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# Palliative Care for Lung Cancer Patient during Covid19

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# AIMS

- The COVID-19 pandemic has changed all existing settings, almost every aspect of making change and innovation work as it should. Especially in the health sector, the most urgent thing that must be a concern, various health procedures have been adapted to current conditions to minimize unwanted conditions. Lung cancer sufferers are one of the groups most at risk of exposure to COVID-19. Cancer treatment is not only in the form of medical measures, but also with palliative care. Palliative care is required for terminally ill patients. Has this pandemic condition also changed palliative care procedures in lung cancer patients? This study aims to present information about palliative care during a pandemic and what changes have been made.

# Methods/ Result

- Based on the results of a **literature review**, this paper provides information that the demand for palliative care services is increasing during the pandemic, because it is based on anxiety and concern by the current conditions. The system of changes in health facilities also minimizes the possibility of face-to-face contact with patients. So that palliative care is done virtually. Changes in the pillars of palliative care during the covid19 pandemic: 1. Physical (guidelines for palliative care during the pandemic, and priority handling), 2. Psychological and Social (big psychosocial impact on patients), 3. Spiritual (spirituality in uncertainty).

# Conclusion

- The COVID-19 pandemic has changed the method of health care, as face-to-face contact is minimized, with the risk of a lack of specialized resources in palliative care.