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**DIALOGUES IN RESEARCH ETHICS**Dialogue 3**Lawyers and Scientists**

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**12 noon, Friday, Nov. 21, 1997**  
**Rosenstiel Medical Science Building 3109**

—————→ Lunch will be provided ←————

Laws and regulations are among the tools society uses to guide behavior and enforce moral standards. The law and ethics are often in agreement, sometimes in conflict, and rarely at the same level of detail. This Dialogue will feature discussions of those areas of biomedical research that give rise most frequently to legal challenge, including informed consent and injuries to subjects, and explore the relationships between lawyers and researchers.

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*Dialogues in Research Ethics is a series of monthly conferences. For more information about the series, phone 243-5723, write to Medical Campus Box M-825 or send E-mail to [ethics@newssun.med.miami.edu](mailto:ethics@newssun.med.miami.edu)*

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