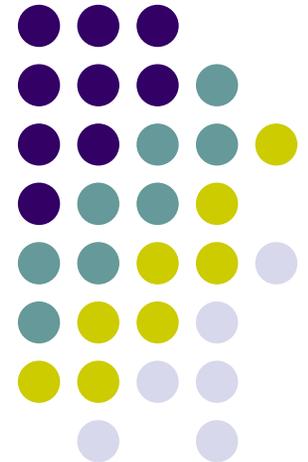
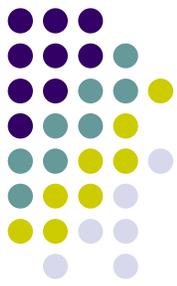


# Issues causing burnout in Home care

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- Health professionals become much closer to families in long term care especially in the home and an emotional relationship with patient and or family may begin that is different to that of the family in the hospital
- Confrontation with death and suffering of patients especially nursed in the closeness of the home can lead to stress –powerlessness / increase in physical and emotional energy to try and support and resolve all the difficulties

# Families within the home



- Pt/Family expectations
- Pulled into family conflicts
- Difficult situations-anger, demanding , panic, manipulative

# Infrastructure



- Often home care nurses feel unsupported and isolated
- Lack of resources-Too much to do and to little time, equipment
- New members of the team often untrained for new role in the community
- Filling roles and gaps that exist in the team without training
- Unrealistic admission criteria
- Procedure, policy, guidelines, job descriptions often last to be addressed when building home care services

# Teams



- Conflict within teams-virtual teams even more difficult, due to communication difficulties in time and place
- Different expectations of both health professionals and patients
- Role overlap
- Finally we have a particular situation in cancer / chronic care.....

# Goal of Care

