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FIFTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CLINICAL ETHICS:
Debates, Decisions,
Solutions

March 7, 1997
Cypress Creek Marriott,
at I-95 in
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Featuring sessions on
Pediatrics
Managed care
Clinical futility
Psychology
Risk management
Ethics committees

CONTINUING EDUCATION
FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS
PROGRAM
Friday, March 7, 1997

8:00-8:30  Sign-in, continental breakfast
8:30-8:35  Welcome, acknowledgments

8:35-9:35  Case 1 Panel: CLINICAL FUTILITY
• F. Daniel Armstrong, Ph.D.
  UM Dept. of Pediatrics
• Fred S. Mortensen, M.Th.
  Hospice-by-the-Sea, Boca Raton
• Ray M. Moseley, Ph.D.
  Univ. of Fla. College of Medicine
• Marlene A. Pinsky, J.D.
  Jackson Memorial Hospital
• Charles L. Schleien, M.D.
  UM Dept. of Pediatrics

9:40-10:40  Case 2 Panel: MANAGED CARE
• Ann-Lynn Denker, RN, Ph.D.
  Jackson Memorial Hospital
• Barry Gelman, M.D.
  UM Dept. of Pediatrics
• Stephen Sapp, M.Div, Ph.D.
  UM Dept. of Religious Studies &
  Miami Children's Hospital
• Glenn R. Singer, M.D.
  Broward General Medical Center
• William P. Bracciolina, M.D.
  Humana Health Care Plans

10:40-11:00  Refreshment and break

11:00-12:00  ROUNDTABLE SESSIONS

12:00-1:00  SOUTH FLORIDA FUTILITY POLICY PROJECT
• Laura Atkins, J.D., &
  Sonya R. Albury, MSW
  Health Council of South Florida

1:00-2:30  Lunch

SIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS

2:30-3:30  A  RISK MANAGEMENT AND BIOETHICS
• Kilby Strickland
  Baptist Hospital of Miami
• Kathy L. Germinara, J.D.
  UM School of Law

B  AUTHORITY AND ETHICS: THE CREATION OF MEDICAL EXPERTISE
• Jeffrey P. Brosco, M.D., Ph.D.
  UM Dept. of Pediatrics

3:30-4:30  A  BUSINESS ETHICS IN HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS
• Anita Cava, J.D.
  UM Dept. of Business Law

B  ETHICS COMMITTEES: PROBLEMS & POTENTIALS
• Ray M. Moseley, Ph.D.
  Univ. of Fla. College of Medicine

4:30-5:30  A  SOUTH FLORIDA FUTILITY POLICY WORKSHOP
• Faculty

B  JCAHO GUIDELINES FOR ETHICS COMMITTEES
• Lynne B. Thompson, RN
  Baptist Hospital of Miami

2:30-5:30  C  ETHICS AND PSYCHOLOGY WORKSHOP

ETHICS, DECISION MAKING, AND PSYCHOLOGY
• Donald K. Routh, Ph.D.
  UM Dept. of Psychology

THE PSYCHOLOGIST/PsYCHIATRIST'S ROLE IN PEDIATRIC MEDICINE
• F. Daniel Armstrong, Ph.D.
  UM Dept. of Pediatrics

MANAGED CARE CHALLENGES
• Douglas S. Feltman, M.D.
  UM Dept. of Psychiatry
ACCREDITATION
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CREDIT HOURS
- The University of Miami School of Medicine designates "Clinical Ethics: Debates, Decisions, Solutions" for 7 hours in Category 1 credit towards the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.
- The Division of Psychology, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Medical Center, is an APA approved internship program. This program is acceptable for 7 credit hours, including 3 hours in ethics, for Florida psychologists.
- This program meets the criteria for 7 CEUs for nurses, which will be awarded through the University of Miami School of Nursing (FSBN).
- This program has been approved by the Florida Bar for 8.5 General Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credit hours, including 2 CLE hours in the area of ethics under course #5064 6.
- This program has been approved for 7 CEUs for LCSW, MFT, and MHC from Jackson Memorial Hospital's Social Work, Discharge Planning & Utilization Management Department.

OBJECTIVES
Ethical challenges facing practitioners and institutions have never been greater. From managed competition to dilemmas at the end of life, it is clear that bioethics and bioethics education must be assigned the greatest possible roles in the daily lives of individuals and their institutions. At the conclusion of this conference, participants will:
- Have a better understanding of the role and importance of bioethics in clinical and institutional decision making, including issues of from pediatrics, managed care, clinical futility, organizational ethics, and the role and function of institutional ethics committees.
- Be better able to identify ethical issues raised by clinical futility and managed care, especially in pediatric contexts, and be better able to resolve ethical problems.
- Better understand the concept of clinical futility and its role in decision making; be able to identify valid positions in the debate over whether institutions should have futility policies; and be able to see how their institutions compare with others regarding futility policies.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
This interdisciplinary conference will be of value to physicians, nurses, social workers, attorneys, ethics committee members, psychologists, philosophers, clergy, risk managers, case managers, health care administrators and executives, and, indeed, all with an interest in bioethics.

EDUCATIONAL METHODS
The program features lectures, panel discussions, seminar sessions and roundtable discussions.

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ACCOMMODATIONS, DIRECTIONS
Fort Lauderdale Marriott North, the conference site, has set aside a block of rooms at a special daily rate of $139 plus tax. Contact the hotel, at Cypress Creek Road at I-95 (6650 N. Andrews Ave.), for reservations: 954-771-0440; fax: 954-771-7519.

Directions: Take I-95 to exit 33 (Cypress Creek Road). Proceed west to Andrews Avenue (2nd traffic light). Turn right (north) at light. Hotel is 1/2 mile on the right.