

PALLIATIVE MEDICINE

TWO VIRTUAL EDUCATION EVENTS

September 21-23, 2021

**Updates In Hospice
and Palliative Medicine
and Intensive Physician
Board Review**

September 24-25, 2021

**24th Supportive
& Palliative Care
Clinical and Research
Symposium**

For more information, please call Continuing Professional Education (CPE) at 713-792-2223 or visit our website at www.mdanderson.org/conferences

Updates in Hospice and Palliative Medicine and Intensive Physician Board Review Course

September 21-23, 2021

Goal

Caring for the cancer patient in the advanced stages of disease is particularly challenging to the healthcare team. It requires attending to the many dimensions of care including medical, psychosocial, ethical, and spiritual needs. In its 17th year, the Updates in Hospice and Palliative Medicine and Physician Intensive Board Review Course will continue to offer physicians and healthcare professionals educational updates and literature review to help them successfully take the ABIM exam.

Physicians, fellows and advanced nurse practitioners will gain the knowledge and competence pertaining to symptom and pain management, issues facing patients at end-of-life, and effective communication techniques to implement into clinical practice.

Educational Objectives

After attending the conference, participants should be able to

- Interpret spiritual, legal and medical issues facing patients at end-of-life;
- Provide optimal end-of-life care including symptom management, psychosocial support and state-of-the-art pain management;
- Demonstrate effective communication techniques with patients in the advanced stages of cancer or debilitating disease and provide quality end-of-life care;
- Identify non-cancer conditions needing palliative care.

Target Audience

This activity is targeted to physicians and fellows as a board review course for the Hospice and Palliative Medicine Board Certification, though some Advanced Practice Nurses may find the information beneficial.

Educational Methods

- Lectures/Didactic • Audience Polling
- Internet Live Course
- Question/Answer Sessions

Evaluation

An online course evaluation tool will provide participants with the opportunity to comment on the value of the program content to their practice decisions, performance improvement activities, or possible impact on patient health status. Participants will also have the opportunity to comment on any perceived commercial bias in the presentations as well as to identify future educational topics.

Accreditation/Credit Designation

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 27.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Ethics

The sessions marked with “*” have been designated by The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center for 11.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* in medical ethics and/or professional responsibility.

CME Certificates and Attendance Verification Certificates

Certificates awarding *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™* or certificates documenting attendance will be emailed when an individual completes the online CME Verification process.

Upon request, a record of attendance (certificate) will be provided via email to other health care professionals for requesting credits in accordance with state nursing boards, specialty societies, or other professional associations.

MOC Points



American Board of Internal Medicine

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 26.50 Medical Knowledge MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. Participants will earn MOC point's equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

Participant completion data will be shared with and transmitted to the ACCME on the participant's behalf.

In order to receive MOC points, you must pass the post-test with a score of 70% or higher.



Agenda

(NOTE: All time is Central Standard Time (CST))

Tuesday, September 21, 2021

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- 7:00 am Zoom Room to Open
- 8:00 **Introduction and General Overview of Course: How to Take the Exam**
Sriram Yennu, MD
- 8:15 **Pain: Assessment and Principles**
Eduardo Bruera, MD
- 9:15 **Opioids for Pain Management and Titration**
Shalini Dalal, MD
- 10:15 Break
- 10:45 **Interventions in Pain Management**
Larry Driver, MD
- 11:45 pm **Lunch: Meet the Professor Case Presentation/ Discussion**
Shalini Dalal, MD
Larry Driver, MD
- 1:00 **Adjuvant Medications for Pain Management & Integrative Approaches to Manage Pain**
Larry Driver, MD
- 2:00 **Geriatric Palliative Care***
Marvin Delgado-Guay, MD
- 3:00 Break
- 3:15 **Delirium, Palliative Sedation, and Opioid Induced Neurotoxicity***
Eduardo Bruera, MD
- 4:30 **Opioid Rotation**
Akhila Reddy, MD
- 5:30 pm Adjourn

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

(NOTE: All time is Central Standard Time (CST))

- 7:00 am Zoom Room to Open
- 8:00 **Cachexia***
Rony Dev, DO
- 8:45 **Dyspnea and Cough**
David Hui, MD
- 9:30 Break
- 9:45 **Prognostication***
David Hui, MD

- 11:15 **Palliative Care in the Last Week of Life**
Eduardo Bruera, MD
- 12:15 pm **Lunch: Meet the Professor**
Eduardo Bruera, MD
- 1:30 **Grief & Bereavement**
Cindy Carmack, PhD
- 2:30 **Medicare Hospice Benefit***
Linda Tavel, MD
- 4:00 Break
- 3:45 **Wound Care/Pressure – Ulcers/Pruritis/Xerostomia**
Linh Nguyen, MD
- 4:30 **Fatigue**
Sriram Yennu, MD
- 5:00 Adjourn

Thursday, September 23, 2021

(NOTE: All time is Central Standard Time (CST))

- 7:00 am Zoom Room to Open
- 7:30 **Palliative Care in ICU**
Kevin Madden, MD
- 8:15 **Palliative Care Emergencies***
Ahsan Azhar, MD
- 9:00 **Pediatric Palliative Care**
Kevin Madden, MD
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 **Psychosocial and Spiritual Issues***
Marvin Delgado-Guay, MD
- 11:15 **Ethical and Legal Decision Making ***
Donna Zhukovsky, MD
- 12:15 pm **Lunch: Meet the Professor**
Jessica Moore, DHCE
Donna Zhukovsky, MD
- 1:30 **Disease Specific Palliative Care I: Cardiac and Renal***
Linh Nguyen, MD
- 2:15 **Challenging Conversations in Palliative Care***
Daniel Epner, MD
- 3:00 **Management of Anxiety/ Depression at the End-of-Life**
Marvin Delgado-Guay, MD
- 3:45 Break

- 4:00 **Nausea/Constipation/Bowel Obstruction**
Shalini Dalal, MD
- 4:45 **Disease Specific Palliative Care II: Neurological, AIDS***
Linh Nguyen, MD
- 5:30 pm Adjourn

Prerecorded Videos

(each topic lasts 45 minutes; no CE credit awarded for these recorded sessions)

- ICU II; and Ventilator Weaning**
Kevin Madden, MD
- Pediatric Palliative Care II**
Kevin Madden, MD
- Cancer Treatment Toxicities (including Chemotherapy, Radiation Therapy, Targeted Therapy and Immunotherapy)**
Ishwaria Subbiah, MD
- Opioid Safety, Non-Medical Opioid Use, and Risk Mitigation Strategies**
Akhila Reddy, MD
Joseph Arthur, MD
- Interdisciplinary Team, Professionalism, Quality Improvement, Compliance, and Burnout**
Suresh Reddy, MD
- Sleep Disturbance**
Sriram Yennu, MD
- Medication Interactions**
Kristy Nguyen, PharmD

Board Review Organizing Committee

Sriram Yennu, MD (Program Chair)
Eric Gagneaux
(CME Conference Planner)
Tameka Veal Sneed
(Program Coordinator)

Eduardo Bruera, MD
Kevin Madden, MD
Suresh Reddy, MD
Kimberson Tanco, MD

Board Review Speakers

MD Anderson Faculty

Sriram Yennu, MD (Program Chair)
Joseph Arthur, MD
Ahsan Azhar, MD
Eduardo Bruera, MD
Cindy Carmack, PhD
Shalini Dalal, MD
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Kristy Nguyen, PharmD
Akhila Reddy, MD
Suresh Reddy, MD
Ishwaria Subbiah, MD
Donna Zhukovsky, MD

Guest Faculty

Linh Nguyen, MD
The University of Texas
Health Science Center at Houston - UTHealth
Houston, Texas

Linda Tavel, MD
Accentcare Hospice
Houston, Texas

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MD Anderson also requires that all faculty disclose any unlabeled use or investigational use (not yet approved for any purpose) of pharmaceutical and medical device products. Specific disclosure will be made to the participants prior to the educational activity.

Agendas are subject to change because we are always striving to improve the quality of your educational experience. MD Anderson may substitute faculty with comparable expertise on rare occasions necessitated by illness, scheduling conflicts, and so forth.

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24th Supportive Care & Palliative Care Clinical and Research Symposium

September 24-25, 2021

Symposium information to be provided soon.

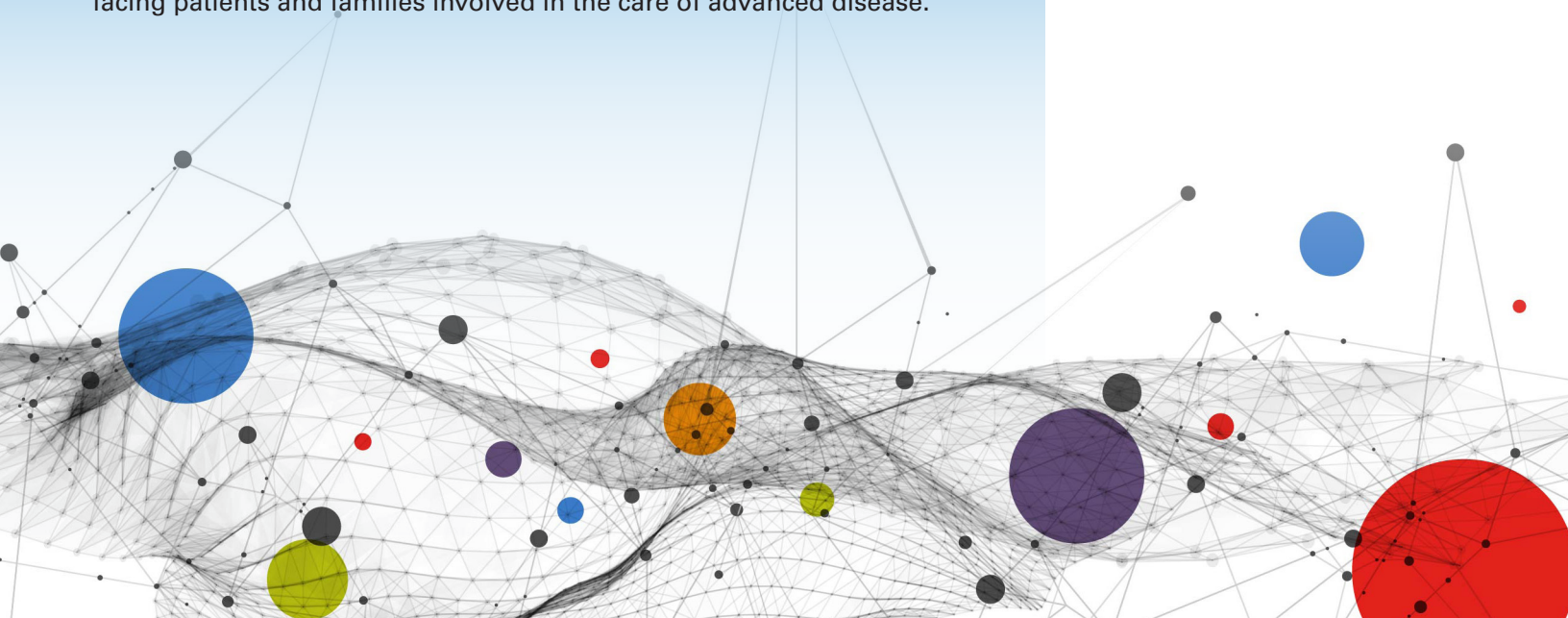
Goal

Palliative and Supportive cancer care is evolving to an important specialty to deliver optimal quality

value-based care to cancer patients. Many clinicians are unaware of the need for whole-patient care and attention to symptom management as well as quality of life improvements outside treatment of the primary disease. While cancer therapies are indeed crucial, the evolution of non-traditional health care settings places increasing emphasis on supportive care methods to improve quality of life for patients with advanced disease.

Caring for the cancer patient in the advanced stages of disease is particularly challenging to the healthcare team. It requires attending to the many dimensions of care including medical, psychosocial, ethical, and spiritual needs. In its 22nd year, the Interdisciplinary Conference on Supportive Care, Hospice & Palliative Medicine Conference continues to offer participants' educational updates to help them successfully implement new techniques and treatments in clinical practice to improve patient care and outcomes.

As a result of the participation in the conference, the conference organizing committee intends the participants to: Identify the moral and ethical dilemmas facing clinicians who provide end-of-life care; Practice state-of-the-art pain and symptom management for patients with advanced disease; Demonstrate effective communication with patients in advanced stages of cancer or debilitating disease and provide quality end of life care; and exhibit heightened awareness of medical, legal and spiritual issues facing patients and families involved in the care of advanced disease.



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 Research Symposium**

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**Physician Board
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**D123563
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 Palliative Medicine and Intensive
 Physician Board Review Course**

September 21-23, 2021

Physician/Scientist

(MD, PhD, includes Resident, Fellow, etc.)

- Postmarked by August 23, 2021. \$899**
 - You must register separately if you wish to attend the Palliative Care Symposium.
 - Registration for this Board Review will include access to the Post Webinar Sessions Board Review Course.
 - Board Review Course registration includes the Palliative Care Symposium at a REDUCED fee of \$100. - **Separate Registration is Required.**

- Online Access to syllabus and video presentations
 No CME Credit \$499**

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

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 (September 21-23, 2021)**

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Registration Information

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September 21-23, 2021

- The Board Review Course will begin at 8:00 am on Tuesday, September 21, and will adjourn at 5:30 pm on Thursday, September 10.
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Updates in Hospice and Palliative Medicine and Intensive Physician Board Review registration fee includes tuition for the Internet Live Activity, and online course materials. Registration for the 24th Supportive & Palliative Care Clinical and Research Symposium is NOT included. Separate registration is required.

24th Supportive & Palliative Care Clinical and Research Symposium

September 23-24, 2021

- The symposium will begin at 8:00 am on Friday, September 23, and will adjourn at 5:45 pm on Saturday, September 24.

The Conference/Symposium registration fee includes tuition for the Live Internet Activity, and online materials. Registration for the Updates in Hospice and Palliative Medicine and Intensive Physician Board Review Course is NOT included. Separate registration is required.

The Deadline for Advance Registration for Physician Board Review Course and the 24th Supportive & Palliative Care Clinical and Research Symposium is August 23, 2021.

There are two ways to register:

- On-line at www.mdanderson.org/conferences
- Mail to: Department of Continuing Professional Education (CPE), Unit 1781, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, PO Box 301407, Houston, TX 77230-1407

We accept the following forms of payment:

- Check (payable to The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center through U.S. banks only)
- Money order
- Credit cards (MasterCard, VISA, and American Express)
- Cash (on-site registration only)

When registering online a receipt/confirmation letter will be automatically emailed to the e-mail address you listed on the registration form. If you register by mail a receipt/confirmation letter will be emailed to you within ten working days of receipt of your fee.

Refund/Cancellation Policy

The registration fee, minus a \$50 administration-handling fee, is refundable if a written request is received on or before Monday, August 23, 2021 for both activities. No refunds will be granted after these dates. The request for a registration refund must include the tax identification number of the company or institution if registration was paid by a company or institution check.

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The Department of Continuing Professional Education (CPE), reserves the right to limit the number of participants in a program and is not responsible for any expenses incurred by an individual whose registration is not confirmed and for whom space is not available.

For additional information, contact Continuing Professional Education (CPE), at 713-792-2223 or toll free at 866-849-5866 or via e-mail: register@mdanderson.org.

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