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Annual Educational Retreat

Share The Spirit

*“Addressing the
Spiritual Needs of
the Sick, Dying, and
Grieving”*

**Wednesday,
September 8, 2010**

 **Rice Hospice**
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Addressing the Spiritual Needs of the Sick, Dying and Grieving

The workshop will address and answer the following questions:

- How do we discover someone's spiritual language?
- How can we show respect for that language and use that language to improve someone's wellbeing?
- How do we respond to people who have religious beliefs and values that are causing psychological and physical damage to themselves and others?
- How can we talk about and explore issues of spirituality without using words that are heavily laden with religious prejudice?
- How can we focus on beliefs and values that are shared by all religions?

Featured Speaker

Douglas C. Smith, MA, MS, MDiv is a professional speaker, trainer and consultant with more than 30 years experience as a counselor, therapist, patient-care advocate and health care administrator. Doug has presented seminars in all 50 states and written 8 books on health care. Having master's degrees in three different disciplines, he knows how to address the holistic perspective that takes into consideration the physical, psychological and spiritual dimensions of people/clients. His experience with terminal illness and grief is personal as well as professional, having lost to death a brother and two daughters. For more information about Doug, go to: www.douglasmith.com.

 **Rice Hospice**
Rice Memorial Hospital
301 Becker Ave SW
Willmar, MN 56201

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Agenda

8:00 AM	Registration
8:50 AM	Welcome
9:00 AM	<i>A Spiritual Model of Care to Complement the Medical Model of Care</i>
10:15 AM	Break
10:30 AM	<i>Assessing Spiritual Language and Beliefs</i>
11:45 AM	Lunch
12:45 PM	<i>Exploring the Spiritual</i>
2:00 PM	Break
2:15 PM	<i>Enhancing the Spiritual</i>
3:30 PM	Closing Remarks Book Signing Evaluation

* Due to varying temperatures in the meeting room, you may wish to dress in layers for your own comfort.

Intended Audience

Hospice personnel, critical care staff, clergy, volunteers, nurses, physicians, social workers, nursing home staff, clinic personnel, and other interested persons. This workshop is suggested for people who work with people.

Objectives

At the end of this session, participants will be able to:

1. Define a "spiritual model of care" to use with the "medical model of care."
2. Discuss how to find meaning and value in the midst of pain and suffering.
3. Assess a client's spiritual language and show respect for that language.
4. Utilize tools and techniques to help clients explore and enhance their spirituality.
5. Discuss how to pray and meditate with people of all faiths.

Credits

6 contact hours
5 continuing education credits

Registration

FEE "Early Bird" \$60.00 per person if postmarked by August 18, 2010. \$80.00 per person after August 18, 2010. This fee includes materials, lunch and refreshments. Fee is refundable only if registration is cancelled one week prior to the day of the conference.

Registration is limited so please register by August 31, 2010. Please pay by cash or check, no vouchers accepted. Make check payable to **Rice Memorial Hospital** and mail with registration form to:

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Location

Holiday Inn & Willmar Conference Center
2100 Highway 12 East
Willmar, Minnesota

REGISTRATION FORM

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2010

Name _____ Volunteer _____ RN _____ LPN _____ MD _____
Address _____ Home Health Aide _____ Clergy _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Counselor _____ Social Worker _____
Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Other _____
Employing Institution _____ Email _____

Enclosed is \$60 per person (by August 18, 2010)

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