

Palliative Care Education, Practice, and Research: Preparing Doctoral Students to Meet the Complex Needs of the Nation's Seriously Ill

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Learning Objectives:

1. *Explore research initiatives that advance the science of nursing in palliative care.*
2. *Analyze barriers and facilitators in the conduct of research with patients and families experiencing life threatening illness.*
3. *Develop strategies to implement palliative care across the spectrum of nursing education programs.*
4. *Evaluate the impact of macro and micro policy changes affecting nursing education and practice for doctorally prepared nurses.*
5. *Develop leadership qualities in doctorally prepared nurses to affect quality outcomes in palliative care.*

8:00 a.m.

Bus pick-up at the Hotel Del Coronado

8:30-9:00 a.m.

Registration and Light Continental Breakfast

9:00-10:15 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Program Session

***Sally Brosz Hardin, PhD, RN, FAAN, Dean and Professor, University of San Diego
Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA***

State of the Science in Palliative Care Research

***Speaker: Betty Ferrell, PhD, RN, FPCN, FAAN, Director and Professor, Nursing
Research and Education, and Associate Director for Nursing Research, City of Hope,
Duarte, CA***

***Moderator: Patricia Roth, EdD, RN, Director of the Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing
Program and Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health
Science, San Diego, CA***

10:15-10:45 a.m.

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Refreshment Break

Complimentary coffee, tea, and healthy snacks are available in the foyer.

10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

Program Session

Innovations and Challenges in Community Outreach: *Before I Die* Festival

Speaker: Lucia Wocial, PhD, RN, FAAN, Adjunct Assistant Professor, School of Nursing, Indiana University, Nurse Ethicist for Indiana University Health, and Nurse Ethicist, Program Leader for the Fairbanks Program in Nursing Ethics, Indianapolis

11:45-1:15 p.m.

Lunch *(provided)*

Tour of the Dickinson Nursing Simulation Center also will be available during this time.

1:15-2:45 p.m.

Breakout Session 1-A

Innovations and Challenges in Nursing Education

Moderator: Mary Barger, PhD, RN, MPH, CNM, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

- **Implementing AACN Competencies and Guidelines for Undergraduate Nursing Programs: Caring for Seriously Ill Patients and Their Families**
Speaker: Pam Malloy, MN, RN, FPCN, Director and Co-Investigator of the End-of-Life Nursing Education Consortium (ELNEC), American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Washington, DC
- **Results of the NCI Funded Palliative Care Project in DNP Education and Practice**
Speaker: Betty Ferrell, PhD, RN, FPCN, FAAN, Director and Professor, Nursing Research and Education, and Associate Director for Nursing Research, City of Hope, Duarte, CA
- **Developing a Palliative Care Focus in a Doctor of Philosophy Program**
Speaker: Jane Georges, PhD, RN, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA
- **Integration of Palliative Care and End of Life Care in Simulation Scenarios**
Speaker: Karen Macauley, PhD, DNP, FNP, RN, Director of Nurse Practitioner Programs and Innovative Learning and Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

1:15-2:45 p.m.

Breakout Session 1-B

Innovations and Challenges in Practice

Palliative Care Education, Practice, and Research

Moderator: Eileen Fry-Bowers, PhD, JD, CNS, PNP, RN, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

- **Palliative Care During the Prenatal Period**
Speaker: Bethaney Kaye, DNP, FNP, MSN, RN, Nurse Practitioner, Pain and Palliative Care Consultation Service, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles]
- **Palliative Care: Practice and Research in the Acute Care Setting**
Speaker: Caroline Etland, PhD, PhD, AOCN, ACHPN, RN, Director of Education, Research, and Professional Practice, Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center, Chula Vista, CA
- **Delirium: Opportunity for Comfort in Palliative Care**
Speaker: Jacqueline Close, PhD, RN, GCNS, GC, FNGNA, Clinical Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, , San Diego, CA

2:45-3:00 p.m.
Stretch Break

3:00-4:15 p.m.

Breakout Session 2-A

Innovations and Challenges in the Conduct of Research

Moderator: Cynthia Connelly, PhD, RN, FAAN, Director of Nursing Research and Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

- **Recruitment Issues with Children and Neonates**
Speaker: Eileen Fry-Bowers, PhD, RN, JD, CNS, PNP, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA
- **Addressing Cultural and Language Differences in the Conduct of Research**
Speaker: Kathleen Stacy, PhD, RN, CCRN, CNS, Clinical Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA
- **Academic and Clinical Partnerships to Foster Research in Palliative Care**
Speaker: Lucia Gonzales, PhD, MSN, MBA, NP- C, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA
- **Lessons Learned in Conducting an Intervention Study to Reduce Symptom Burden at the End of Life**

Palliative Care Education, Practice, and Research
Speaker: Roger Strong, PhD, AHPCN, FPCN, Nurse Manager, Home Based Primary Care and Palliative Care Nursing, Veterans Administration Health Care System, San Diego

3:00-4:15 p.m.

Breakout Session 2-B

Regulatory Processes

Moderator: Karen Sue Hoyt, PhD, RN, FNP-BC, CEN, FAEN, FAANP, FAAN, Clinical Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

Barriers and Solutions to Implementing Physician Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (POLST): A Health Policy Regulatory Perspective

Speaker: Joseph Burkard, DNSc, MSN, CRNA, Associate Professor, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science San Diego, CA

- **Changing Policy within an Organization, Does Language Matter?**

Speaker: Carmen Spalding, PhD, RN, CHSE, Nurse Educator, Bioskills and Simulation Training Center, Naval Medical Center San Diego. Associate Clinical Faculty, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA

- **Legislative Impact on Contemporary Practice in Palliative Care**

Speaker: Susan Hope Klein, DNP, RN, FNP-C, OCN, Clinical Facilitator, University of San Diego Hahn School of Nursing and Health Science, San Diego, CA. Nurse Practitioner, California Cancer Associates for Research and Excellence, La Jolla California .

4:15-5:00 p.m.

Closing Program Session

Open Discussion of Key Issues: Moving Forward

*Panelists: Drs. Betty Ferrell, Lucia Wocial
Eileen Fry-Bowers, Caroline Etland, Susan Hope Klein
Moderator: Dr. Patricia Roth*

5:00 p.m. **Return to the Hotel Del Coronado**