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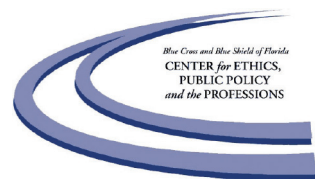
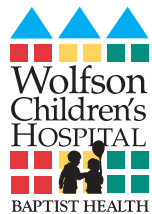
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**Accommodations**

Special rates have been secured for attendees of this conference. The Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk Hotel will offer **Single/Double Occupancy: \$99**. The rate specified does not include applicable taxes, which are currently 13%, or parking fees which are currently \$12 per day for valet, \$10 per day for self-parking and \$5 for one-time event parking for non-hotel guests attending the Welcome Reception. Taxes and parking fees are subject to change without notice. Rates are based on availability. This rate will remain available until 12 am on September 10, 2008. After this date rates are based on availability.

All guests should make reservations directly with the Hotel (904.396.5100) or through the Wyndham's toll-free number (866.845.8862) on an individual basis, identifying themselves as attending the Florida Bioethics Network Conference. Reservations may also be made online at [www.wyndhamjacksonville.com](http://www.wyndhamjacksonville.com).

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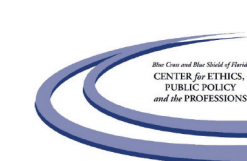
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## Overview

Wolfson Children's Hospital, in conjunction with the University of North Florida and the Florida Bioethics Network, presents the Pediatric Bioethics Conference.

With talks on pressing issues by experts in the field, the conference will serve as fertile ground for the development and elucidation of best practices in pediatric bioethics. This conference will include sessions on understanding issues in pediatric bioethics, cultural and religious considerations in the pediatric clinical context and the challenges of moral distress.

## Why You Should Attend

Ethics committees, practitioners and the shapers of public policy are faced with difficult ethical challenges that require education and an opportunity to discuss those challenges with other professionals. This conference will provide such professionals with an opportunity to engage in discussions with their peers from across the region, and learn what is being done to cope with the ethical issues arising out of the constantly changing terrain in pediatric medicine.

## Who Should Attend

This course is designed for physicians, nurses, social workers, clergy, psychologists, health administrators, occupational therapists, speech therapists, pediatric mental health workers, pediatric specialists, medical students, nursing students, ethicists, philosophers and others with an interest or a need for continuing education in the special area of pediatric bioethics.

# Program

## Friday, October 10, 2008

Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk Hotel, 1515 Prudential Drive

7:00-10:00 pm Welcome Reception

## Saturday, October 11, 2008

Prime Osborne Convention Center, 1000 Water Street

7:30-8:15 am Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:15-8:20 am Welcoming Remarks  
*Kenneth W. Goodman, PhD (University of Miami and Florida Bioethics Network)*  
*Alissa Swota, PhD (University of North Florida and Wolfson Children's Hospital)*

### Plenary Sessions

8:30-9:30 am Overview of Pediatric Bioethics  
*Christine Harrison, PhD (Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto)*

9:35-10:35 am Panel Discussion on Cultural and Religious Issues in the Pediatric Clinical Context  
*Robin N. Fiore, PhD (Florida Atlantic University) and Julie Ingersoll, PhD (Director, Program in Religious Studies, University of North Florida)*

10:35-10:50 am Break

10:50 am-12:00 pm Moral Distress  
*D. Micah Hester, PhD (University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences/Arkansas Children's Hospital)*

12:00-1:00 pm Lunch

## AFTERNOON SESSIONS (the two tracks are concurrent)

### Track 1 – Palliative Care

1:10-2:00 pm Overview of Pediatric Palliative Care Programs in Northeast Florida  
*Kelly Komatz, MD (University of Florida)*

2:10-3:00 pm A Multidisciplinary Approach to Pain and Symptom Management in Children with Life-Threatening Illnesses  
*Fern Hannigan, RN (Wolfson Children's Hospital), Scott Brooks-Cope, PhD (Wolfson Children's Hospital), Kelly Komatz, MD (University of Florida)*

3:10-4:00 pm A National Perspective on Pediatric Palliative Care: Where Are We and Where Are We Going?  
*Stacy F. Orloff, EdD, LCSW (Vice President, Palliative Care and Community Programs, The Hospice of the Florida Suncoast)*

### Track 2 – Ethical Issues at the Edge of Viability

1:10-2:00 pm Care at the Lower Limits of Viability  
*Ray Moseley, PhD (University of Florida, College of Medicine), James Kirk, MD (Wolfson Children's Hospital)*

2:10-3:00 pm Paradigmatic Cases that Have Shaped Pediatric Ethics  
*Jeffrey Spike, PhD (Florida State University, College of Medicine)*

3:10-4:00 pm Care at the End of Life for Children (Focus on Terminating Artificial Nutrition and Hydration)  
*Bruce McIntosh, MD (University of Florida, Department of Children and Families), Bill Allen, JD (University of Florida, College of Medicine)*

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Please visit our website at [www.miami.edu/ethics/fbn](http://www.miami.edu/ethics/fbn) for a printable registration form. For more information, contact the Florida Bioethics Network at 305.243.5723 or e-mail [cjgall@comcast.net](mailto:cjgall@comcast.net).

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### Course Tuition (check one)

- \$95  
 \$125 at the door

FBN members:

- \$50 for FBN members in advance or  
 \$75 at the door

Tuition includes admission to program sessions, continental breakfast, luncheon, refreshment break and course syllabus. Refunds will be made only if written notice of cancellation is received before October 6, 2008. A \$50 cancellation fee will apply.