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# *Clinical Ethics:* **Debates, Decisions, Solutions**

**Ninth Annual UM Conference**

March 2, 2001

Airport Sheraton Hotel  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

**Featuring Sessions on**

- **End-of-Life Care**
- **HIPAA**
- **Pain Management**
- **Pastoral Care**
- **Bioética en Español**

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## Overview

**Clinical Ethics: Debates, Decisions, Solutions** Ethical challenges facing health professionals have never been more important or more numerous. From access to care and end-of-life issues to the role of ethics committees, it is clear that bioethics – and bioethics education – must be assigned the greatest possible roles in the daily lives of individual professionals and their institutions.

### **Course Objectives**

#### **Upon completion of this program participants will**

- Have a better understanding of the role and importance of bioethics in clinical and institutional decision making, especially regarding access to care, end-of-life issues, privacy and confidentiality and pastoral care.
- Be better able to identify ethical challenges and issues in clinical practice, end-of-life care, health law and the role of institutional ethics committees.
- Be better able to articulate ethically optimized solutions in clinical and social contexts.

### **Audience**

This course is designed for nurses, physicians, social workers, lawyers, clergy, psychologists, health administrators, philosophers and others with an interest or a need for continuing education in health ethics.

### **Accreditation**

The University of Miami School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to sponsor continuing Medical Education for physicians.

### **Faculty Disclosure**

The University of Miami School of Medicine, in accordance with accreditation requirements, will disclose any significant financial interest or other relationship with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial product(s) and/or provider(s) of commercial services discussed in an educational presentation and with any commercial supporters of the activity.

**Credit Hours**

The University of Miami School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6.5 hours in category 1 credit towards the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should only claim those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

**Nurses:** This program meets the criteria for 7 contact hours for nurses. CEUs will be awarded through the University of Miami School of Nursing (FSBN) Provider #27U0166.

**Social Workers:** The Jackson Memorial Hospital Division of Social Work and Discharge Planning is an approved provider (BAP 515, Exp. 3/03) for continuing education for social workers, marriage and family therapists and mental health counselors. This program has been approved for 6 contact hours.

**Attorneys:** This program has been approved by the Florida Bar for 7.5 general Continuing Legal Education (CLE) credit hours, including 5 hours in ethics, and the following maximum certifications: 5.5 hours in elder law, 5.5 hours in health law, 3.5 hours in appellate practice, 3.5 hours in civil trial, and 1 hour in wills, trusts & estates, under course # 93850.

**Psychologists:** The University of Miami School of Medicine is an APA approved internship program. This program is acceptable for a maximum of 6.5 credit hours for Florida psychologists.

# Program

- 7:45 - 8:15 a.m.**      **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 - 8:20 a.m.**      **Welcoming Remarks**  
Co-Executive Directors, Florida Bioethics Network  
*Ray Moseley, Ph.D.*  
Director, University of Florida Program in  
Medical Ethics, Law and the Humanities  
*Kenneth Goodman, Ph.D.*  
Director, University of Miami  
Bioethics Program
- 8:20 - 9:10 a.m.**      **Pain and Progress:  
How Ethics Changed a Medical Standard**  
*Kathleen M. Foley, M.D.*  
Director, Project on Death in America, and  
Attending Neurologist, Pain & Palliative  
Care Service, Memorial Sloan-Kettering  
Cancer Center
- 9:20 - 10:10 a.m.**      **Against Medical Ethics: Making Sense of  
Provider-Patient-Family Encounters**  
*Hilde Lindemann Nelson, Ph.D.*  
Associate Professor, Philosophy Department,  
Michigan State University
- 10:25 - 11:40 a.m.**      **Nursing and Ethics:  
Current Challenges, Future Opportunities**  
*Cathy Emmett, R.N., M.S.N.*  
Hospice of Southwest Florida;  
*Ann-Lynn Denker, A.R.N.P., Ph.D.*  
University of Miami/Jackson Memorial  
Hospital Clinical Information Technology,  
and Nursing Director, UM Bioethics Program;  
*Georgie Labadie, A.R.N.P., Ph.D.*  
Associate Dean, University of Miami  
School of Nursing;  
*Carol Petrozella, R.N., Ed.D.*  
Miami-Dade Community College
- 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**      **Moderated Luncheon – Small Group Workshops**

## CONCURRENT AFTERNOON SESSIONS

These sessions will run simultaneously. Participants are free to move from track to track and choose presentations of greatest interest.

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### SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 1: END-OF-LIFE CARE

*Chair, Colleen M. West, Ph.D.*

Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Miami

**1:10 - 2:00 p.m.**      **Progress in End-of-Life Care –  
A Nursing Perspective**

*Cathy Emmett, R.N., M.S.N.*

Hospice of Southwest Florida

**2:10 - 3:00 p.m.**      **Pain Relief, State Power and the Right to Die**

*Kathy L. Cerminara, J.D.*

Shepard Broad Law Center,

Nova Southeastern University

**3:10 - 4:00 p.m.**      **Florida Law Update:  
Are Living Wills Getting Any Better?**

*Bill Allen, J.D.*

UF Program in Medical Ethics,

Law and Humanities, Gainesville;

*Ken Rubin, J.D.*

Chair, Florida Bar Elder Law Section, Tamarac

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### SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 2:

*Chair, Robin N. Fiore, Ph.D.*

Department of Philosophy,

Florida Atlantic University

**1:10 - 2:00 p.m.**      **Healing or Designing –  
Genetics, Ethics and the Law**

*Stephanie Anderson, M.D., J.D.*

Health Law Fellow, University of Miami Ethics

Program; Judicial Law Clerk, Third District

Court of Appeal, Miami

*Kimarie Stratos, J.D.*

Miami Children's Hospital

**2:10 - 3:00 p.m.**      **Withdrawing, Withholding,  
No Advance Directive: Where Are We?**  
*Glenn Singer, M.D.*  
Chair, Broward General Medical Center  
Ethics Committee

**3:10 - 4:00 p.m.**      **It Could be Verse:  
Literature for Health Professionals**  
*Ann Flipse, M.D.*  
Director, Clinical Skills I Program, University of  
Miami School of Medicine

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**SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 3:**

*Chair, Lee A. Crandall, Ph.D.*  
Assistant Chair, UM Department of  
Epidemiology and Public Health

**1:10 - 2:00 p.m.**      **Making the Best – and Most – of HIPAA**  
*Cynthia Williams, J.D.*  
KPMG

**2:10 - 3:00 p.m.**      **The Role of Ethics in HIPAA Compliance**  
*Ray Moseley, Ph.D.*  
Florida Bioethics Network;  
*Anita Cava, J.D.*  
UM Department of Business Law and UM  
Ethics Programs

**3:10 - 4:00 p.m.**      **Surgery, Society and Standards:  
How Social Forces Shape Professional  
Training and Ethics**  
*Donald Buckner, M.D.*  
UM Departments of Surgery and Pediatrics

**SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 4:**

*Chair, Rev. Raymond Otto, D.Minn.*  
Director of Pastoral Care,  
Jackson Memorial Hospital

**1:10 - 2:00 p.m.**

**The Role of Religion in Bioethics**

*Stephen Sapp, M.Div., Ph.D.*

Chair, UM Department of Religious Studies

**2:10 - 3:00 p.m.**

**The Experience of Suffering:  
Caregivers as Sharers**

*Jane Mary Zwerner, Ph.D.*

Clinical Consultant, UM Ethics Programs

**3:10 - 4:00 p.m.**

**Bioética en Español**

*James L. Moon, Jr., Ph.D.*

Director of Pastoral Care, South Miami Hospital;

*Eliseo Perez-Stable, M.D.*

Master, American College of Physicians, and

Emeritus Professor of Medicine,

University of Miami;

*Jorge G. Ruiz, M.D.*

Division of Gerontology and Geriatric Medicine,

University of Miami School of Medicine, and

Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Miami;

*Carlos Sandoval-Cros, M.D.*

Director, Courtelis Center for Research &

Treatment in Psychosocial Oncology, UM

Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center;

*Raul E. de Velasco, M.D.*

Chair, Ethics Committee, Baptist Health Systems

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**4:00 p.m.**

**Evaluations & Adjournment**

**5:00 p.m.**

**Board Meeting, Florida Bioethics Network**

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## Course Tuition (check one):

- \$185 in advance or \$235 at the door.
- \$160 for FBN members in advance or \$200 at the door.

Tuition includes admission to program sessions, continental breakfast, luncheon, refreshment break and course syllabus. Refunds will be made only if written notice of cancellation is received before February 28, 2001.

## Florida Bioethics Network Membership:

- Yes! I want to join the Florida Bioethics Network. I have completed the form above and enclose a separate check or money order for \$45 payable to FBN/UM Ethics (sorry, no credit card dues payments).

## For Further Information, Contact:

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## Accommodations and Directions

Sheraton Fort Lauderdale Airport Hotel  
1825 Griffin Road, Dania, FL 33004  
Tel: 800-947-8527 or 954-920-3500

Special rates have been established for conference attendees. For hotel reservations, contact the hotel directly and identify yourself as a UM/Ethics conference attendee. Room rates and availability are guaranteed only through February 2, 2001. The hotel is at I-95 and Griffin Road, adjacent to Fort Lauderdale/Hollywood International Airport.

## **About the Florida Bioethics Network**

The Florida Bioethics Network is dedicated to the understanding and resolution of ethical and legal problems arising in health care and research in Florida's hospitals, hospices, nursing homes, managed care organizations and teaching institutions. FBN members are entitled to:

- Full access to FBN web site, which includes articles, legislative updates, bioethics news, bioethics resources and useful links;
- Discounted FBN member rates to conferences and workshops;
- Access to the Florida Bioethics Resources Center
- Correspond on-line with one of the FBN's professional staff;
- Reduced tuition at the two annual conferences. The next conference will be in the fall of 2001 in North or Central Florida.

Use the conference registration form to join.

For more information about the FBN, its education and consulting services, its special projects, or to contribute to this important work, visit the Web site at [www.med.ufl.edu/chfm/ethics/fbn.html](http://www.med.ufl.edu/chfm/ethics/fbn.html) or contact:

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