

REGISTRATION FORM
Bioethical Dilemmas in End-of-Life Care
October 18, 2008

Please email sharlene.lopez@cuw.edu with questions.

Registration Fee: \$50.00

Make checks payable to: Concordia University Wisconsin

Course Registration \$ _____

Alumni Reunion BBQ

_____ Adults @ \$9.00 \$ _____

_____ Children(2-12 years)@ \$5.00 \$ _____

(under age 2 free)

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Name _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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Deadline for Registration and/or Alumni Reunion BBQ: September 29, 2008

Mail to:

Concordia University Wisconsin
Physical Therapy Department
12800 N Lake Shore Dr.
Mequon, WI 53097
Phone: (262) 243-4433

Concordia University
Physical Therapy
Alumni Reunion BBQ
12:30 p.m.

- *Family BBQ following the workshop*
- *Tour the bluff renovation for spectacular views and a bit of exercise*
- *Take a tour of the new dormitory*



Concordia University Wisconsin's
Department of Physical Therapy &
Concordia Bioethics Institute
Present:



**Bioethical Dilemmas in
End-of-Life Care**

Ethics & Law:
*Continuing Education for PT's
and PTA's*
&
PT Alumni Reunion

Saturday, October 18, 2008

All proceeds to benefit the CUW
Physical Therapy Scholarship Fund

SCHEDULE

8:00 Registration

8:30

- Introduction
- Current State of Health Care
- Ethical Foundations of Health Care
- Ethical Perspectives on end-of-life care, including the Christian perspective

10:15 Break

10:30

- Case Discussions

11:00

- Review of Wisconsin PT Practice Act

12:30

- End of course & distribution of CE certificates

12:30
Physical Therapy
Alumni Reunion

IF YOU CAN'T COME FOR THE COURSE-

COME FOR THE PARTY!

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

1. Identify the issues and dilemmas surrounding end-of-life health care.
2. Identify ethical theories and moral principles relevant to health care professionals' practice.
3. Apply a systematic ethical decision-making approach to case studies relevant to current clinical practice.
4. Incorporate the APTA Code of Ethics into ethical decision making.
5. Identify critical elements in the Wisconsin Statutes and Administrative Code related to frequently asked questions in physical therapy practice.
6. Identify resources available to health care professionals for support in making ethical and legal practice decisions.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Course Description: This course is designed to meet the continuing education requirements in the areas of ethics and jurisprudence for Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants in the state of Wisconsin. Issues surrounding the health care of persons facing imminent end-of-life present bio-ethical dilemmas of concern for all health care professionals. Guided by a bioethicist, course participants will experience the decision making process required for arriving at a moral action after exploring the conflicting bioethical principles within these dilemmas. Various ethical perspectives for resolving bioethical dilemmas will be presented, including the Christian perspective. The cases of Karen Quinlan, Nancy Cruzan, and Terri Shiavo, will be used to demonstrate the complexity of end-of-life issues. Participants will participate in small group discussions, using the APTA Code of Ethics, for case scenarios relevant to PT practice. The course will also include a review of sections of the Wisconsin Statutes & Administrative Code related to frequently asked practice questions. Resources for clinicians' future questions related to professional ethics and law will be provided.

Continuing education credits (4 contact hours) have been applied for with the Wisconsin Physical Therapy Association.

PRESENTERS

Rev. Dr. Kevin E. Voss, D.V.M., Ph.D(c)

Director, Concordia Bioethics Institute,

Concordia University Wisconsin

Dr. Voss joined the Concordia Bioethics Institute in August 2003. He has received training and experience in theology, reproductive technology, statistics, and research ethics. From 1981 to 1995, Dr. Voss was in private practice in Northeast Wisconsin as a dairy veterinarian, with a focus on reproductive medicine. He is a graduate of Concordia Seminary, St. Louis., and is currently completing his Ph.D. in Health Care Ethics at Saint Louis University. Dr. Voss has given many presentations on bioethical topics to churches and hospitals. He is certified in, and has assisted with, teaching research ethics at Saint Louis University and was a full-board member of the Human Studies Committee (IRB) of Washington University Medical Center in St. Louis. He currently serves on the IRB of Concordia University. Dr. Voss is also a community member of the Ethics Committee of Columbia St. Mary's, Ozaukee Campus.

Louise Mollinger-Riemann, PT, MS,

Assistant Professor, Concordia University Wisconsin Physical Therapy Program.

Professor Mollinger received her M.S. degree in Physiology from the Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, in 1982 and her B.S. degree in Physical Therapy from Marquette University, Milwaukee, in 1970. She joined the Concordia Physical Therapy faculty in 1996 and teaches units on professionalism, ethics and the law related to physical therapist practice. She has served as a member of the WPTA Ethics Committee.