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Accommodations

A discounted hotel room rate of \$79 is available at the Hampton Inn & Suites Deerwood for conference attendees. Rooms with double/queen-sized beds and king-sized beds have been blocked, but the hotel may book whichever room is available. Call the hotel's front desk at **904.997.9100** (24 hours) or the sales office at **904.652.1139** (8 am – 4 pm) to make a reservation. When you call, tell the representative you are with the Pediatric Bioethics Conference (group code: PBC). Or, you may make your reservations online at www.jacksonvilledeerwoodpark.hamptoninn.com.

On the web page, type in the dates November 6-8, 2009 next to the hotel picture. On the second page of the website, leave the Room Type marked "no preference" as is. Scroll down to the section named Special Accounts. Beside Group/Convention code, you will type PBC and the rooms we specifically blocked for the group will be on the third page of the website. If a guest wants to reserve a room outside these dates or a specialty room that is handicap-accessible, a suite with a whirlpool, or a master suite, please call the hotel directly to book your room.

The discounted rates are available through Friday, October 16, 2009, but don't wait until the last minute to book in order to guarantee your room.

Parking is free, sales and occupancy tax is 13%, and we can provide shuttle runs with pre-arranged scheduled times.

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Pediatric Bioethics Conference

Saturday, November 7, 2009

Jacksonville, Florida

Overview

Wolfson Children's Hospital, in partnership with the University of North Florida and the Florida Bioethics Network, presents the Second Annual Pediatric Bioethics Conference.

With talks on pressing issues by experts in the field, the conference will serve as fertile ground for the development and elucidation of best practices in pediatric bioethics. This conference will include sessions on understanding issues in pediatric bioethics, understanding the concept of "futility" and the challenges of transitioning from pediatric to adult care.

Why You Should Attend

Ethics committees, practitioners and the shapers of public policy are faced with difficult ethical challenges that require education and an opportunity to discuss those challenges with other professionals. This conference will provide such professionals with an opportunity to engage in discussions with their peers from across the region, and learn what is being done to cope with the ethical issues arising out of the constantly changing terrain in pediatric medicine.

Who Should Attend

This course is designed for physicians, nurses, social workers, clergy, psychologists, health administrators, occupational therapists, speech therapists, pediatric mental health workers, pediatric specialists, medical students, nursing students, ethicists, philosophers and others with an interest or a need for continuing education in the special area of pediatric bioethics.

Conference Program

Saturday, November 7, 2009

University Center, University of North Florida, 12000 Alumni Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32224

7:30-8:15 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:15-8:20	Welcoming Remarks <i>Alissa Hurwitz Swota, PhD (University of North Florida and Wolfson Children's Hospital)</i>

Plenary Sessions

8:30-9:30	Ethical Issues in the Care of Children: An Overview <i>Jeffrey Spike, PhD (University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston)</i>
9:35-10:35	Clarifying the Concept of Medical Futility (Wolfson Lecture) <i>Ray Moseley, PhD (University of Florida, College of Medicine)</i>
10:35-10:50	Break
10:50-12:00	The Rights of Children in Health Care: An Historical Overview <i>Jay Howell, JD</i>
12:00-1:00	Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSIONS (the two tracks are concurrent)

Track 1

1:10-2:00	Speaking with Families about AND <i>James Kirk, MD (Wolfson Children's Hospital)</i>
2:10-3:00	Public Health Ethics: Prevention of Childhood Infectious Diseases <i>Robert Hood, PhD (Office of Public Health Research, Florida Department of Health)</i>
3:10-4:00	The Transition of Patients from Pediatric to Adult Care (Focus on Chronic Care) <i>Pablo Saldana, LCSW, CRC (Nemours Children's Clinic) and Ronni Wetmore, RN, MS (Adult Cystic Fibrosis Center of Jacksonville, A Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Associates)</i>

Track 2

1:10-2:00	Right of Conscience: When Providers Say "No" <i>Robin N. Fiore, PhD (Florida Atlantic University)</i>
2:10-3:00	Cultural Issues in the Clinical Setting <i>Alissa Hurwitz Swota, PhD (University of North Florida and Wolfson Children's Hospital)</i>
3:10-4:00	An Overview of the Function of Pediatric Palliative Care <i>Kelly Komatz, MD (University of Florida)</i>

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Name: _____

Degree: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Specialty: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

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Course Tuition (check one)

\$95

\$125 at the door

FBN members:

\$50 for FBN members in advance or

\$75 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 November 3, 2009. A \$50 cancellation fee will apply.