

## ENDING WELL: CARE IN THE LAST YEAR OF LIFE

**CARE FOR AN INDIVIDUAL AT THE END OF LIFE PRESENTS NUMEROUS AND COMPLEX MEDICAL, EMOTIONAL, AND SPIRITUAL ISSUES. THESE ISSUES ARE OFTEN TREATED SEPARATELY, YET THEY OVERLAP AND INTERMINGLE IN THE EXPERIENCE OF THE DYING PATIENT.**



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### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Medical provider participants will be able to recognize and articulate primary spiritual and pastoral issues and pastoral care participants will be able to recognize and navigate key medical issues that are likely to emerge in end-of-life care.
2. Participants will demonstrate increased skill and comfort with discussing and addressing these spiritual, pastoral, and medical issues.
3. Participants will demonstrate understanding of the distinct yet complementary roles that medical and pastoral caregivers play in attending to patients at the end of life.
4. Participants will be able to identify strategies and guidelines for working with other providers to give more holistic care to dying patients.

### DATE

Wed., Nov. 5, 2014, 1:00-5:00 p.m.

### LOCATION

Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, Knox Room (signage will be available on campus)

### FEE

\$45 plus an additional \$10 for CEUs

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