April 7, 2011 / 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm
HSLC Lecture Auditorium 1306

“Physician Assisted Dying: Patient Right or Wrongful Death?”

WELCOME: Remarks and Symposium Introduction
Dean Robert N. Golden, MD, and Norman Fost, MD, MPH, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health

KEYNOTE: “Boundary Issues in Helping Patients Die”
Timothy Quill, MD, Professor, University of Rochester School of Medicine

KEYNOTE: “Calling Things By Their Right Name: Is Assisted Dying Suicide? Is it Killing? Is it Euthanasia in Disguise?”
Margaret Pabst Battin, PhD, Distinguished Professor of Philosophy, University of Utah

KEYNOTE: “Drawing Distinctions When Making Decisions at the End of Life”
Yale Kamisar, LLB, Clarence Darrow Distinguished University Professor of Law Emeritus, University of Michigan Law School

PANEL DISCUSSION: “Terminal Sedation and Active Euthanasia: What are the Boundaries?”
Gretchen Schwarze, MD, MPP, Facilitator, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health
Featuring:
- “Helping Patients Die Who Are Not Terminally Ill”
  Carl Weston, MD, Hospice Physician, HospiceCare, Inc.
- “Why the Goals of Sedation Terminate at Palliation”
  Farr A. Curlin, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, Co-Director, Program on Medicine and Religion, The University of Chicago
- “Double Effect in Action: Personal and Institutional Perspectives”
  Jeff Grossman, MD, President and CEO, UW Medical Foundation; Pulmonary Critical Care Physician
- “Patient and Family Perspectives”
  Tracy Schroepfer, PhD, Associate Professor, UW-Madison, School of Social Work

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