

THE EVOLVING ROLE OF THE TRAINED DEATH DOULA IN END-OF-LIFE CARE



DESCRIPTION:

Death doulas, individuals who provide non-medical care and support, are playing an increasingly important role in helping dying persons and their families. Alua Arthur, founder of Going with Grace, will examine this growing field and how trained death doulas can complement the care that hospice and end-of-life professionals provide, including the challenges and opportunities brought about by the COVID-19 pandemic.

PROGRAM DETAILS:

This presentation features an experienced professional offering her own expertise on the topic. On the screen, you will see the slide presentation and will be able to hear the expert talking and presenting. If you login for the live version of the program, you'll also have the opportunity to email or text the expert questions that she will discuss and answer during the program's Q & A session.

LIVE DATE:	June 16, 2020
TIME:	Noon to 1:30pm ET
ON DEMAND:	Available for 1 year; until June 15, 2021
LENGTH:	90 minutes
CEs:	1.5 hours for a wide variety of professional boards
CE FEE:	\$9.00 per certificate
CONTENT LEVEL:	The program is mainly for professionals already working in the field, but is practical for all levels of education – entry level, intermediate or advanced.
TARGET AUDIENCE:	Health care clinicians, social service clinicians and others working in the hospice, palliative care, counseling, hospital, nursing home, funeral home or faith community environments

This program will be live on the air date, recorded and made available for on demand viewing. The recorded program will be available approximately a day after the live event.

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of this webinar, participants will be able to:

1. Identify key elements of the role of the end-of-life doula.
2. Differentiate between the end-of-life doula and other end-of-life professionals.
3. Assess the need for and end-of-life doula in their programs.

PROGRAM OUTLINE:

1. Genesis of the Death Doula Movement (20 minutes)
 - a. Death Positivity Rise
 - b. Training Programs
 - c. Credentialing
2. Services of the Death Doula at Various Stages (20 minutes)
 - a. Healthy Individuals and End of Life Planning
 - b. Nearing the End of Life
 - c. After Death Care
3. Differentiation from other End of Life Service Providers (20 minutes)
 - a. Hospice Team Members

- b. Grief Services
 - c. Funeral Industry
 - 4. Death Doula in the Current Pandemic (20 minutes)
 - a. Doula-ing at a Distance
 - b. Virtual Funerals
 - 5. Question and Answer Session (10 minutes)
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CONTINUING EDUCATION (CE) CREDITS:

This program is valid for 1.5 hours of CE credit. The CE cost is \$9 per certificate. CE credits are available for 1 year, until June 15, 2021.

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EXPERT PANELISTS:

Alua Arthur, JD, is a death doula, attorney, and the founder of Going with Grace, an end of life planning organization that exists to support people as they answer the question 'What must I do to be at peace with myself so that I may live presently and die peacefully?' From private end of life consultations to online coursework to train death doulas, she is tirelessly committed to bringing awareness to death and dying and passionately believes considering death can inspire the way we live.

REVIEWER:

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BIBLIOGRAPHY/REFERENCES:

Other organization's websites:

International End of Life Doula Association www.inelda.org

Peer-reviewed journal/resource:

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Textbook references:

MILLER, B. J. (2020). *Beginners Guide To The End: practical advice for living life and facing death*. New York, NY: SIMON & SCHUSTER.

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