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Martha Twaddle, MD, FACP, FAAHPM, HMDC
Medical Director - Palliative Medicine & Supportive Care -
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Mary Mihalyo, PharmD, BCPS
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PROGRAM AGENDA

PRE-CONFERENCE WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2019

► 2:30-6:00
Registration
Atrium

► 2:30-4:30
FUTURE FORUM
All sessions will take place in Room 260

Intersection of Palliative Care with Population and Public Health
Martha Twaddle, MD, FACP, FAAHPM, HMDC
Medical Director, Palliative Medicine & Supportive Care-Northwestern Medical Lake Forest

Patient Flow from Acute Care to Community Palliative Service
Marny Fetzer, MD, ABEM, FACEP, ABIM-HPM, HMDC
Amita Health, Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care

Palliative Care Practice from the POV of an APN
Pamela A. Tabler, MS, MSN, FNP-BC, ACHPN
Palliative Nurse Practitioner, Amita Health/Rainbow

Nargis Nardi, MSN, RN, CHPN, WCC
Director of Clinical Development, Rainbow Hospice & Palliative Care

John Stys, PhD, Moderator
Educator

► 5:00-6:00
Reception in Exhibitor Atrium, Beverages, Appetizers, and Networking
Atrium

► 6:00-7:30
Dinner
Room 101/B

Unexpected Consequences of Opioid Crisis
Mary Mihalyo, PharmD, BCPS Delta Care Rx
CEO/Pharmacotherapy Specialist

CONFERENCE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2019

► 7:00-8:00
Registration, Vendors, Breakfast
Atrium

► 8:00-9:00
Clinical Practice Guidelines for Quality Palliative Care
Auditorium

Martha Twaddle, MD, FACP, FAAHPM, HMDC
Medical Director, Palliative Medicine & Supportive Care-Northwestern Medical Lake Forest

► 9:00-9:15
Break, Vendors
Atrium

► 9:15-10:15
The Islamic Perspective on EOL
Room 164

Aamira Tahir-Malik, MD
Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care, Amita Health

Palliative Care Components
Auditorium

Margherita C. Labson, BSN, MSHSA, CPHQ
Executive Director of Business Development, HomeCare Services, JCAHO

Addressing Lower Hospice Utilization Among Minority Medicare Population
Room 119

M. Courtney Hughes, PhD, MS
Northern Illinois University, School of Health Studies

The Perfect Storm: Recruitment & Retention
Room 166

Ryan Klaustermier, MSN, RN, CHPN, CHPCA
Administrator, Heartland Hospice

Lamari P.C. Brayboy III, PTA, DCP, CCO, CMC
Chief Operations Officer, Meridian Health Care

Agitation/Delirium
Room 167

Nimita Varga, PharmD, MBA, BCGP, CDP
Manager of Clinical Services, Optum Hospice Pharmacy Services

► 10:15-10:30
Break, Vendors
Auditorium

► 10:30-11:30
Community Based Palliative Care
Auditorium

Connie Lemon, RN, BHA, CHPN
Executive Director, Hospice of Kankakee Valley

GIPPC (Greater Illinois Pediatric Palliative Care Coalition)
Room 119

Kristen James

Cultural Competence & Humility in End of Life Care
Room 164

Nancy Flowers, MSW, LCSW
Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care

Heart of the Veteran
Room 166

Andrew Balafas
Representative and Veterans Liaison, Vitas Healthcare, Lombard

Pain and Substance Abuse
Room 167

Phyllis Grauer, PharmD, BCGP, CPE, CDCA
ChaRxis Consulting, LLC

► 12:00-1:00
Lunch and Annual Meeting
101A/101B

Mary Sheehan
State of IL-HPCO

Betsy Mitchell
Legislative Update

► 1:00-2:00
The Intersection of Polypharmacy Relatedness and Deprescribing
Auditorium

Greg Dyke, RPh
Quality and Compliance Representative,

Harborlight Hospice Pharmacy Consultant
Weatherbee Resources Pharmacy Consultant

LGBTQ - EOL Care
Room 164

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Introducing Home Based Care in the Community
Room 166

Leslie Horwitz, RN, BSN
Senior Vice President , Access, JourneyCare

Mark Grzeskowiak, MD, HMDC
Chief Medical Officer, JourneyCare

Eyes Wide Open: Can Clinicians effectively implement care plans to provide palliation in wounds at EOL
Room 167

Nargis Nardi, MSN, RN, CHPN, WCC
Director of Clinical Development, Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care

► 2:00-2:15
Break, Vendors
Atrium

► 2:15-4:15
NHPCO Regulatory Update
Auditorium

Jennifer Kennedy, EdD, MA, BSN, RN, CHC
Senior Director Regulatory and Quality, NHPCO

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