ETHICS IN HEALTHCARE 2019

A One-Day Conference for Collaborative Dialogue and Inter-Professional Exchange

Tuesday, May 21, 2019
8:00 AM – 4:15 PM

University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine
Medical Education and Research Facility
375 Newton Road, Iowa City, Iowa
Program Agenda

Tuesday, May 21, 2019
Medical Education Research Facility (MERF)

Three of the sessions include a 40-minute lecture, 35-minute small group case-based discussions, and a 20-minute large group Q&A wrap-up. These sessions will begin in Room 2117 of the Medical Education and Research Facility (MERF). Our keynote session includes a 1-hour lecture followed by 35 minutes for Q&A and discussion. This session will be held in 1110 MERF and will be open to the University community.

7:30 – 8:00 AM  Registration and Coffee
Atrium, MERF

8:00 - 8:15 AM  Welcome and Announcements
Lauris Kaldjian, MD, PhD
2117 MERF

8:15 – 9:50 AM   SESSION 1
Opioid Treatment Agreements: Opportunities, Challenges, and Ethical Issues
Rebecca Benson, MD, PhD
2117 MERF

9:50 – 10:10 AM  Break and Refreshments
Atrium, MERF

10:10 – 11:45 AM  SESSION 2
Implicit Bias and Culturally Responsive Health Care
David Moser, PhD
2117 MERF

11:45 – 12:45 PM  Lunch
Atrium, MERF

12:45 – 2:20 PM   SESSION 3
Keynote Presentation – Communication in Serious Illness: Ethical Values, Empirical Evidence, and Clinical Experience
Laura Hanson, MD, MPH
1110 MERF

2:20 – 2:40 PM  Break and Refreshments
Atrium, MERF

2:40 – 4:15 PM   SESSION 4
From Theory to Practice: Ethical Principles and Virtues in the Real World of Healthcare
Lauris Kaldjian, MD, PhD
2117 MERF
Conference Faculty

Keynote Speaker

LAURA HANSON, MD, MPH
Professor, Division of Geriatric Medicine
Director, UNC Palliative Care Program
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine Faculty

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Consultant, Ethics Consult Service

LOU ANN MONTGOMERY, PHD, RN-BC
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Clinical Assistant Professor
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Professor of Psychiatry

Conference Director:
LAURIS C. KALDJIAN, MD, PHD

Conference Coordinator:
JOYCE M. CRAIG
General Information

**Audience**
Physicians, Nurses, Social Workers, Chaplains, Attorneys, Physician Assistants, Trainees, Students, and Others.

**Background**
With the steady introduction of more treatment options and biotechnologies, an increasing number and range of ethical challenges in health care are emerging. This conference is designed to help professionals meet these challenges through their work as clinicians, members of ethics committees or ethics consult teams, and administrators.

**Purpose**
- Provide up-to-date information in healthcare ethics relevant to clinical practice.
- Provide approaches to ethical reasoning that clarify ethical problems.
- Facilitate professional discussion of ethical challenges and decision making in healthcare.
- Encourage professional networking for ongoing dialogue, support, and collaboration.

**Approach**
- Three sessions covering different topics in clinical ethics.
  - Each session provides a lecture, small group case-based discussion, and a large group Q&A wrap-up.
- A keynote lecture followed by discussion/Q&A.
- Time and opportunity for dialogue and networking.

**Objectives**

**SESSION ONE**
- Describe the role of opioid treatment agreements and the components of a standard document.
- Discuss ethical concerns raised about opioid treatment agreements, including possibilities of coercion, stigmatization, abandonment, and harm to the doctor-patient relationship.
- Demonstrate how use of an opioid treatment agreement can support respect for persons by improving informed decision-making.
- Discuss the patient health and public health justifications for the surveillance and monitoring of opioid pain medications.

**SESSION TWO**
- Describe the concept of implicit bias and how it affects our interactions with others.
- Gain insight into our own implicit biases.
- Discuss how to mitigate one’s own biases.
- Discuss how to promote and provide culturally responsive health care.

**SESSION THREE** – Keynote Presentation
- Explore relevant ethical theory framing best practices for serious illness communication.
- Review empirical evidence linking high quality communication to patient and family outcomes in serious illness.
- Discuss application of communication skills in goals of care decision-making in serious illness.

**SESSION FOUR**
- Describe contrasts between ethical approaches based on principles, virtues, and consequences.
- Apply principles and virtues to clinical settings (informed consent, end-of-life care, error disclosure).
- Relate the virtue of integrity to the problem of moral distress and the need for conscientious practice.

**Continuing Education Credit**
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by improving informed decision-making. Agreement can support respect for persons and harm to the doctor-patient relationship. Treatment agreements, including possibilities

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■ Relate the virtue of integrity to the problem
■ Explore relevant ethical theory framing best

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■ Discuss application of communication skills
■ Discuss how to mitigate one’s own biases.
■ Discuss how to promote and provide
■ Discuss how to encourage responsible

SESSION FOUR
Background

■ It is difficult to maintain climate control in a conference facility in a way that will satisfy all participants. For your comfort, you may wish to bring a sweater or jacket to the conference, in case one is needed.

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Registration

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Iowa City, IA 52242  

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