

SPIRITUALITY AS A FOUNDATION FOR ADVANCE CARE PLANNING



DESCRIPTION:

Making medical decisions for oneself requires understanding the medical realities and treatment options available. But it also requires a safe space to think about one's true preferences and values. Unfortunately, most healthcare professionals are either uncomfortable or not equipped to address what may be the most important part of a person's value system, their spiritual life. Friends and colleagues, Pastor Corey Kennard and Dr. Jessica Zitter will discuss the importance of spirituality in advance care planning discussions.

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:	May 4, 2021
TIME:	Noon to 1:30pm ET
ON DEMAND:	Available for 1 year; until May 3, 2022
LENGTH:	90 minutes
CEs:	1.5 hours for a wide variety of professional boards
CE FEE:	Included with registration
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.

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

To view this online program, you will need a computer and screen, reliable internet access, and speakers. If you are showing to a large group, you will need a way to project on a large screen and a sound amplification system. Please test your system ahead of time to ensure you have the capabilities to view and hear the program, as HFA does not provide refunds on registration. Please be sure to test on the SAME equipment you will use on the day of the program viewing.

TEST LINK for Audio and Video: <https://zoom.us/test>

Technical Questions? Please go to <https://zoom.us/> and click "support"

PROGRAM FEES/MATERIALS:

As there are no refunds on registration (all registrations have immediate access to program video & materials), please be sure to test the system requirements prior to purchase.

Individual Registration

(one viewer per program)

Member: \$17.40

Non-member: \$29.00

Organizational Registration

(2+ viewers)

Member: \$75

Non-member: \$125.00

How To REGISTER:

Register directly online, on HFA's website: <https://www.hospicefoundation.org>

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

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

1. Define and Discuss Important Concepts in Advance Care Planning.
 2. Discuss Spiritual/Cultural Beliefs and Preferences that may Influence People of Faith in their Willingness to Participate in Advance Care Planning.
 3. Describe Components of Advance Care Planning and the Spiritual/Cultural Benefits Provided.
 4. Demonstrate How Passages of Scripture Support Advance Care Planning as a part of Spiritual Life as a Whole.
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PROGRAM OUTLINE:

1. What constitutes Advance Care Planning? (8 min)
 2. What is an AD? (8 min)
 3. What is Spirituality? (10 min)
 4. Spiritual Concepts in Advance Care Planning (15 min)
 5. Spiritual support (or lack thereof) for Advance Care Planning (15 min)
 6. Spiritual/Cultural Beliefs and Preferences that Influence Advance Care Planning (12 min)
 7. ACP Spiritual/Cultural Benefits (12 min)
 8. Question and Answers (10 min)
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CONTINUING EDUCATION (CE) CREDITS:

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EXPERT PANELISTS:

Corey L. Kennard, MACM, is Pastor of Amplify Christian Church, manager of Patient Experience at Ascension St. John Hospital in Detroit, Michigan, and also serves as an activist in the field of healthcare. His holistic approach (body, mind, and spirit) serves as the foundation for his desire to see all human beings treated with dignity, honor, and respect in all facets of life. Corey has been involved in the field of healthcare for over 20 years with over a decade of experience in the areas of Palliative Care and Hospice. He currently seeks to enhance the patient/family experience in healthcare settings. His work has also included leading a spiritual care team at one of Detroit's largest hospitals, and formerly serving as a Faculty Lead for Duke University's Institute on Care at the End Of Life (ICEOL) national training program called, "APPEAL." He had also served as a National Advisory Board Member for the Hospice Foundation of America, and as a Co-Director of a Community Faith "Advance Care Planning" Project for the University of Virginia. Corey earned a Masters Degree from Ashland Theological Seminary and carries out his passion for people as a daring and devoted agent of change.

Jessica Zitter, MD, MPH, specializes in Critical Care and Palliative Care medicine, and practices at the public hospital in Oakland, California. She is the author of *Extreme Measures: Finding a Better Path to the End of Life*. Her essays and articles have appeared in the *New York Times*, *The Atlantic*, the Huffington Post, the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, and other publications. Her work is featured in the Oscar and Emmy-nominated short documentary, *Extremis*, and her forthcoming film, *Caregiver: A Love Story*. She is a nationally recognized speaker on the topic of dying in America.

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