2013 AMBI
CLINICAL ETHICS CONFERENCE

Friday, November 15, 2013
7:45 am - 4:00 pm

Hilton Garden Inn - Albany Medical Center
62 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, NY 12208

Sponsored by The Alden March Bioethics Institute at Albany Medical College and the Office of Continuing Medical Education in conjunction with the Albany Medical Center Provider Unit.
**AGENDA**

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15**

7:45-8:25 am  
Registration, Continental Breakfast

8:25-8:30 am  
**Welcome, Introductions**  
*Bruce D. White, JD, DO*

8:30-9:30 am  
**H1N1 Pandemics: Threats, Strategies, and Ethical Responses**  
*David S. Pratt, MD, MPH*

9:30-9:45 am  
**Break**

9:45-10:40 am  
**Childhood Immunizations: Tough Questions, Critical Answers**  
*Roberto P. Santos, MD*

10:40-11:35 am  
Mandatory Immunizations for Healthcare Workers?  
*Evelyn M. Tenenbaum, JD*

11:35-12:30 pm  
**Lunch**

12:30-1:20 pm  
**Breakout Session I**  

- **A**  Swine Flu and False Pandemics: Questions in Europe  
  *Marleen Eijkholt, PhD, LLM*

- **B**  Vaccination Misinformation on the Internet and Informed Consent  
  *Jane B. Jankowski, MSW, MS*

- **C**  Basic Training for Ethics Committee Members  
  *Carolyn Dunbar, MS, RN, OCN*  
  *Connie Monforte, MS, RN, CCRN*

1:20-2:05 pm  
**Breakout Session II**  

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2:15-3:45 pm  
**A Mock Ethics Consultation**  
*Wayne N. Shelton, PhD, MSW*  
*Heather Frenz*

3:45-4:00 pm  
**Evaluation and Concluding Remarks**  
*Bruce D. White, JD, DO*
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Directions to the Albany Medical College / Hilton

From the South: Take the New York State Thruway to Exit 23. Bear right off the exit. At the light, turn left onto Southern Blvd. Proceed for approximately one mile to Delaware Avenue. Turn right onto Delaware Avenue and proceed for approximately one mile. Turn left onto Holland Avenue and proceed two blocks.

From the North: Take the Northway (I-87) to I-90 East, Exit at I-787 South (Albany). Exit at Madison Avenue. Proceed approximately one mile on Madison Avenue. Turn left onto New Scotland Avenue. Go two blocks. Albany Medical Center will be on your right.

From the East: Take I-90 West to I-787 South (Albany). Exit at Madison Avenue. Proceed approximately one mile on Madison Avenue. Turn left onto New Scotland Avenue. Go two blocks.

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Parking
Parking is available in the Main Garage of Albany Medical Center in the 60 New Scotland Avenue garage. Courtesy passes will be available at the registration table.

Acknowledgement
A complete list of supporters will be provided at the conference.

Attire
Attire for the conference is business casual. Since everyone has a different comfort level, we suggest that you dress in layers or bring a sweater.
Course Description
The 2013 AMBI Clinical Ethics Conference is a conference in which keynote speakers, guest faculty, and conference participants gather at the Alden March Bioethics Institute in Albany, New York, for a full day of engaging discussions and breakout sessions revolving around a single theme.

Learning Outcomes
Upon completion of this conference, participants will be able to:

• List and discuss at least three ethical dilemmas that might arise when considering providing flu immunizations to the general public when threatened with a catastrophic pandemic.
• List and explain at least three current ethical dilemmas associated with routine childhood immunizations.
• Identify the ethical and legal benefits and burdens of mandating that hospital employees submit to annual evaluation for infectious disease and specific tests and immunizations.
• Play the role of a clinical ethics consultant when called to deal with an ethical dilemma involving immunizations.

Target Audience
This conference will be of interest to institutional ethics committee members, physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, pharmacists, social workers, chaplains, hospice staff, case managers, lawyers, healthcare facility administrators, and others interested in healthcare decision making.

Accreditation
Albany Medical College is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Albany Medical College designates this Live activity for a maximum of 5.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

AAPA accepts Category 1 credit from AOACCME, Prescribed credit from AAFP, and AMA Category 1 CME credit for the PRA from organizations accredited by the ACCME.

An application has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

Albany Medical Center is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This Learning Activity will be awarded 6.1 Continuing Nursing Education Contact Hours.

Other: Please call the Office of CME at (518) 262-5828 to inquire about other types of professional credit.

Tuition
Full Course Tuition $110.00
Tuition includes admission to the conference, the course syllabus, a continental breakfast, breaks, and lunch.

Refund Policy
All refunds are subject to a $35.00 service charge. Refunds will be processed once written notification of cancellation is received.

Confirmation
All registrants will receive a confirmation card in the mail or via email. If you do not receive this prior to the conference, please call the Office of CME at (518) 262-5828 to confirm that we have received your information.

For Information
For further information, please contact Marlena Schreifels in Office of Continuing Medical Education by phone at (518) 262-5828, by fax at (518) 262-5679 or by e-mail at schreim@mail.amc.edu. For emergency calls during the conference, please call the Office of Continuing Medical Education or the Alden March Bioethics Institute at (518) 262-5828 or (518) 262-6082.

Visit the Albany Medical Center website at www.amc.edu

Special Needs
If you have disabilities, dietary restrictions or other special requests, please contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education at (518) 262-5828 by November 8 to discuss your needs.
Method of registration: Mail or fax

Fax: Only registrations paid with a credit card will be accepted by fax at (518) 262-5679. This is a secure fax line.

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