

GERIATRICS LUNCHTIME LEARNING

Memorial Hospital- ‘LIVE’- WVU Building Room 2000

General Hospital- Rooms 101-102

View on CEN in 3rd floor Classroom at Women and Children’s Hospital

ALSO VIEW on www.camcinstitute.org

Wednesday, April 22, 2009 @ 12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.

“Palliative Medicine and the Care of the Elderly Patient”

SPEAKER:

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Join us for our monthly Geriatrics Lunchtime Learning Series designed to promote interdisciplinary teams and quality care for geriatric patients. Target audience for this activity includes physicians in primary care and all specialties, nurses, dietitians, social workers, pharmacists, and all other interested health care professionals.

Registration: *To register, call the CAMC Community Liaison Office at 345-9051 or contact by email at community.liasons@camc.org.*

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED ONLY TO THOSE THAT REGISTER!

Objectives: *At the conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:*

- **Describe the demographics of the dying**
- **Define the role of Palliative Care in the elderly and possible barriers**
- **Distinguish between Palliative Care and hospice**
- **Discuss Palliative Care in chronic illness in the elderly, using dementia as a model**
- **Discuss the role of advance directives in determining care at the end of life**
- **Discuss the latest initiatives to improve the standard of care for all people nearing end of life**

Accreditation

Physicians-The CAMC Health Education and Research Institute’s CME program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians. The CAMC Health Education and Research Institute designates this educational activity for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category I credit(s)TM. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in this activity.

Nurses-The CAMC Health Education and Research Institute is accredited as a provider of continuing education by the West Virginia Nurses Association, which is accredited as an approver of continuing education in nursing by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation. This offering (P015-11-09908) has been approved for 1 contact hour.

Social Work-The CAMC Health Education and Research Institute is an approved provider of continuing education by the West Virginia Board of Social Work Examiners. This program has been approved for 1 hour of social work credit. Approval number #490045.

Dietitians-This program has been approved for 1 CPE hour by the Commission on Dietetic Registration, the credentialing agency for the American Dietetic Association.

Pharmacy-The CAMC Health Education and Research Institute is accredited by the American Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education. This program has been approved for 1 contact hour(s) under program approval number 554-000-09-038-LO4-P

