

Appendix. Research Team Attributes and Qualifications

Author	Attributes and Qualifications
A.P.	Female, white physician-scientist with a Medical Degree, a PhD in Anthropology, and clinical training and practice in pediatrics with clinical interest in hospice and palliative medicine.
T.R.	Female, white research associate with a PhD in Educational Psychology and formal in-depth graduate-level training in qualitative research methodology with a focus on experiential learning and resilience.
K.Z.	Female, white medical trainee with a Medical Degree and formal undergraduate-level training in qualitative research methodology.
J.A.	Male, white medical trainee with a Bachelor of Science and apprenticeship training in qualitative research methodology under the tutelage of C.W. and E.K.
C.W.	Female, African-American research associate with formal MAXQDA training and expertise in qualitative research methodology.
M.G.	Female, white nurse with clinical palliative care and hospice experience and research associate with formal MAXQDA training and expertise in qualitative research methodology.
E.R.	Female, white advance practice provider with extensive training and clinical practice as a community-based hospice nurse for pediatric and adult patients.
K.W.	Female, white advance practice provider with extensive expertise managing, training, and supporting community-based hospice nurses, as well as decades of clinical experience as a pediatric hospice and palliative medicine nurse.
J.B.	Male, white physician-scientist with a Medical Degree, extensive clinical and research expertise related to difficult communication in oncology, and clinical training and practice in pediatric hematology-oncology and hospice and palliative medicine.
E.K.	Female, white physician-scientist with a Medical Degree, a Master's in Public Health, graduate-level training in qualitative research methodology with a focus on communication science, and clinical training and practice in pediatric hematology-oncology and hospice and palliative medicine.