

There is no cost to attend this program. However, pre-registration is required by May 10, 2021.

Registration Form

Grief, Loss and Life Limiting Illness:
Supporting Families Facing End of Life

LARA KRAWCHUK, MSW, LCSW, MPH

Tuesday, May 18, 2021

Fowler Center, A-State - Jonesboro

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(Confirmation of registration will be sent by email.)

CE Category: Physical Therapy Social Work Long-term Care

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About the Speaker



Lara Krawchuk, MSW, LCSW, MPH is Owner and Clinical Director of Healing Concepts, LLC (www.healingconceptslc.com) a private counseling, continuing education and

consulting practice, in West Chester, Kennett Square and Philadelphia, PA. She is a long time Lecturer for the University of Pennsylvania School of Social Policy and Practice and the West Chester University MSW Program. She is an active Practicum Faculty member for Robert Neimeyer's Portland Institute for Loss and Transition. Mrs. Krawchuk has a long history of working with end of life and the bereaved. Her social work career began in cancer centers, hospice, cancer wellness programs and continues today in her teaching and private practice. She speaks, around the country, about issues of ambiguous and living losses, caregiving, end of life, grief & loss, Internal Family Systems Theory model, psychosocial impact of cancer, self-care for helping professionals and trauma treatment. She is the author of numerous chapters and articles on cancer care, and creative healing for grief and living losses. Ms. Krawchuk likes to tell people she was born to do this work and she absolutely loves it! She can be reached at 610-209-3111 or healingconceptslc@gmail.com

ASU College of Nursing and Health Professions & NEA Baptist Charitable Foundation HopeCircle present:

The Billy Joe and Betty Ann Emerson Grief Seminar

Grief, Loss and Life Limiting Illness: Supporting Families Facing End of Life



PRESENTED BY: LARA KRAWCHUK, MSW, LCSW, MPH

Tuesday May 18, 2021
9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Program Sponsors

Emerson Funeral Home

ASU College of Nursing & Health Professions

NEA Baptist Clinic

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NEA Baptist Memorial Hospital

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Purpose

This interactive workshop will review common emotional challenges experienced by families facing life limiting illness and end of life. We will use a compelling, real-life case study to explore how to identify how denial, ambiguous losses, ambivalence, and anticipatory grief challenge families living with life limiting illness. We will discuss effective ways to build effective care partnerships between community-based experts, medical teams and families. We will explore a range of creative tools that can be used to support meaning making and grieving throughout life limiting illness, end of life, and bereavement. Finally, we will discuss the many ways in which countertransference, compassion fatigue, burnout, and compassion satisfaction that can impact professionals and volunteers working with families at the end of life.

Contact hours will be awarded at the completion of the conference following submission of your evaluation form.

Virtual Schedule

8:30	Link will go live – Remarks & Intros
9:00 - 10:15	The Emotional Challenge of Facing Life Limiting Illness and End of Life
10:15 - 10:30	Morning Break
10:30 - 12:00	Creative and Collaborative Care Partnerships Throughout Life Limiting Illness and End of Life
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch break
1:30 - 3:00	Impact on Professionals Caring for Families at End of Life and the Healing Power of Creative Self-Care Strategies
3:00 - 3:30	Questions & Answers

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

1. Recognize the many ambiguous, nonfinite, and anticipatory losses experienced by individuals and families facing life limiting illness and end of life
2. Assess common challenges families face while navigating end of life
3. Enhance skills of presence, witnessing and meaning making throughout life limiting illness and end of life
4. Discuss the power of collaborative approaches to care
5. Learn creative tools for supporting clients facing end of life
6. Understand the relevance of countertransference, compassion fatigue, and parallel process in relation to offering care at end of life

Who Should Attend?

This program is designed for Hospice Personnel, Educators, Social Workers, Counselors, Therapists, Psychologists, Physicians, Nurses, Clergy, Chaplains, Lay Ministers, and others caring for the bereaved.

**The conference is going virtual.
More information will be sent to those registered for the conference including the conference link.**

Continuing Education:

CONTACT HOURS ARE PENDING FOR ALL PROGRAMS NOTED BELOW.

- Long Term Care - 4.5 contact hours
- Social Work -- 4.5 contact hours
- Physical Therapy – 4.5 contact hours
- Counseling – 4.75 contact hours

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