

Saturday, March 16

7–8 am

Cambia Leadership Lecture Breakfast

Women in Leadership: Pathways for Empowerment, Leadership, Action and Culture Change (CAMBIA)



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Objectives

- Describe the challenges, prospects and strategies to increase the number of women in palliative care leadership positions.
- Discuss how to mentor, support and encourage more women to assume leadership positions.
- Identify best practices and leadership styles for 'managing up' in an organization, supervising those who report to you, and gaining support from men and other women in the organization.

Participants who register for the session will be surveyed prior to the session for questions they may have about women leaders and how to attain and sustain leadership. The moderator, Dr. Kutner will select questions from the survey results and encourage questions from participants for the panel discussion which will also include big picture issues pertaining to women leaders.

Some possible themes and questions are as follows:

1. How have women and men in the palliative care movement been affected by the Me-Too movement?
2. What planned or random experiences helped you become a leader? (e.g., programs, mentors, colleagues, coaches)
3. Did you find road blocks at any time in your career because you are a woman? How did you overcome them?
4. What are the work-life balance issues you face as a leader? How do you support others on your team? (Do men and women come to you with different issues?)
5. How do you stay in tune with your highest and best use with many demands on your time?
6. What was the best piece of career advice you received on your path to leadership?

7. How did you find a unique voice as a women leader?
8. What are the challenges and opportunities faced by you in leading your own organization and having an impact nationally?

8:15–10 am

Plenary Session

State of the Science (103)



Heather L. Coats, PhD, APRN-BC, University of Colorado, College of Nursing, Denver, CO. Laura P. Gelfman, MD, MPH, Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY.

Objectives

- Summarize selected important recent peer-reviewed articles related to two "hot" topic areas.
- Critique the methodologies and understand the conclusions of these articles.
- Determine if the findings are relevant to the patients for whom the attendees cares.

The objective of this session is to review the recent journal articles about the 2 "hot" topics (selected by crowd sourcing from the AAHPM and HPNA communities) that were published with the highest potential for impact on the field of hospice and palliative medicine. A hand search of leading journals highly relevant to the practice of hospice and palliative care will be supplemented with a search of evidence based reviews, a targeted keyword search, and conversations with experts in the disciplines of medicine, nursing, and social work. Journal articles will be reviewed for both study quality and potential for immediate impact on the field of hospice and palliative care.

10:30–11:30 am

Concurrent Sessions

The Practice of Palliative Medicine in Developing Countries—Part One (SA500)



Kayode Olafimihan, BSc. MBBS FWACP, Dip. Pall Med. University of Ilorin Teaching Hospital, Ilorin, Nigeria. Mohja Marhoom, MBBS, Khartoum Oncology Hospital, Khartoum, Sudan. Zohora Jameela Khan, DCH MD, Dhaka Medical College Hospital, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Objectives

- Learn how physicians in specific countries provide palliative care to their patient populations often with limited resources.