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600 Mary Street
Evansville, IN 47747



2023
**PROFESSIONAL
ETHICS SEMINAR**

For
Nurses, Physicians, Clergy, Case Managers, Social Workers,
Hospital and Health Facility Administrators,
and other Health Care Professionals

Thursday, November 16, 2023

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Registration and breakfast begin at 7:15 AM

**University of Southern Indiana
Carter Hall
Evansville, IN**

Joint Providership with
University of Southern Indiana
Ascension St. Vincent Evansville
Deaconess Health System

General Information

Program Outcome

This seminar will engage participants with discussions of common ethical issues, dilemmas and challenges health professionals are facing in health care today.

Participants will gain increased knowledge of the ethical issues affecting health care and will be prepared to identify and approach ethical issues in their practice.

Continuing Education Credit

In support of improving patient care, University of Southern Indiana Center for Health Professions Lifelong Learning is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), and the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program to provide continuing education for the health care team.

As a Jointly Accredited Organization, the University of Southern Indiana Center for Health Professions Lifelong Learning is approved to offer social work continuing education by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program. Organizations, not individual courses, are approved under this program. State and provincial regulatory boards have the final authority to determine whether an individual course may be accepted for continuing education credit. The University of Southern Indiana maintains responsibility for these courses.

Attendees will receive up to **6.0 contact hours** with completed program evaluation.

IPCE CREDIT

This activity was planned by and for the health care team, and learners will receive 6.0 Interprofessional Continuing Education (IPCE) credit for learning and change.

The University of Southern Indiana is an approved provider of continuing education for several professionals licensed in the state of Indiana, including social workers, marriage and family therapists, psychologists, occupational therapists, occupational therapy assistants, and dental professionals.

Health Facility Administrators

Health facility administrators will receive 6.0 clock hours for this program. The University of Southern Indiana has been approved by the Indiana Board of Health Facility Administrators as a sponsor of continuing education programs for health facility administrators (License #98000033A)

Chaplains

The provider of this educational event has designed the program so that it may be considered by participants for use as continuing education as required by the Common Qualifications and Competencies for Professional Chaplains for those certified by the Association for Professional Chaplains, the National Association of Catholic Chaplains and the National Association of Jewish Chaplains.

2023 Annual Professional Ethics Seminar



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- 7:15 AM Registration and Breakfast**
- 8:00 AM Welcome**
Kevin Valadares, PhD—*Chair of Healthcare Administration and Professor of Health Services, University of Southern Indiana*
- 8:15 AM Health Equity and Social Justice**
Elliot Bedford, PhD—*Director of Ethics Integration for Ascension St. Vincent Indiana*
- 9:15 AM Health Equity and Regional Health Issues**
Lynn Herr, RN, BSN, CPN—*Vanderburgh County Health Department*
- 10:15 AM Break**
- 10:30 AM The Impact of the Roe v. Wade Decision and the Indiana Abortion Law**
Karenrose Contreras, MD, MSCR, FACOG—*The Women's Hospital*
- 11:00 AM Resource Allocation: Cases from Ascension St. Vincent**
Karl Sash, MD—*Director of Palliative Care, Ascension St. Vincent Evansville*
- 11:45 AM Lunch**
- 12:30 PM Ethical Dilemmas: Legal**
Jarrod A. Malone Esq.—*Attorney, Shareholder, Stoll Keenon Ogden, PLLC*
- 1:15 PM Ethical Dilemmas: Student-Facing (Patient and Student Case)**
Kevin Valadares, PhD—*Chair of Healthcare Administration and Professor of Health Services, University of Southern Indiana*
Nick Rhoades, MHA, BA, BSN, RN—*Chair, Ascension St. Vincent Evansville Ethics Coordinating Council*
- 2:15 PM Break**
- 2:30 PM Panel Discussion: Equity with Pain Management—Dilemmas Faced By Providers**
William Blanke, MD—*Ascension Medical Group*
Anna Dauer, MD—*Palliative Care*
Shauntrece Deters, FNP, NP-C—*Deaconess Palliative Care*
Kimberly Gibson, RN, BSN, CHPN—*Ascension Palliative Care*
- 3:30 PM Closing Remarks and Adjourn**

Registration

Registration required by November 10, 2023. No refunds will be issued after November 10, 2023.

To register, visit www.usi.edu/health/center-for-health-professions-lifelong-learning/conferences-and-workshops/professional-ethics-seminar

A valid email address is required to receive conference materials, program evaluation and continuing education certificates.

Cost to attend:

\$100 per person

\$20 per undergraduate student

Registration fee includes continental breakfast, lunch and online access to presentation materials.

If you have questions, please email jrpalmer2@usi.edu.

