NYU Winthrop Hospital
Hospice & Palliative Medicine Fellowship

Fellows Core Lecture Topics

**Adult Methodologies Used**

- Brainstorming
- Case Based Learning
- Case Studies
- Learning Cell
- Simulation
- Small Group Discussion
- Reflection Exercise
- Round Robin
- Team Based Learning

**Palliative Medicine [Core]**

- Altered States of Consciousness
- Approaches to Oncologic Care 1 & 2
- CHF/LVAD
- COPD
- Delirium
- Dementia
- Dependence and Addiction
- ECMO
- Gynecologic Oncology
- History Taking: Symptoms & Functional Assessments
- HIV
- Immunotherapy
- Interventional Cancer Pain Management
- Management of Symptomatic Cancer Related Syndromes
• Medicare, Medicaid, Hospice Benefits, VA, Funeral benefits etc.
• Methadone
• Oncology for the Palliative Medicine Physician
• Organ Donation
• Palliative Care Considerations in End Stage Liver Disease
• Prognostication & Natural History of Disease
• Pulmonary Hypertension
• Symptoms: Dyspnea, Oxygen, Bipap, Catheters
• Symptoms: Nausea, Vomiting, Constipation, Diarrhea
• Symptoms: Pain 1 & 2
• Vent Withdrawal
• Wound Care

**Ethics & Professionalism**

• Advance Care Planning & DNR Orders
• Confidentiality, Truth-telling & Therapeutic Exception
• Consult Etiquette
• Ethical Analysis & Moral Assessments
• Ethics of Palliative Sedation
• Physician Assisted Dying
• Surrogate Decision Making
• Team Leadership

**Psycho-social**

• A Culturally Competent Approach to the Palliative Care Needs of the LGBTQ Population
• Cognitive Compromise & Decision Making Capacity
• Sociostructural competencies
• Existential Suffering & Spirituality
• Family Meetings
• Grief & Bereavement
• History Taking: Psychosocial & Spiritual Assessment
• Intro to Palliative Social Work & Team Function
• Managing Transference & Counter Transference, Boundaries & Family Dynamics
• Psychiatric Illness and End of Life Care
• The Psychology of Decision Making & The Ethics of Nudging

Self-Care

• Narrative Medicine exercises
• Self-Care & Moral Distress