

*5th Annual Palliative Care Spring Symposium for Interprofessional
Healthcare Providers:*

Building Palliative Care Skills Together

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Learning Objectives

At the completion of this course, participants should be able to:

- Discuss complex grief and examine what effective tools are available for bereavement support for adults and children
- Analyze difficult and complex ethical scenarios, including withdrawal of advanced life support and futility, to provide a framework for all healthcare providers to discuss complex issues with patients and families
- Identify palliative care options to improve the quality of life for seriously ill patients
- Assess their individual practices in light of the information and discussions during the course, and identify specific strategies to implement as part of a continuing improvement process for their practices