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Remember Me: Dying of Dementia in a Multiethnic Society

Keynote Address
Palliative Care for Patients with Dementia: Care Team, Family & Community
Dr. Timothy Domer, MD, ABHPM
Director, Home Based Care/ Elder Care Programs,
Fort Defiance Indian Hospital, Ramah, New Mexico, USA

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10:00 am  
Keynote Address:

Palliative Care for Patients with Dementia:  
Care Team, Family & Community  
Dr. Timothy Domer, MD, ABHPM

The Keynote lecture will focus on the impact of Alzheimer’s dementia on the patient and family and the cultural aspects of dealing with dementia. Describing Palliative care as an interdisciplinary system in which holistic care is given he will explain that no illness requires such an approach more than does dementia. With advancing dementia the family and care givers often suffer more than the patient. This must be recognized and addressed for satisfactory palliative care to be provided.

Dr. Domer is highly acclaimed for his numerous Intensive Case-Based Training sessions and lectures on Dementia and Palliative Care in many parts of the USA. He graduated from the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine and completed a Geriatric Medicine and Palliative Care Fellowship at the University of New Mexico. Since 1992 he has been working at Fort Defiance Indian Hospital, New Mexico as Clinical Director and is currently Director of Home Based Care/Elder Care Programs.

11:00 am  
Providing Palliative Care for Patients with Intellectual & Cognitive Disabilities  
Dr. Karen Ryan, MB BCh, BAO, BMed Sc, MRCP MD

People with intellectual disabilities are a disadvantaged group, who experience inequality of access and outcomes in the provision of palliative care. There has been a growing movement to address these issues, but to date the impetus to change has been primarily driven by the intellectual disability services. Dr Ryan will reflect on these issues and explore future models of care.

Dr. Karen Ryan graduated from University College Cork in 1997 with a degree in medicine. She completed specialty certification in Palliative Medicine in 2005 and was subsequently awarded a Health Research Board Fellowship and conducted an assessment of the palliative care needs of people with intellectual disabilities as part of her research thesis. This work has led to a number of publications in peer-reviewed journals. Dr Ryan serves as Consultant in Palliative Medicine in St Francis Hospice, the Mater Misericordiae University Hospital and Connolly Hospital in Dublin, Ireland.

11:50 am  
Question & Answer period

12:00 noon  
Lunch Break

1:00 pm  
Affirming an Ethic of Care at the End of Life:  
Blending Quality with Compassion  
Dr. Hazel Markwell, BSc, MA, PhD, ThD

This presentation will draw attention to the healing covenant that interlocks the sacred presence and attention, empathy, active listening and accompaniment as indispensable components of the healing journey of care to its very end and beyond.

Dr. Markwell is the Director of the Centre for Clinical Ethics, a joint venture of Providence Healthcare, St. Joseph’s Health Centre and St. Michael’s Hospital, in Toronto, Canada; and a Professor in the Department of Anesthesia at the University of Toronto. She has lectured nationally and internationally on ethics in health care, particularly on issues related to organizational ethics and has facilitated numerous sessions for Senior Management and Boards of Directors. Her research interests include Palliative Care, End of Life Care, Allocation of Resources and Conflict Resolution.

1:50 pm  
Question & Answer period

2:00 pm  
Refreshment Break

2:20 pm  
Caring for the Dying in a Multiethnic & Multi-religious Milieu  
Dr. Joseph Chandrakanthan, BTh, MPhil, MTh, LTh, PhD, ThD

Going beyond the European paradigm of a Judeo-Christian ethic of care this presentation will analyze the challenges of cross-cultural, trans-cultural and multi-religious aspects of care for patients with end stage illnesses. This talk will also focus on the ethical, cultural and religious value conflicts involved in withdrawing or withholding of treatment, nutrition / hydration and palliative sedation.

Dr. Chandrakanthan is an Associate Professor at the University of Toronto and a Staff Bioethicist at the Centre for Clinical Ethics and the University of Toronto Joint Centre for Bioethics. As a specialist in Multicultural and Palliative Care Ethics he has addressed a number of national and international conferences. He was also the Chair Person of the Spiritual Care division of the Canadian Hospice and Palliative Care Association from 2005-2010 and for six consecutive years he has given presentations at the CHPCA and the International Palliative Care Congress.

3:10 pm  
Question & Answer period

3:20 pm  
Concluding Remarks

Who Should Attend?

Dementia Care-Givers
Clinical Care Managers
Community Nurses
Bereavement Counsellors
Nursing Home Managers/ Agencies
Hospice/Respite Care-Providers
Multi-faith Chaplains/Spiritual Counsellors
Geriatric Nurses & Physicians
Social Workers/Ethicists
NVQ In Healthcare (Students)
Palliative Care Physicians/ Nurses
Pain Management Teams
Researchers/ Administrators