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| Definition: | An agency that is substantively involved in delivering care to patients requiring palliative care and their carer(s). Care may be provided on an ongoing basis or on a consultative basis, and may be provided in community or inpatient settings.  |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Palliative Care Intergovernmental Forum |
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| Reference documents: | Palliative Care Australia 2005. A guide to palliative care service development: a population-based approach. Canberra: PCA. |