Continuing Education

Hospice of Northwest Ohio (OH-270, 6/1/2013) is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Ohio Nurses Association (OBN-001-91), an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission of Accreditation. 3.0 contact hours.

Hospice of Northwest Ohio (RCS 100003) is an approved provider of Continuing Professional Education by the Ohio Counselor and Social Worker Board. 3.0 clock hours has been approved for social workers and counselors.

This educational offering has been reviewed by the National Continuing Education Review Service (NCERS) of the National Association of Long Term Care Administrator Boards (NAB) and approved for 3.00 clock hours and 3.00 participant hours.

Hospice of Northwest Ohio is an approved provider of continuing education for OPA MCE. 3 contact hours are approved for Psychologists.

This educational offering has been reviewed by The State of Ohio Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors and has been approved for 3 hours of continuing education credit.

Intended Audience

Nurses, Social Workers, Counselors, Psychologists, Long-Term Care Administrators, Funeral Directors, Clergy, Attorneys, Home Health Agency Administrators

Accommodations

Program participants who are in need of special accommodations, please contact Mary Davis at **mdavis@hospicenwo.org or 419-931-5190.**

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THE SEVENTH ANNUAL DR. SHARON EREL LECTURE

The Best Care Possible

How Courage, Conversations and Community Will Transform the End-of-Life Experience in the 21st Century

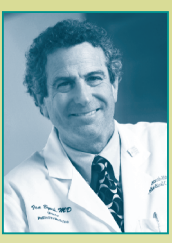
FEATURING

Ira Byock, MD

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16
8:15 A.M. - NOON

REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST • 7:30 - 8:15 A.M.

The Seventh Annual Dr. Sharon Erel Lecture



FEATURING

Ira Byock, MD

Though we enjoy longer lives than any other generation before us, the benefits of 21st century medicine have yet to make anyone immortal. We effectively treat diseases, but often overlook the personal priorities of the people who are ill, which often results in needless suffering at the end of life.

Dr. Ira Byock, one of the nation's foremost leaders in hospice and palliative care and author of ***The Best Care Possible – A Physician's Quest to Transform Care Through the End of Life***, argues that how we die is among the most pervasive national crises facing us today. But, he says, this is one crisis we can fix! Practical and affordable strategies exist to re-make our health care system and dramatically improve care, without bankrupting families and our country. He shows what truly excellent care through the end of life can look like, and how – with courage, conversations and support from the community – clinical teams can profoundly transform every family's experience of illness, caregiving and loss. *www.dyingwell.org*

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16

7:30 - 8:15 A.M.
Registration & Breakfast

8:15 A.M. - NOON
The Best Care Possible
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Objectives

- Discuss the fundamental components of quality clinical care in the context of serious illness.
- Identify dying as a critical time in the life of individuals and families.
- Describe the role of individuals and their families as engaged effective partners in the shared goal of achieving optimal care.
- Recognize the concept of "community" as a process.

Parkway Place Event & Conference Center
2592 Parkway Plaza, Maumee
At the intersection of the Anthony Wayne Trail and Detroit Avenue

The registration fee is just $30, which includes a full breakfast and continuing education credits.

To register, go to www.hospicenwo.org, and click on the calendar under the "What's New" section.

Registration deadline is Wednesday, October 10.

About Our Presenter

Ira Byock, MD, is Director of Palliative Medicine at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire and a Professor at the Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth.

He has been involved in hospice and palliative care since 1978, during his residency. At that time he helped found a hospice home care program for the indigent population served by the university hospital and county clinics of Fresno, California. He is past president of the American Academy of Hospice and Palliative Medicine. During the 1990s he was a co-founder and principal investigator for the Missoula Demonstration Project, a community-based organization in Montana dedicated to the research and transformation of end-of-life experience locally, as a demonstration of what is possible nationally. From 1996 – 2006, he served as Director for Promoting Excellence in End-of-Life Care, a national grant program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

Dr. Byock has authored numerous articles on the ethics and practice of hospice, palliative and end-of-life care. His first book, ***Dying Well***, (1997) has become a standard in the field. ***The Four Things That Matter Most***, (2004) is used as a counseling tool widely by palliative care and hospice programs, as well as within pastoral care. His most recent book, ***The Best Care Possible*** (March 2012) tackles the crisis that surrounds serious illness and dying in America and his quest to transform care through the end of life.

He has been a featured guest on numerous national television and radio programs, including NPR: *All Things Considered* and *Fresh Air*, ABC *Nightline*, CBS *60 Minutes* and PBS *The News Hour*.

The Dr. Sharon Erel Lecture

As the founding Medical Director of Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Sharon Erel, MD, made a profound difference in the way end-of-life care is provided to patients and families living in this region. She was the first physician in the Toledo area to become certified in hospice and palliative care and was beloved by patients, families and Hospice staff because of her ability to relate to all types of people and to find "teachable moments" in almost every situation. Upon her retirement in 2006, Hospice established "The Dr. Sharon Erel Lecture" to honor her for 25 groundbreaking years with our agency. She is still revered for her wisdom, accessibility, sense of humor and commitment to the interdisciplinary hospice team.

Dr. Erel currently resides in Turkey and is a consultant in palliative care with the Anatolia Health Center Hospital in Gebze. She works with the Turkish Ministry of Health and the World Health Organization and recently won a national award from Health Volunteers Turkey for social responsibility in the field of health.