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The 4th Melton D. and Muriel Haney Interprofessional Conference: Compassionate Conversations at End of Life

Saturday, November 11, 2017 • 7:30am – 12:30pm
McLeod Hall, UVA School of Nursing, Charlottesville, VA
Provided by the Office of Continuing Medical Education, UVA School of Medicine and School of Nursing Continuing Education
PROGRAM OVERVIEW
The program will target medical, nursing, and allied health professionals, chaplains, social workers, and students, especially those outside the palliative care specialty, with a shared interest in relieving suffering and providing compassionate care and recognizing the diverse needs of individuals and families at the end of life.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
Following this symposium, participants will be better able to:

- Describe best practices for effective communication with patients and families facing life-limiting illnesses, with a special focus on assessing for status of written Advance Directives (AD), initiating conversations in a variety of settings, reframing patient/family goals, and managing one’s personal discomfort during difficult conversations.
- Compare sample (video case) conversations to identify features and strategies associated with positive patient and family interactions and recognize potential pitfalls.
- Practice interview skills and communication techniques in role-playing activities to facilitate advance care planning (ACP) conversations.
- Apply strategies for motivating and guiding patients and families to develop actionable advance care plans that are consistent with their goals for care.

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AGENDA

7:30-8:00 a.m.  Registration and beverage service

8:00-8:05 a.m.  Welcome/Introduction to program  
Kenneth White (UVA SON)

8:05-8:45 a.m.  Why a national grassroots ACP movement is necessary  
Nathan Kottkamp (National Healthcare Decisions Day)

8:45-9:30 a.m.  Panel Discussion: Addressing flashpoints in crucial conversations  
Moderator: Tim Short (UVA SOM)  
Peggy Bishop (SMJH)  
Melissa Fretwell (Liberty Home Care & Hospice Chaplain)  
Michael Williamson (HOP)

9:30-9:45 a.m.  Break/Refreshments

9:45-10:30 a.m.  Workshops  
1 -  See one, do one, teach one: An experiential session to facilitate ACP conversations  
Suzanne Hilton Smith (SMJH Chaplain) and Sandra Westmoreland (SMJH)  

2 -  From words to action: Clinical application and interpretation of ACP  
Tim Short (UVA SOM)  

3 -  Legal and ethical aspects of ACP and EOL decision making  
Kenneth White (UVA SON)  

4 -  Where cultures, beliefs, and values meet: Ethnic, racial, sexual, and religious aspects of compassionate decision making  
Melissa Fretwell (Liberty Home Care & Hospice Chaplain)

10:30-10:45 a.m.  Break/Refreshments

10:45-11:30 a.m.  Panel Discussion: Patient and Family Perspectives  
Moderator: Amy Gillespie (HOP)  
Jeanne McCusker (Patient/Family representative)  
Tina Hughey-Commers (Patient/Family representative)  
Scott Syverud (UVA HS)  
Cathy Campbell (UVA SON)

11:30-12:15 p.m.  The gift of advance care planning  
Bud Hammes (Respecting Choices)

12:15-12:30 p.m.  Closing/Q&A/Evaluations  
Kenneth White (UVA SON)
LOCATION AND PARKING
This course will be held in the McLeod Hall Auditorium, 202 Jeanette Lancaster Way. Free conference parking is available in the McLeod Garage on a first-come basis.

SYLLABUS
The course syllabus will be provided online at www.cmevillage.com

REGISTRATION FEE:
$55 Physicians
$45 Nurses and Other Healthcare Professionals
$15 Students
Register online at www.cmevillage.com
Registration closes Wednesday, November 1, 2017. Walk-in registration permitted with additional $25 late fee.

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