

7. Comparing the ACI Blueprint Essential Components and the NSW Health Clinical Principles for End-of-life and Palliative Care

Blueprint Essential Components → Clinical Principles	1. Community expectations and perceptions	2. Discussions and planning for future goals and needs	3. Access across all settings to skilled and competent providers	4. Early recognition	5. Care on assessed need of patient, carer, family	6. Seamless transitions across all care settings	7. Access to specialist when needs are complex	8. Quality care during the last days of life	9. Supporting people through loss and grief	10. Access to reliable, timely clinical information and data
1. Screening and identification										
2. Triage			✓				✓			
3. Comprehensive assessment			✓		✓					
4. Care planning		✓	✓		✓					
5. Open and respectful communication	✓	✓								
6. Symptom management			✓				✓	✓		
7. 24/7 access to support			✓		✓		✓	✓		
8. Place of death	✓	✓				✓		✓		
9. Grief and bereavement support			✓						✓	