

Program for
Interpersonal Communication And Relationship Enhancement
Department of Faculty Development



Presents
Achieving Communication Excellence
ACE Lecture Series

“Spirituality and Cancer: What Patients and Families Want To Discuss”

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This talk will review different definitions of spirituality specifically as they relate to helping patients find meaning

Tuesday, November 3, 2009
12:00 – 1:00 PM / Hickey Auditorium- R11.1400
Lunch will be provided to the first 75 attendees

After attending this activity, the target audience of All MDACC faculty and staff should be able to:

- demonstrate basic principles and strategies that can be used to promote an increase in patient satisfaction with the overall care provided;
- discuss options for treatment plans with patients that will be more congruent with what the patient wants and increase patient compliance to treatment plan;
- interpret patient emotions and employ basic principles and strategies to acknowledge these emotions;
- demonstrate appropriate communication skills with colleagues.

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