Floridá Ethics: Debates, Decisions, Solutions

April 4, 2008

Sixteenth Annual UM Conference

Miami Beach Resort and Spa

Featuring Sessions on
• Joint Commission Requirements
• Aging and Geriatrics
• Emergency Preparedness
• Ethics Committee Guidelines
• Human Trafficking
• Role of Clergy
Ethical challenges facing health professionals have never been more important or more numerous. This program emphasizes the theme of ethics and geriatrics, health emergency preparedness and other topics. From the role of ethics committees to controversies in public policy, 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.

Upon completion of this program, participants will:

• Discuss the role and importance of bioethics in clinical and institutional decision making, especially regarding aging, emergency preparedness, the role and function of ethics committees and other topics.
• Identify ethical challenges and issues in clinical practice, public policy, health law and the role of institutional ethics committees.
• Articulate ethically optimized solutions in clinical and public health contexts.

This course is designed for physicians, lawyers, nurses, social workers, clergy, psychologists, health administrators, philosophers and others with an interest or a need for continuing education in health ethics.
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of the University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine and the Florida Bioethics Network. The University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

All conflicts of interest of any individual(s) in a position to control the content of this CME activity will be identified and resolved prior to this educational activity being provided. Disclosure about provider and faculty relationships, or the lack thereof, will be provided to learners.

The University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s).™ Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses
CEU hours applied for.

Psychologists
The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine is approved by the American Psychological Association (APA) to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine maintains responsibility for this program and its content. 6 CE credits will be awarded to psychologists for attendance at this conference.

Social Workers
CEU hours applied for.

Attorneys
CLER hours applied for.
7:45 - 8:20 a.m.  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:20 - 8:30 a.m.  Welcoming Remarks
Kenneth W. Goodman, Ph.D.
   Director, Florida Bioethics Network
   Director, University of Miami Bioethics Program
Robin N. Fiore, Ph.D.
   Adelaide R. Snyder Professor of Ethics
   Department of Philosophy
   Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton

8:30 - 9:30 a.m.  State and Federal Emergency Preparedness: Lessons, Prospects and Collaborations
Clive M. Brown, M.D., MPH
   Associate Director for Science
   National Center for Preparedness, Control and Detection of Infectious Diseases, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Robert Hood, Ph.D.
   Ethics and Human Research Protections Program
   Assistant Director, Office of Public Health Research, Florida Department of Health

9:35 - 10:25 a.m.  Ethics, Aging, and Long-Term Care: The Third Generation
Martha B. Holstein, Ph.D.
   Co-Director, Center on Long-Term Care Policy, Health and Medicine Policy Research Group, Chicago

10:25 - 10:35 a.m.  Break

10:35 - 11:25 a.m.  Healthcare Ethics: The Joint Commission Perspective
Paul M. Schyve, M.D.
   Senior Vice President, The Joint Commission

11:30 a.m. - Noon  Protecting the Most Vulnerable: Ethics and State Social Services
Bob Butterworth, J.D.
   Secretary, Florida Department of Children and Families
Noon - 1:00 p.m. Moderated Luncheon/Small Group Workshops

Various University of Miami and visiting faculty moderators. Conference attendees will discuss individual cases (assigned and presented) related to morning presentations in roundtable sessions led by faculty experts.

CONCURRENT AFTERNOON SESSIONS

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

SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 1

Chair: Ray Moseley, Ph.D.
Program in Bioethics, Law and Medical Professionalism
University of Florida College of Medicine

1:10 - 2:00 p.m. Modern Day Slavery:
A Primer for Health Care Professionals on Human Trafficking in Florida
Florence Snyder Rivas, J.D.
Special Counsel and Senior Policy Advisor to Bob Butterworth, Secretary, Florida Department of Children and Families
Robin N. Fiore, Ph.D.
Adelaide R. Snyder Professor of Ethics
Department of Philosophy
Florida Atlantic University

2:10 - 3:00 p.m. The Role of Clergy on Ethics Committees
Rev. Robert W. Jakoby, M.Div., BCC
Director Pastoral Care Services
Baptist Health South Florida
Rabbi Solomon Schiff, D.P.C.
Greater Miami Jewish Federation
Rev. Patricia A. Wilson-Cone, D. Div.
Director, Pastoral Care Services and Clinical Pastoral Education
Jackson Health System, Miami
Florida Bioethics Network's

**New Guidelines for Ethics Committees**

*Ray Moseley, Ph.D.*
Program in Bioethics,
Law and Medical Professionalism
University of Florida College of Medicine

*Jeffrey Spike, Ph.D.*
Associate Professor, Department of Medical Humanities and Social Sciences
The Florida State University

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**SIMULTANEOUS TRACK 2**

Chair: Stephen Sapp, Ph.D.
Chair, Department of Religious Studies
University of Miami

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

**Dementia and Cognitive Enhancement:**
Ethical Challenges for an Aging Society

*Karen Esposito, M.D., Ph.D.*
University of Miami Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

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

**Teachings About Aging in “Minority Religions”:**
Essential Knowledge for Today's Practitioner in Gerontology

*Stephen Sapp, Ph.D.*
Chair, Department of Religious Studies
University of Miami

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

**Bioethics in the Caribbean**

*Cheryl Macpherson, Ph.D.*
Professor and Chair, Bioethics Department
St. George's University School of Medicine Grenada

*Anthony Mullings MB, BS, DM(O&G), MPH*
Director, Caribbean Research Ethics Initiative, Department of Obstetrics Gynecology and Child Health, University of The West Indies; Research Associate, University of Miami Bioethics Program

*Raul E. de Velasco, M.D.*
Chair, Baptist Health System Ethics Committee; Director, Clinical Ethics, University of Miami Ethics Programs

**4:00 p.m.**

Adjournment and Evaluations

**5:00 p.m.**

Florida Bioethics Network Board Meeting
Online payment and registration for credit card payments may be made at http://www.cme.med.miami.edu. Or please complete the form below and mail it with check or money order payable to “UM Ethics Programs,” or credit card payments (MC or Visa), to UM Division of CME, P.O. Box 016960 (D23-3), Miami, FL 33101, Fax 305-243-5613. Please visit our websites at http://www.miami.edu/ethics or http://www.cme.med.miami.edu for a printable registration form. For more information, contact the Division of CME at 305-243-6716 or email the Bioethics Program at ethics@miami.edu.

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Expiration Date ____________ Signature ___________

Course Tuition (check one)
☐ $175 for FBN members in advance or $195 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 April 1, 2008. A $50 cancellation fee will apply.

Florida Bioethics Network Membership
☐ Yes! I want to join the Florida Bioethics Network. I have completed the form above and enclosed a separate check or money order for $55 payable to FBN/UM Ethics (Sorry, credit card payments not acceptable for dues). Mail your check to: FBN c/o UM Ethics Programs, P.O. Box 016960 (M-825), Miami, FL 33101.

Accommodations
Miami Beach Resort and Spa
4833 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33140
Toll Free: 866-765-9090 or Tel: 305-532-3600

A block of rooms has been reserved for conference participants at a discounted rate of $175/night +13% tax/day. The special rate is guaranteed until midnight on March 19, 2008. The hotel extends these special rates three days prior and 3 days after the conference dates based upon availability. After March 19, 2008, reservation requests will be considered on a space-available basis.

To make reservations by phone, call toll free 866-765-9090 or 305-532-3600 and identify yourself as a participant at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine Clinical Ethics Conference. To make a reservation online, visit http://www.miamibeachresortandspa.com and click on “Reservations,” then “Groups” at the bottom of the page and enter attendee code 0331647CL to get the discounted group rate.
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