

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION**

AUGUST DEKKER, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

JASON WEIDA, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:22-cv-00325-RH-MAF

EXPERT DECLARATION OF
G. KEVIN DONOVAN, M.D., M.A.

1. I am over the age of 18. I have actual knowledge of the matters stated herein. If called to testify in this matter, I would testify truthfully and based on my expert opinion.

2. I have been retained by counsel for defendants as an expert in connection with the above captioned litigation. The purpose of this report is to summarize a report that I prepared in support of the Agency for Healthcare Administration's Generally Accepted Professional Medical Standards on the Treatment of Gender Dysphoria. A copy of my report is attached and incorporated by reference as Exhibit "A" to this declaration. I also respond to criticisms of my report made by Dan H. Karasic, M.D.

3. I have not testified as an expert in the past 5 years at any court hearing, trial or deposition.

I. Background and Qualifications

Qualifications

4. The information provided regarding my professional background, experiences, publications, and presentations are detailed in my curriculum vitae (CV). A true and correct copy of my CV is attached as Exhibit "B".

5. I am a Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics at Georgetown University School of Medicine, and Director emeritus of the Pellegrino Center for Clinical Bioethics at Georgetown University. I have been on the Georgetown Medical School

faculty since 2012. Prior to that, I was on the faculty at the University of Oklahoma medical school and Baylor College of Medicine, for over 30 years combined.

6. I received my medical training at the University of Oklahoma, and Baylor College of Medicine, and further training in medical research at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda Maryland.

7. I trained in medical ethics at Georgetown University, Kennedy Institute of Ethics and completed my Masters in bioethics at the University of Oklahoma. I was the founding director of the Oklahoma Bioethics Center.

8. I have chaired the Institutional Research Ethics Board (IRB) for 17 years, at SFH. This is the designated organization that oversees the safety of human subjects participating in medical research.

9. My professional interests in bioethics include informed consent, shared decision-making, beginning of life issues, end-of-life issues, brain death, as well as medical research and pediatric ethics. I have taught courses at the graduate school level addressing these ethical issues.

10. I have studied and been consulted on issues surrounding transgender patients, both minors and adults, locally and nationally.

11. For ethical as well as medical reasons, I have neither prescribed medications nor referred for surgery any patients that consider themselves transgender.

12. Subsequently, none of my opinions are biased by my professional income being generated by these activities nor by my professional reputation relying primarily on these diagnoses.

Compensation

13. I am being compensated for my work on this matter at a rate of \$350 per hour for my expert opinion and support services. My compensation in no way depends on the outcome of the litigation, the opinions I express, or testimony that I may provide.

Basis for Opinions

14. In preparing my report, I have relied on by years of experience as a physician and medical ethicist, my review of the literature as documented in my report, and established principles of medical ethics.

15. My perspective is valuable as an unbiased observer. It is analogous to our work on the evaluation of the issues surrounding the diagnosis of brain death: when questions have arisen about the diagnosis and practice in brain death, which is the primary pathway towards organ donation, it has been seen as preferable to have these issues examined and evaluated by unbiased observers more than by transplant surgeons or organ recipients.

16. Likewise, it is difficult for one whose professional reputation and financial compensation has depended heavily on a single diagnosis to maintain sufficient distance to render a completely unbiased opinion about it.

The Status of the Question

17. The biggest problem with a diagnosis of transgenderism is the conceptual one. When a biological male presents himself, declaring that he is in fact a woman, (or the reverse) the commonsense response is not to take this at face value. This would be true for any similar aberration. Our first response would not be to immediately clothe him in a dress, any more than we would attempt to clothe him in feathers if he believed he were a chicken. This would represent a misplaced and false compassion.

18. Nevertheless, this is the approach now being taken by many psychiatrists and surgeons and endorsed by medical societies. Perhaps as a result, the number of young Americans describing themselves as “transgender” has exploded over the past decade, increasing by a factor of 20 to 40, based on surveys by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

19. Concomitantly, there has also been a shift from a predominance of young males presenting early, 80% of whom would historically revert in their self-perception by the time they had completed puberty. We are now seeing much larger

number of females. The two leading explanations for this unexplained phenomenon are greater social acceptance, or social contagion.

20. Beyond a patient's self-perception, there is no biochemical, hormonal, radiological, or genetic basis for confirming such a diagnosis or differentiating these individuals.

21. The terminology applied to these patients has been changed from "transsexual" to gender identity disorder, to gender dysphoria, and now the term transgender is commonly favored. It is far broader, and can encompass any nonconformity with traditional sex roles.

22. The treatment approach is to provide puberty blockers for young prepubertal patients, followed by cross sex hormones, followed by various levels of surgical reconstruction as determined by the patient, including castration, penectomy, mastectomy, and hysterectomy.

23. The studies claiming to support this approach for adults and children have recently come under increased scrutiny, with international scientific and clinical bodies expressing concerns about the safety, efficacy, and scientific basis for the current interventions. They have found the practice of gender transition, especially for children, is based on data that provided low quality evidence, making the purported favorable outcomes unlikely to be reliably true. As a result, three European countries have begun to form more conservative and cautious treatment

guidelines. This has not yet been reflected in the enthusiasm for the current approach by practitioners in the U.S.A.

24. The enthusiasm for these interventions has progressed to the point where an initial psychological evaluation of the patient has often become minimal or almost nonexistent. Planned Parenthood clinics, which have become widely advertised providers of these hormonal interventions, have promised a prescription for patients after a single visit, sometimes within the same day.

25. One justification for the willingness to initiate this process with such alacrity is the claimed expectation of great benefit with minimal harm. This is particularly true in the provision of puberty blockers for the youngest patients, who are told that the effects will be completely reversible. However, with further study it has come to light that complications such as arrested maturation, physiological changes, fertility challenges, hematological changes, and osteoporosis can all result from treatment with these puberty blockers and may be irreversible.

26. In any medical condition where the cause is unknown, the treatments still uncertain, and the adverse effects of the interventions are not fully elucidated, a proposed course of therapy would have to be seen as experimental. Such an approach would correctly be approached as experimental, or medical research subject to the ethical requirements of informed consent, prior review, oversight, and rigorous

interpretation of results. Parenthetically, it might be noted that the costs of such research are not routinely borne by third party payors or the patients themselves.

RESPONSE TO DR. KARASIC

27. My discussion of the ethics of providing transgender care has been criticized by Dr. Dan Karasic. He views Florida's actions in terminating Medicaid coverage of gender affirming care as problematic for those who were previously approved for that same coverage. He states "Florida's actions amount to forced detransition" and goes on to admit "there has been little research on those forced to detransition". He fails to see that those pathways upon which he has set patients for "gender affirming care" should have included protocols for the "detransitioning" that patients are already voluntarily seeking in increasing numbers. To place patients on such a one-way conveyor belt of treatment is to fail to account for all their needs, an ethical as well as a medical failure on the practitioner's part. It would be analogous in the present opioid epidemic to treating a patient's pain with opioids but not knowing how to wean them off successfully. Were such an exit strategy in place, it could be used for all who needed it. This would include not just patients who lose their insurance coverage, but could also extend to patients who develop neurologic injury significant enough to cause a loss of their acquired "gender identity". Would a patient in an ICU or a nursing home situation continue to receive these treatments? To begin treatment of such patients without knowing how to successfully

discontinue such treatment, and to not warn patients of this issue in advance, again reflects unfavorably on the issue of informed consent for the treatment of patients identifying as transgender.

CONCLUSION

28. The nature of true medical science is to form a hypothesis, test the proposed interventions, and evaluate the results both positive and negative, and to continue to be open to questioning the process going forward. In the present climate, this does not appear to be possible for the approach to patients claiming to be transgender. Questioning any part of the diagnosis or treatment approach has triggered a massive and vituperative response. Even those wanting to use only a psychotherapeutic approach without progressing to other stages have been condemned as attempting “conversion therapy”. In extreme cases, this has been declared illegal.

29. There is no obvious explanation for this lopsided state of affairs; there is unfortunately some precedent. In a previous generation, it was proposed and accepted for a time that serious mental illness could be treated by frontal lobotomy, i.e., drilling into the front of the brain. This was in fact done to a number of patients, including the sister of Pres. John F. Kennedy, and she subsequently was rendered permanently mentally deficient. Enthusiasm for this approach waned, and this

shameful episode in medicine is rarely discussed today. Our responsibility is to ensure that we are not living in an analogous time, triggered by medical hubris.

30. The greatest safeguard against this type of medical misadventure is to be completely open about what we know, and what we do not yet know. When certainty is lacking about the potential benefits and harms of a therapeutic approach, treatment should be conducted with fully informed consent and within the context of clinical trials. This should have been done before the widespread employment of hormonal and surgical interventions for what appears to be a primarily psychological problem. The greatest difficulty occurs when you find that you have your cart before the horse. You are not making progress when you are moving rapidly, but in the wrong direction.

I declare, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 15th day of February, 2023.

/s/ G. Kevin Donovan

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EXHIBIT "A"

Florida Medicaid Project: Treatment for Transgender Children

Medical Experimentation without Informed Consent:

An Ethicist's View of Transgender Treatment for Children

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I. The Issue

Growing controversy attends the diagnosis and treatment of individuals identifying as transgender, particularly those who are still children or adolescents. As was recently pointed out, leading medical, mental health, and public health organizations support understanding gender-diverse youth and providing gender-affirming medical (hormonal) and other(surgical) care as the standard of care, including the American Academy of Pediatrics, American Psychological Association, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine, and the American Medical Association. Major nursing organizations—the American Nurses Association and the American Academy of Nursing— have made statements that young people's access to inclusive, safe, and competent health care is a human rights issue. (Wolfe, I., & Goepferd, A. "Child Abuse in Texas." *The Hastings Center*. 14 Mar. 2022) However, this widespread support is not going unchallenged, even by those who have been providing medical interventions for these children and adolescents.

Recently, questions have arisen about the appropriateness of both the diagnosis, and the safety and efficacy of these interventions that have been strongly encouraged up until now. Currently, less than half of state Medicaid programs provide gender affirming care. (Mallory, C., & Tentindo, W. "Medicaid coverage of gender-affirming care." Williams Institute, UCLA School of Law. Oct 2019). The Florida Surgeon General has said that minors should not undergo gender transition procedures, puberty blockers and hormone treatments. ("[Florida Department of Health Releases Guidance on Treatment of Gender Dysphoria for Children and Adolescents](#)." 20220420-Gender-Dysphoria-Press-Release | Florida Department of Health.) In Texas, the state attorney general issued a decision that gender-affirming medical treatments such as puberty-suppressing hormones fall under the definition of child abuse in Texas state law. In fact, 34 states have introduced legislation to limit hormonal and surgical interventions for such transgender patients. This aligns with similar reassessments and limitations in the United Kingdom, Sweden, Finland, and France. A new position statement from the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists (RANZCP) stresses the importance of a mental health evaluation for people with gender dysphoria — in particular for children and adolescents — before any firm decisions are made on whether to prescribe hormonal treatments to transition or to perform surgeries, often referred to as "gender-affirming care." "There is a paucity of quality evidence on the outcomes of those presenting with gender dysphoria. In particular, there is a need for better evidence in relation to outcomes for children and young people," the guidance states.

Given the legitimate concerns about the diagnosis, treatment, and the paucity of supportive, scientific studies in regard to the interventions being offered to minors who identify as transgender, I will offer a view of these from the perspective of an ethicist and pediatrician. This will be done in the face of strong and sometimes heated opposition to any variance from the currently prevailing recommendations. Each category of currently recommended or potential treatments will be briefly considered within this framework. The evidence base for these will be reviewed, and an overall argument made that such interventions must be considered as medical experimentation, subject to the requirements of research in childhood with informed consent. Finally, I will conclude with an examination of the fundamental flaw of the transgender project in childhood, and how it is leading to inevitable and controversial challenges.

In order to do this, we must review the ethical requirements for medical research in childhood and the elements of **informed consent**. Because of numerous abuses in the past, a strong system of regulations and oversight has been developed for the protection of human subjects in the United States. This began with the Belmont Report: (<https://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/regulations-and-policy/belmont-report/index.html>) The report not only described the ethical principles listed below, but led to guidelines for research protections that are now codified in Federal regulations (Code of Federal Regulations, or ‘CFR’) and monitored by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). These led to the establishment of IRBs (Institutional Review Boards) which are responsible for the protection of human subjects in federally funded research—IRBs are the Federally mandated committees that review research activities for the protection of human subjects. The Office for Human Research Protections (OHRP) provides leadership in the protection of the rights, welfare, and wellbeing of subjects involved in research conducted or supported by the DHHS. The OHRP helps ensure this by providing clarification and guidance, developing educational programs and materials, maintaining regulatory oversight, and providing advice on ethical and regulatory issues in biomedical and social-behavioral research. These measures have laid the ground rules for human research, in adults and children including the need for informed consent.

Although adults may be included in research, this should only be done with *fully informed consent*, and the requirements will differ for children and other vulnerable subjects. The bedrock of these protections lies in obtaining the informed consent from the participant. Informed consent to medical treatment and research involvement is fundamental to both ethics and law. The process requires that a *fully autonomous patient* have the ability to *understand relevant medical information* about the proposed interventions, including the *risks, benefits if any, and alternatives* (including doing nothing/non-participation). and consent *voluntarily* without *coercion*. This is rooted in respect for the **ethical principles of autonomy, beneficence, and justice**.

Autonomy is derived from respect for persons, which requires that we not only respect those who are fully autonomous but protect those individuals that are not fully autonomous. Vulnerable subjects such as children cannot legally or ethically participate in the consent process due to their age and maturity level. The rules for their involvement are set out by the Code of Federal Regulations (46 CFR 401-409). While consent cannot be given for another person, parents or guardians can give “permission” and children can give assent to the extent that they are able. The process of obtaining assent should be appropriate to the age, maturity, and psychological development of the child. The consent process must contain three ethically required components: *information, comprehension, and voluntariness*. Deficiencies in any of these categories would invalidate the process. The main contention here is that deficiencies in *all* these categories can be found in the current approach to minors who identify as transgender, and current attempts at treatment should not proceed as they are now practiced.

Beneficence is reflected in the complementary expressions of (1) do no harm and (2) maximize possible benefits and minimize possible harms. An assessment of risks and benefits will depend heavily on the delivery of accurate and complete information as described above. An assessment of risk will include both the probability and the severity of envisioned harms, both physical and psychological.

Finally, **justice** requires fairness in distribution of risks and benefits. It suggests that not only should like cases be treated alike, but different approaches are appropriate for different circumstances. This is highly relevant in the selection process for those being subjected to the various interventions while still minors.

Thus the process of informed consent must proceed with a correct diagnosis, the nature and purpose of recommended interventions, the known burdens and benefits of all options, including doing nothing or forgoing the intervention. While not able to do an exhaustive review of these elements as they apply to the main treatment approaches recommended for transgender minors, we can briefly examine each category to assess for obvious deficiencies. The issue of deficient information will be significant in each category, and questions of comprehension and voluntariness will be addressed at the end.

II. The Interventions

Surgery

A variety of surgeries have been performed on transgender adults. These range from removal of both breasts (bilateral mastectomy) and associated chest reconstruction, nipple repositioning, dermal implant and tattooing, to gender surgery for trans men which includes construction of a penis (phalloplasty or metoidioplasty), construction of a scrotum (scrotoplasty) and testicular implants, or a penile implant. Removal of the womb (hysterectomy) and the ovaries and fallopian tubes (salpingo-oophorectomy) may also be considered. Surgery for trans women includes removal of the testes (orchidectomy), removal of the penis (penectomy), construction of a vagina (vaginoplasty), construction of a vulva (vulvoplasty), construction of a clitoris (clitoroplasty), as well as breast implants for trans women, facial feminisation surgery and hair transplants. Certainly there are multiple known risks to this long list of surgeries. These used to be described as “sex-change” operations: they are now termed “gender affirming surgeries.” The semantic shift is important, as we will see.

Most, but not all, practitioners would delay undertaking these permanent alterations in minor children and adolescents. This may be as much for legal reasons as for medical considerations. However, the lack of sexual maturity in younger patients, especially if previously delayed by puberty blocking agents, makes the sparse tissue more difficult to work with and outcomes less favorable, with problems such as wound rupture more likely. These are not challenges that are routinely described to minors at the beginning of their treatment progression with puberty blocking agents or hormones. This deficit of information would be a major failing.

Hormonal Treatment

Treatment with cross-sex hormones is a mainstay of gender affirming care. These result in the changes in body habitus, facies, voice tone, and hair development that transgender patients seek. They are described as “gender affirming”, “life-saving” and “a human right” by their proponents. They have been prescribed by Planned Parenthood clinics and others after a first visit for gender dysphoria (<https://www.plannedparenthood.org/planned-parenthood-greater-texas/patient-resources/transgender-healthcare>). Surely no one would argue that such a precipitous practice has been accompanied by a full psychological evaluation, or disclosure of medical risks. Chief among these is the fact that the resulting bodily changes will not disappear, even if the initial desire for them changes. And this change is no unlikely development – upwards of 80% of minors who identify as transgender will reverse this identity by the time they reach their mid-20’s if left untreated, and revert to their previous identification, albeit possibly with a same-sex attraction. It is more than simply changes in one’s body that are at risk; sex hormones have an important and lasting effect on brain development and adolescent psychology. To not fully appreciate this fact, or to not have it delineated in the first place, is an egregious failure of informed consent.

Puberty Blockers

Perhaps the greatest failure of informed consent, and non-disclosure of human experimentation outcomes, is found in the supposedly benign use of puberty blocking agents in minors. They are routinely and widely prescribed with the thought that this will “buy time” for those questioning their gender as minors. Children and their supportive parents are assured that they are a benign intervention whose effects are easily reversible, just in case the child decides not to transition. Some potential effect on the development of bone density may be mentioned. The extent of this danger is just now being appreciated, with severe and disabling osteoporosis described in at least one child in Sweden. This led to new guidelines for gender-affirming care issued in February by the National Board of Health and Welfare. It stated that, based on current knowledge: “the risks of puberty suppressing treatment with GnRH-analogues and gender-affirming hormonal treatment currently outweigh the possible benefits, and that the treatments should be offered only in exceptional cases.” However, the effect of puberty blocking agents (started in early adolescent development) on long-term sexual function seems to be largely unstudied. Current guidelines recommend starting puberty blockers at the earliest stage of sexual maturation in children (Tanner two). These will not only prevent the enlargement of penile tissue, it will desensitize the orgasmic potential for tissues later exposed to cross-sex hormones. Simply put, transgender adults treated in early adolescence with puberty blockers may never experience orgasm. When children with gender dysphoria are given these powerful hormones (around age 11) they are too young to appreciate the implications of what will happen.

It is not simply a matter of chronology. As children mature into adolescents and adults, their brains are also being formed and reformed under the influence of sex hormones. There is evidence for structural changes, and these are likely to be demonstrated in cognitive and behavioral changes. In fact, the development of the adolescent brain and the maturation of its rational and executive functions does not typically complete until one’s early 20s. Although the deleterious effects on sexual development and function in adulthood from puberty blockers may be predicted, no one is entirely certain of the effects on other critical areas such as brain development and bone density. Carefully constructed and monitored studies have not been done. *Until they are, these off-label treatments with puberty blockers and cross sex hormones can only be considered experimental.* Experimental interventions should be done as carefully as any other research, and fully informed consent is the only ethical way to enter into such studies. Clearly, this is not the current practice.

III. The Fundamental Flaw

There appears to have been a headlong rush in the past decade towards the process of gender affirming care described above. After close scrutiny, it can only be seen as off label experimentation, despite the fact that informed consent practices do not conform to this reality. Given this, we must ask ourselves: how can experienced and ethical physicians so mislead others or be so misled themselves? In 2013, the American Psychiatric Association published their update of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, the DSM-5. In it the diagnosis of “gender identity disorder” was replaced with “gender dysphoria.” This was done to “avoid stigma and ensure clinical care for individuals who see and feel themselves to be a different gender” other than the one to which they were born. The APA stated that “it is important to note the gender nonconformity is not in itself a mental disorder. The critical element of gender dysphoria is the presence of clinically significant distress associated with the condition.” Dysphoria is a state of uneasiness, unhappiness, or dissatisfaction. With this change in terminology there was also a shift from seeking or correcting the underlying cause of the dysphoria, and a focus on transitioning to the preferred gender.

This revision has probably done more harm than good by accepting a self-diagnosis characterized by the belief that the patient (or their essence) is “trapped in the wrong body.” This concept relies on the Cartesian duality, a body-self dichotomy. It reverts to the fallacious “ghost in the machine” concept. In reality, we cannot be trapped in the wrong body; we **are** our bodies, which are an integral and inseparable part of ourselves. To assert that there is a female self inside a male body (or the reverse), is to fail to achieve a full understanding that we are embodied persons, unified body and mind, if you will. A generation ago, sex and gender were taken to be synonyms for the same phenomena. Even now, a transgender female, no matter how much or how long of a hormonal therapeutic regimen they undergo, is still genetically male. Ignoring this fact has led to a contradiction, where sympathetic practitioners recommend “holistic care” while insisting on a fragmented concept of the self. This approach has been warmly embraced, even insisted upon, by many practitioners while viewed as nonsensical and even ludicrous by many laypersons.

Inevitably this has led to added difficulties. Even young patients are encouraged to begin puberty blockers and then hormones based on a self-diagnosis. Self-diagnosing psychiatric conditions is always fraught with the possibility of error. In this case, there can be no confirmatory lab tests, radiologic exams, or genetic findings. Moreover, the dysphoria can only be diagnosed and opened to treatment if it is causing significant trauma to the individual. The clinically significant distress manifests itself in underlying psychiatric diagnoses such as depression and suicidality. It is argued that embarking on affirmative treatment as early as possible is urgently needed to prevent further psychiatric complications, a contested assertion. Studies have shown that adult transgender persons continue to have evidence of depression and suicidality following treatment. The rate of suicide among post-operative transgender adults in a study from Sweden found an incidence 20 times greater than that of the general population. Such treatment may not be urgently needed to protect adolescents; it may not even be effective protection for their adult counterparts.

The claim of urgency coupled with an impulse toward nonjudgmental empathy for the disturbed patients has led to a frantic insistence on a single approach that may seem almost cult like in its insularity and opposition to outside challenges. Both parents (Trinko, K.(Nov. 19, 2018 “What It’s Like to Lose Your Children to the ‘Transgender Cult,’ From a Mom Who Knows.” *The Daily Signal*, 30 Oct. 2019) and teachers (Manning, M. for The Mail on Sunday. “Whistleblower Teacher Makes Shocking Claim That 'Most Are Autistic'.” *Daily Mail Online*, Associated Newspapers, 19 Nov. 2018, <https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-6401593/Whistleblower-teacher-makes-shocking-claim-autistic.html>.) report that their children or students are being wrongly encouraged at school to think of themselves as transgender. Sometimes this is the result of overenthusiastic acceptance or “love bombing”. Sometimes it appears to influence the susceptible, as in autistic children. Sometimes transgender counseling is taking place even without the parents’ knowledge, and this troubling approach has been supported in the literature with statements that adolescents should be legally empowered to obtain puberty-blocking without parental consent (Priest, M. Transgender Children and the Right to Transition: Medical Ethics When Parents Mean Well but Cause Harm. *Am J Bioeth.* 2019 Feb;19(2):45-59).

Inevitably, this has resulted in complications and conflicts. The media have been replete with reports of such things as contested accessibility of transgender females to such things as domestic abuse shelters, female prisons, and female sports competitions. Similar issues regarding bathroom accessibility in schools recently came to a boil in Virginia, when it came to light that a sexual assault by a self-described trans- female (with a penis) was repeated in another school after the perpetrator was transferred. (Poff, J. “Loudoun superintendent failed to inform state of school sexual assault.” *Washington Examiner*, 4 May 2022.) These issues are far from any resolution by debate, discussion, or legislation. In fact, both sides of the debate have doubled down with insistence that the opposing viewpoint must not only be rejected but considered unethical and made illegal.

Some disturbing trends have developed resulting not only from this dichotomy of opinion about the proper treatment approach, but ultimately based in the acceptance of the mind-body dichotomy. There has been a change in the diagnosed population. As Abigail Schrier pointed out:

For the nearly 100-year diagnostic history of gender dysphoria, it overwhelmingly afflicted boys and men, and it began in early childhood (ages two to four). According to the DSM-V, the latest edition of the historical rate of incidence was 0.01 percent of males (roughly one in 10,000).

For decades, psychologists treated it with “watchful waiting” — that is, a method of psychotherapy that seeks to understand the source of a child’s gender dysphoria, lessen its intensity, and ultimately help a child grow more comfortable in her own body. Now such an approach is disdained by the term “conversion therapy”, and labelled as unethical, and even made illegal.

She continues:

Since nearly seven in 10 children initially diagnosed with gender dysphoria eventually outgrew it, the conventional wisdom held that, with a little patience, most kids would come to accept their bodies. The underlying assumption was children didn’t always know best. But in the last decade, watchful waiting has been supplanted by “affirmative care,” which assumes children do know what’s best. Affirmative care proponents urge doctors to corroborate their patients’ belief that they are trapped in the wrong body. The family is pressured to help the child transition to a new gender identity — sometimes having been told by doctors or activists that, if they don’t, their child may eventually commit suicide. From there, pressures build on parents to begin concrete medical steps to help children on their path to transitioning to the “right” body. That includes puberty blockers as a preliminary step. Typically, cross-sex hormones follow and then, if desired, gender surgery. (Shrier, A. “Top Trans Doctors Blow the Whistle on ‘Sloppy’ Care.” Emmaus Road Ministries, 5 Oct. 2021)

These pressures apply not only to parents, but to the children themselves because of the strong emphasis on affirmative support for anyone declaring themselves transgender. As one mother described: “A lot of these kids have concurrent mental health issues, and they find a place to fit in because as soon as you say that you’re trans, you get love-bombed,” she reflects. “You get love-bombed online, you get love-bombed on at school ... As soon as you say you’re trans, you turn into a star. And kids are thirsty for that kind of affirmation.” (Trinko, 2019)

Two phenomena may be associated with this. Strong affirmation for the diagnosis and hormonal treatment may be altering the natural course of the phenomenon in childhood. It may not only be easier to identify as transgender in today’s environment; it may be more difficult to turn ones back on the diagnosis. This may help explain a recent report that found that an average of 5 years after their initial social transition, 7.3% of youth had retransitioned (changed gender identity) at least once. At the end of this period, most youth identified as binary transgender youth (94%), including 1.3% who retransitioned to another identity before returning to their binary transgender identity. 2.5% of youth identified as cisgender and 3.5% as nonbinary. Later cisgender identities were more common amongst youth whose initial social transition occurred before age 6 years; the retransition often occurred before age 10. Unlike previous studies of transgender youth, males were not predominant, but were outnumbered by 2 to 1. Moreover, this is a direct contradiction of previous data showing a high rate of reversion towards a sex/gender coherence in children as they mature. (Olson, Kristina R., Durwood, Lily, Horton, Rachel, Gallagher, Natalie M., & Devor, Aaron; Gender Identity 5 Years

After Social Transition. *Pediatrics* 2022; 10.1542/peds.2021-056082) We must ask if this represents a shift towards being trapped in a wrong diagnosis, rather than a child being trapped in a wrong body.

In fact, there has been another shift. Unlike in the past, we now see increased numbers of females identifying as transgender, and later in their adolescence. Sometimes this occurs in large cohorts within a single school or peer group, a phenomenon labelled “rapid onset gender dysphoria.” Both these phenomena call into question the underlying cause for the concept of gender dysphoria. Rather than approaching it as an accurate self-diagnosis that must be affirmed and treated to change the outward sexual appearance, isn’t there a better model? We may be making a fundamental mistake in approaching transgender phenomena, not as a disease or disorder, but at most a dysphoria that is a cause for affirmation. This contrasts with our approach to similar conditions claiming a mind- body divergence, such as anorexia nervosa or body integrity identity disorder. The former is familiar to most Americans. The latter is a rare mental disorder characterized by a desire to have a physical disability, claiming discomfort with being able-bodied and often resulting in a request for amputation of the body part that makes them uncomfortable. People with this condition may refer to themselves as “trans abled.”

In all three of these conditions there is a claim for a mismatch between one’s mental bodily image and physical body. All tend to find an onset in prepubescence and are frequently associated with other mental disturbances. “Affirmative care” is the only recommended standard for transgender patients. It is horribly disturbing to contemplate amputation of a healthy limb because of a mental disorder (although this has been done). No one would seriously consider surgery to limit caloric intake or weight gain for a patient with anorexia nervosa, in order to support and affirm her distorted body image. Nevertheless, sex change operations have been recast as “gender affirming surgeries”. The change in language reflects the change in attitude that distorts the approach to treatment for a psychiatric, not medical/surgical, disorder.

Finally, what are we to make of this situation, as a medical profession, and as a society? This question cannot be answered until both the affected people and profession can overcome our collective hubris. It is not enough to admit we don’t know all the answers. We must see that we are not yet certain of all the questions that must be answered. In such a situation, competing interests must not pretend to take the moral high ground when no one can be certain where it will be located. First and foremost, we must back off from our current approaches until questions can be answered with proper studies, done with sufficient patients, and sufficient controls, over a sufficient period of time. Any insistence on a single course of therapy without this information could prove to be the same type of morally unacceptable interventions that caused formal research protections to be created in the first place.

In the meantime, we must adopt a more respectful tone with those whom we disagree. As John Milton said, “Where there is much desire to learn, there of necessity will be much arguing, much writing, many opinions; for opinion in good men is but knowledge in the making.” Most important of all, in order to protect the current and future well-being of these affected children, we must rely on the ancient principal of medical ethics “In the first place, do no harm.” Until we can demonstrate the efficacy and safety of any proposed treatment or intervention, its usage must properly be considered a medical experimentation and require fully informed consent. Anything less is a betrayal of both our principles and our progeny.

About the author: Dr. Donovan’s observations flow from his professional experience. He has been a Board-certified pediatrician for over 40 years, as an academic physician who rose to Vice-chair of the Department of Pediatrics and ultimately interim Chair at the University of Oklahoma in Tulsa. His professional role and interests expanded in the 1990’s after he took a sabbatical in medical ethics at

Georgetown University under the world-famous Dr. Edmund Pellegrino, a founding father of modern bioethics. He subsequently went on to earn a master's degree in Bioethics and founded the first bioethics center in his home university, where he was responsible for ethics training and education for students and physicians. He also served as clinical ethics consultant for three teaching hospitals. He was chair of the Section on Bioethics for the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) for three years and then their first liaison member of the AAP Committee on Bioethics. He has also served as the chair for a hospital Institutional Review Board for 17 years. Finally, he was asked to become Director for the Center for Clinical Bioethics at Georgetown University School of Medicine, where he served from 2012-2020. His duties included teaching, consultation, publishing papers and speaking on bioethics extensively at the local, national, and international level on four continents. He has been interviewed and quoted on National Broadcasting Company (NBC), National Public Radio (NPR), Eternal Word Television Network (EWTN), and Al Jazeera, as well as the New York Times and the Washington Post, among others. He was awarded the Humanism in Medicine award from the Gold Foundation, which recognizes physicians to have successfully integrated humanism into the delivery of care to their patients and families. He has also offered formal testimony on bioethical issues before state legislatures and the U.S. Congress.

EXHIBIT "B"

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Date of re-certification: 1997, 2005

EDUCATION:

Undergraduate: University of Notre Dame
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1966-1970
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Medical Education: University of Oklahoma
Oklahoma City, OK
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MD

Graduate Education: University of Oklahoma
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MA in Bioethics

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Pediatrics
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Russell Blattner, M.D.

Fellowship: University of Oklahoma
Pediatric Gastroenterology
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1977-1979
Owen Rennert, M.D.

Fellowship: National Institutes of Health
Developmental Gastroenterology and
Nutrition, Neonatal and Pediatric Medicine
Branch, National Institute of Child Health
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Bethesda, MD
1979-1980
Norman Kretchmer, M.D.

**PROFESSIONAL
EXPERIENCE**

Title: Director, Pellegrino Center for Clinical Bioethics
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Professor, Department of Pediatrics
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Institution: Kennedy Institute of Ethics
Georgetown University
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Title: Director, Oklahoma Bioethics Center
Institution: The University of Oklahoma
College of Medicine, Tulsa
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Date(s) of Service: 1990 to 2012

Title: Professor and (Interim)Chair
Department of Pediatrics
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College of Medicine, Tulsa, 2009-2011

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Title: Chief, Division of Pediatric
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Date(s) of Service: 1988-1996

Title: Assistant Professor
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Date(s) of Service: 1982-1988

Title: Assistant Professor
Department of Pediatrics
Institution: Baylor College of Medicine
Address: Houston, TX
Date(s) of Service: 1980-1982

Title: Clinical Associate
Institution: National Institute of Child Health
and Human Development, NIH
Address: Bethesda, MD
Date(s) of Service: 1979-1980

HONORS and AWARDS

Award: Gold Lifetime Humanism Honor Society Award for Exemplary Demonstration of Respect for Human Beings through the Practice and Teaching of Medicine
Institution/Organization: The Gold Foundation
Date: August 2005

Award: Honored Member
Institution/Organization: American Registry of Outstanding Professionals
Date: 2005

Award: Humanism in Medicine Award:
Recognizing the Integration of Humanism in the Delivery of Health Care to Patients and Their Families
Institution/Organization: Healthcare Foundation of New Jersey/
Gold Humanism Society
Date: 2000

Award: **Knighthood:** Knight Grand Cross
Vatican
Institution/Organization: Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher of Jerusalem
Date: 1994

Award: Listed
Institution/Organization: Best Doctors in America Database
Date: 2005

Award: Listed
Institution/Organization: Who's Who in the Southwest
Date: 1994 to Present

Award: Listed
Institution/Organization: Who's Who Worldwide
Date: 1992 to Present

Award: Founder's Award for Outstanding Contributions to Research and Medicine
Institution/Organization: University of Tulsa, 1992

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP:

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role (if appropriate): Fellow
Date(s) of Membership: 1980

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role: Section on Gastroenterology
Date(s) of Membership: 1990-present

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role (if appropriate): Section on Bioethics
Date(s) of Membership: 1989-2005

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role: Bioethics Executive Committee
Date(s) of Membership: 1993-1996

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role : Executive Committee Chair, Section of Bioethics
Date(s) of Membership: 1996-1998

Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics
Leadership Role : Committee on Bioethics
Date(s) of Membership: 1999-2005

Society Name: American Medical Association
Dates of Membership: 1980-2011

Society Name: American Society for Law, Medicine & Ethics
Dates of Membership: 1995-2010

Society Name: American Society for Bioethics and Humanities
Dates of Membership: 1997- 2019

Society Name: Gold Humanism Honor Society
Dates of Membership: 2005 -

Society Name: Hastings Center, Associate Member
Dates of Membership: 1992 - present

Society Name: Kennedy Institute of Ethics, Lifetime Member
Dates of Membership: 1995 to present

Society Name: North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology
Hepatology and Nutrition Ethics Committee
Leadership Role (if appropriate):
Dates of Membership: 2004-2007

Society Name: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics
Leadership Role : First Vice President
Dates of Membership: 1999

Society Name: Oklahoma Genetics Advisory Council
Dates of Membership: 2008-2010

Society Name: Oklahoma Genetics Advisory Council
Leadership Role: Newborn Screening Programs & Pediatrics Committee
Dates of Membership: 2002

Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association
Leadership Role : Bioethics Committee 1988-2004
Dates of Membership: 1982-2012

Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association
Leadership Role : Council on Medical Services
Dates of Membership: 1984

Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association
Leadership Role : Geriatrics Task Force
Dates of Membership: 1998-2000

Society Name: Medical Ethics and Competency Committee
Leadership Role:
Dates of Membership: 1988-2004

Society Name: St. Luke Society Physician's Guild
Leadership Role : Member
Dates of Membership: 1988-92

Society Name: St. Luke Society Physician's Guild
Leadership Role: President
Dates of Membership: 1988-90

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Dates of Membership: 1988-2012

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Chairman, Committee on Ethics
Dates of Membership: 2005

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Member, Planning & Development Committee
Dates of Membership: 2005

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society

Leadership Role : Chair, Ethics Committee
Dates of Membership: 1998-2002

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Member, Council on Medical Education
Dates of Membership: 1986-1988

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Member ,Council on Medical Services
Dates of Membership: 1984-1985

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Member, Planning and Development Committee
Dates of Membership: 2001-2003

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role: Member, Scholarship Fund Board of Trustees
Dates of Membership: 1997-2004

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Delegate
Dates of Membership: 2007-present

Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society
Leadership Role : Alternate Delegate to OSMA
Dates of Membership: 1994, 2005-2006

**PUBLIC
SERVICE**

Name of Editorial Board: Academic Medicine
Role/Status: Consulting Editor
Date(s) of Service: 1995-2000

Name of Editorial Board: AAP Grand Rounds
Role/Status: Consulting Editor
Date(s) of Service: 1996-2001

Name of Editorial Board: American Journal of Diseases of Children
Role/Status: Reviewer
Date(s) of Service: 1994-1999

Name of Editorial Board: Journal of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition
Role/Status: Reviewer
Date(s) of Service: 1994-2000

Name of Organization: American Academy of Pediatrics
Role/Status: Executive Committee- Bioethics Section
Date(s) of Service: 1992-2002

Name of Community Organization: American Academy of Pediatrics
Role/Status: Chair, Bioethics Section
Date(s) of Service: 1995-1998

Name of Organization: American Academy of Pediatrics
Role/Status: Liaison, Committee on Bioethics
Date(s) of Service: 1999-2010

Name of Organization: American Academy of Pediatrics
Role/Status: Nominations Committee
Date(s) of Service: 2006-2007

Name of Organization: American Liver Foundation
Role/Status: Scientific Advisory Board—Oklahoma Chapter
Date(s) of Service: 1984-1990

Name Community Organization: Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America
Role/Status: Board of Trustees—Oklahoma Chapter
Date(s) of Service: 1992-2010

Name of Community Organization: Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America
Role/Status: Chairman, Medical Advisory Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1990-94

Name of Community Organization: National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis
Role/Status: Scientific Advisory Board—Oklahoma Chapter
Date(s) of Service: 1982-88

Name of Organization: North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology
Role/Status: Hepatology and Nutrition, Ethics Committee
Date(s) of Service: 2004-2007

Name of Community Organization: Oklahoma Chapter of AAP
Role/Status: Chair, Bioethics Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1999

Name of Community Organization: Oklahoma Chapter of AAP
Role/Status: Executive Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1988-1990

Name of Community Organization: Oklahoma Chapter of AAC
Role/Status: Co-chairman for Membership
Date(s) of Service: 1984-1986

Name of Community Organization: PEW National Roundtable—Campus
Education
Role/Status: Invited participant—Clinical Education Forum
Date(s) of Service: 1997

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Southern Society for Pediatric Research
Role/Status: Chair: GI Section Meeting, New Orleans, LA
Date(s) of Service: January 1987

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Southern Society for Pediatric Research
Role/Status: Research Paper Judge
Date(s) of Service: 1986

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: United Organ Sharing Network (Lifeshare Transplant Donor Services of Oklahoma)
Role/Status: Board of Directors--Oklahoma
Date(s) of Service: 1992-2006

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Attorney General of Oklahoma Task Force on EOL Issues
Role/Status: member
Date(s) of Service: 2004-present

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Birthright Inc of Tulsa
Role/Status: Chairman, Board of Directors
Date(s) of Service: 1999-present

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Catholic Diocese of Tulsa
Role/Status: Medical Ethics Consultant
Date(s) of Service: 2005-present

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Catholic Diocese of Tulsa
Role/Status: Director of Healthcare Issues
Date(s) of Service: 2004-present

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Hillcrest HealthCare System
Role/Status: Member, Medical Staff Committee
Date(s) of Service: 2006-2007

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: LifeShare Transplant Donor Services of Oklahoma
Role/Status: Board of Directors
Date(s) of Service: 2004-2006

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: LifeShare Transplant Donor Services of Oklahoma
Role/Status: Advisory Board

Date(s) of Service: 2007

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Oklahoma Health Research Committee

Role/Status: Member

Date(s) of Service: 1997-98

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics, Inc.

Role/Status: Charter Member and Second Vice President

Date(s) of Service: 1996-98

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics, Inc.

Role/Status: First Vice President

Date(s) of Service: 1999

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Neighbor for Neighbor Free Clinic

Role/Status: Volunteer

Date(s) of Service: 1982-2006

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Indian National Council, Boy Scouts of America

Role/Status: Executive Council, Troop 173

Date(s) of Service: 1974-1990

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Indian National Council, Boy Scouts of America

Role/Status: Board of Review, Eagle District

Date(s) of Service: 1994

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: St. Luke's Society Catholic Physicians Guild

Role/Status: President

Date(s) of Service: 1990-1995

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: St. Mary's Elementary School

Role/Status: Sex education instructor

Date(s) of Service: 1986-1994

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: TCMS Committee on Ethics

Role/Status: Chairman

Date(s) of Service: 2005-present

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: TCMS
Role/Status: Delegates to the OSMA House of Delegates
Date(s) of Service: 2006-2009

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: TCMS
Planning & Development Committee
Role/Status: Member
Date(s) of Service: 2005

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: U.S.
Immigration & Naturalization Service
Role/Status: Civil Surgeon for Resident Alien Exams
Date(s) of Service: 1988-90

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: Metropolitan
Tulsa Chamber of Commerce
Role/Status: Medical Ethics Seminar Planning Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1991

Name of Editorial Board/Study Section/Community Organization: University of
Tulsa Board of Visitors
Role/Status: Department of Philosophy
Date(s) of Service: 1994

**INVITED
LECTURES:**

Lectures and Workshops – National Pediatrics:

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Pediatric Patient Management”
Institution/Society Name: Specialty Pediatrics for the Primary Care Physician
Symposium, North Texas Hospital for Children at Medical City Dallas; Dallas TX
Date of Presentation: 2004 May 22

Title of Presentation: “Managing IBD: It’s Treatment and Complications”
Institution/Society Name: Foundation for Clinical Research in Inflammatory
Bowel Disease, Symposium, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: 2003 April 1

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Drug Use and Research in Children”
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics, Annual Meeting, San
Francisco
Date of Presentation: 2001 October 22

Title of Presentation: “Ethics in Resuscitation and Critical Care”
Institution/Society Name: Saint Francis Health System, 22nd Annual Adult &
Pediatric Trauma Symposium,
Saint Francis Hospital, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: 2001 September 26

Title of Presentation: "Feeding the Brain-Injured: Medical & Ethical Issues"
Institution/Society Name: Brain Injury Association of Oklahoma & The
Department of Pediatrics, University of Oklahoma, College of Medicine, Tulsa,
OK

Date of Presentation: 2001 September 14

Title of Presentation: "Care of Children Who Die and Their Families"
Institution/Society Name: Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences,
Washington, DC

Date of Presentation: 2001 September 8

Title of Presentation: "What Goes Down Must Come Up: But Is It Reflux?"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics,
Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: 2001 May 3

Title of Presentation: "Reflux: Diagnosis & Treatment"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: 2000 July 11-15

Title of Presentation:
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: 2000 July 11-15

Title of Presentation: "Hot Topics in Pediatric GI for the Year 2000"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: 2000 July 11-15

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Nutrition: Update 2000"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: 2000 July 11-15

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: 2000 July 11-15

Title of Presentation: "Acute and Chronic Abdominal Pain,"
Institution/Society Name: Osler Institute Pediatric Review Course, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: 1996 May 27

Title of Presentation: "Jaundice in Children"
Institution/Society Name: Osler Institute Pediatric Review Course, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: 1996 May 27

Title of Presentation: "Diarrhea and Vomiting"
Institution/Society Name: Osler Institute Pediatric Review Course, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: 1996 May 27

Title of Presentation: "Gastrointestinal Problems in Childhood"
Institution/Society Name: Osler Institute Pediatric Review Course, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: 1996 May 27

Title of Presentation: "Cost Effective Approaches to Management of Pediatric GI Problems"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association Annual Meeting, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: 1996 April 26

Title of Presentation: "Chronic Recurrent Abdominal Pain in Childhood"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association Annual Meeting, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: 1996 April 26

Title of Presentation: "Constipation and Encopresis in Infants and Children"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association Annual Meeting, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: 1996 April 26

Title of Presentation: "Outpatient Diarrhea in Infants and Children"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State Medical Association Annual Meeting, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: 1996 April 26

Title of Presentation: "Grand Rounds on Incontinence"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Assembly, Kansas City, MO
Date of Presentation: 1995 November 16

Title of Presentation: "Cases Studies in Pediatric Emergency"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Assembly, Kansas City, MO
Date of Presentation: 1995 November 16

Title of Presentation: "Multispecialty Grand Rounds"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Assembly, Kansas City, MO
Date of Presentation: 1995 November 16

Title of Presentation: "Cholesterol and Infant Nutrition"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Destin, FL
Date of Presentation: 1993 June 4

Title of Presentation: "Jaundice in Infancy" (with Dr. Daniel Plunket)
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Destin, FL
Date of Presentation: 1993 June 4

Title of Presentation: "Office Management of Diarrhea"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Hot Springs, VA
Date of Presentation: 1992 May 1

Title of Presentation: "GER-Evaluation and Treatment"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Hot Springs, VA
Date of Presentation: 1992 May 1

Title of Presentation: "Nutrition and Lipids in the Pediatric Patient"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association Symposium, Hot Springs, VA
Date of Presentation: 1992 May 1

Title of Presentation: "Gastrostomy Tubes: Medical and Ethical Aspects"
Institution/Society Name: Current Problems in Pediatric Therapy: Pediatric Postgraduate Course XVIII, Fountainhead Lodge, Checotah, OK
Date of Presentation: 1992 April 11-12

Title of Presentation: "Medical and Ethical Considerations in Enteral Therapy"
Institution/Society Name: Current Problems in Pediatric Therapy: Pediatric Postgraduate Course XVIII, Fountainhead Lodge, Checotah, OK
Date of Presentation: 1992 April 11-12

Title of Presentation: "Office Management of Chronic Liver Disease in Children"
Institution/Society Name: Current Problems in Pediatric Therapy: Pediatric Postgraduate Course XVIII, Fountainhead Lodge, Checotah, OK
Date of Presentation: 1992 April 11-12

Title of Presentation: Moderator: "Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Contributory and Legal Factors, Diagnosis and Patient Management"
Institution/Society Name: CCFA Chapter Medical Symposium
Date of Presentation: 1992 February 22

Title of Presentation: "Feeding the Impaired Infant: Gastroenterology and Ethics Interface"
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics Seminar: Caring for Children in the 90s, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: 1991 November 9

Title of Presentation: "Formula Intolerance in Infancy"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Society of Puerto Rico, San Juan
Date of Presentation: February 1991

Title of Presentation: "New Treatment for Inflammatory Bowel Disease"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Society of Puerto Rico, San Juan
Date of Presentation: February 1991

Title of Presentation: "Feeding the Impaired Infant: Gastroenterology and Ethics

Interface”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Society of Puerto Rico, San Juan

Date of Presentation: February 1991

Title of Presentation: “Chronic Diarrhea in Childhood”

Institution/Society Name: University of Arkansas, Family Practice Seminar, Ft. Smith, AR

Date of Presentation: 1988 November 16

Title of Presentation: “Peptic Ulcers in Childhood”

Institution/Society Name: University of Arkansas, Family Practice Seminar, Ft. Smith, AR

Date of Presentation: 1988 November 16

Title of Presentation: “Avoiding Litigation: the GI Patient”

Institution/Society Name: Current Problems in Pediatric Therapy: Pediatric Postgraduate Course XIII, Fountainhead Lodge, Checotah, OK

Date of Presentation: 1987 April 26

Title of Presentation: “NEC: Old and New Aspects”

Institution/Society Name: Horizons in Perinatology Seminar, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: 1986 April 16

Title of Presentation: “IBD: Its Effect on the Family”

Institution/Society Name: National Foundation for Ileitis/Colitis-Oklahoma Chapter, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: 1986 January 14

Title of Presentation: “Hepatitis: New Aspects of an Old Disease”

Institution/Society Name: AAP, APG, & SAM Regional Meeting: Adolescent and Ambulatory Pediatric Advances, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: 1985 September

Title of Presentation: “Chronic Diarrhea and Reflux”

Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Family Physicians: Annual Oklahoma Meeting, Tulsa, OK,

Date of Presentation: 1984 April

Title of Presentation: “GI Problems in Infants and Children”

Institution/Society Name: Public Health Service: Indian Hospital Educational Seminars, Tulsa and Oklahoma City, OK

Date of Presentation: 1984 March

Title of Presentation: “Medical Writers Workshop”

Institution/Society Name: SSPR, New Orleans, LA

Date of Presentation: 1984 January

Title of Presentation: “Inflammatory Bowel Disease in Childhood”

Institution/Society Name: National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis, Oklahoma

Chapter

Date of Presentation: 1983 May 16

Title of Presentation: “Shwachman Syndrome” with V.V. Michaels

Institution/Society Name: Birth Defects Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA

Date of Presentation: 1980 June 5

Title of Presentation: “Effect of D-Galactose on Fluid Loss in SBP Intolerance”

Institution/Society Name: Society for Pediatric Research Symposium, New York, NY

Date of Presentation: 1978 April

Lectures and Workshops: Regional (Oklahoma) Pediatrics:

Title of Presentation: “C. Difficile—Nor More Dangerous Than We Thought”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: November 18, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Eosinophilic Esophagitis” (It’s not just Reflux any more)

Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Allergy & Asthma Society. Philbrook Museum of Art

Date of Presentation: April 26, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Vomiting and GETD”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH, Education Center

Date of Presentation: April 23, 2008

Title of Presentation: “GI Bleeds”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: March 26, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Is it ever justified to withdraw nutrition and hydration in pediatrics?”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Hillcrest HealthCare System, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: March 26, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Eosinophilic Esophagitis” (It’s not just Reflux anymore)

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Hillcrest HealthCare System, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: January 23, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Informed Consent”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Resident Academic Afternoon. Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: September 12, 2007

Title of Presentation: "Pillow Angel" Ethics: Surgery and Hormonal Treatment for Growth Attenuation : presented with James Coldwell, MD and David Jelley, MD

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: September 11, 2007

Title of Presentation: "IBS Lecture"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Afternoon, SFH Education Center

Date of Presentation: September 5, 2007

Title of Presentation: "Colon and EGD"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH Education Center

Date of Presentation: June 20, 2007

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Gastroenterology Board Recertification Prep"

Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Chapter American Academy of Pediatrics (OKAAP)

Date of Presentation: June 1, 2007

Title of Presentation: "Celiac Disease"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH Education Center

Date of Presentation: May 23, 2007

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Dimensions of Routine Clinical Encounters"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH Heart Center-B

Date of Presentation: April 18, 2007

Title of Presentation: "IBS in Childhood" and "Case Studies re: Abdominal Pain"

Institution/Society Name: Family Practice Academic Afternoon, OU Family Practice

Date of Presentation: February 2007

Title of Presentation: "TPN"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFU Education Center

Date of Presentation: February 28, 2007

Title of Presentation: "What's New in IBS in Kids"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: October 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: "Fluids and Electrolytes" and "Dehydration" (2 hours)

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH Education Center

Date of Presentation: July 5, 2006

Title of Presentation: "Truthfulness with the Patient"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: May 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: "Futility and Withdrawal of Care"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, SFH Education Center

Date of Presentation: April 26, 2006

Title of Presentation: "Accessing Healthcare: The Obligation to Treat"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: February 22, 2006

Title of Presentation: "Sterilization of Minors with Mental Disabilities"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: December 16, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Medical Learning Curves and Issue of Consent"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: October 26, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Witnessing Incompetent OR Inappropriate Behavior, Medical Misconduct"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: August 24, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Fluids & Electrolytes in the Pediatric Patient"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: August 24, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Consent Issues: The Need for Assent by Minors"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: April 27, 2005

Title of Presentation: "The Schiavo Case—Three Areas of Ethical Concern"

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: March 20, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Truthfulness in the Physician-Patient Relationship"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 25, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Nutrition and Hydration for Infants and Children" and "Fluids and Electrolytes Practice"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: July 21, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Children as Research Subjects"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: May 26, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Barfology (GERD and Vomiting)"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: April 14, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Celiac Disease"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: December 10, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Withdrawing Care: The Adolescent Decision Maker"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: November, 12, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Total Parenteral Nutrition"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: September 17, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Fluids and Electrolytes in Pediatric Practice" and "Nutrition and Hydration for Infants and Children"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: July 9, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Problems in Diagnoses of Abdominal Pain"
Institution/Society Name: : Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: February 12, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Nutrition & Hydration/Fluids & Electrolytes for Children”

Institution/Society Name: : Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: September 26, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Diet, Nutrition & Overweight Children”

Institution/Society Name: Mini-Med School for the Public, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: September 10, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Nutrition & Hydration for Children” and “Fluids & Electrolytes for Children”

Institution/Society Name: : Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: July 3, 2002

Title of Presentation: “GERD”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: June 26, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Issues in Genetics”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: May 2, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Refusal of Consent by Minors”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: April 24, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Witnessing Incompetent or Inappropriate Behavior”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: February 27, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Obligation to Treat”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: January 30, 2002

Title of Presentation: “Religious-Cultural Issues in Treatment”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Health Sciences Center

Date of Presentation: October 24, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Childhood Leukemia: Medical and Ethical Issues”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Health Sciences

Center
Date of Presentation: October 2, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Lying for Patient: Ethical Issues”
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon Schusterman Health
Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: September 27, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Nutrition and Hydration in Pediatric Care” and “Fluids
and Electrolytes in Pediatric Care”
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon. Schusterman Health
Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: September 13, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Confidentiality and the Mature Minor”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic
Afternoon
Date of Presentation: April 25, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Palliative Care in Pediatric Practice”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, St. Francis Hospital
Date of Presentation: April 17, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Withdrawal of Support from Impaired Newborns
Institution/Society Name: Neonatal Conference, St. Francis Hospital
Date of Presentation: April 17, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Fluids & Electrolytes in Nutrition for Children”
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health
Sciences Center, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: November 16, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Fluids & Electrolytes in Nutrition for Children”
Institution/Society Name: Academic Afternoon—Students, OU Health Sciences
Center, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: September 8, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Formula Intolerance”
Institution/Society Name: Academic Afternoon-Family Medicine, OU Health
Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: May 25, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Pediatric Gastritis”
Institution/Society Name: Hillcrest HealthCare System, Tulsa, Pediatric
Conference

Date of Presentation: April 30, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Gastro-esophageal Reflux”

Institution/Society Name: Clinic Conference, OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: February 25, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Pancreatitis in Children”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: January 27, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Fluids and Electrolytes”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: September 24, 1998

Title of Presentation: “Wilson’s Disease: Hepato-lenticular Degeneration”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, Children’s Medical Center

Date of Presentation: February 3, 1998

Title of Presentation: Grand Rounds

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital

Date of Presentation: December 17, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Treatment of GI Problems in Children”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds Tulsa Regional Medical Center

Date of Presentation: November 23, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Anatomic Lesions in the Liver”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, St. Francis Hospital

Date of Presentation: November 8, 1995

Title of Presentation: “Gastroenterology Potpourri”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, Hillcrest Medical Center

Date of Presentation: May 23, 1995

Title of Presentation: “The Pediatrician and the Child with Serious Chronic Illness”

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds—Panelist, St. John’s Medical Center

Date of Presentation: November 9, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Gastrointestinal Problems of Pediatric Clients in Primary Care”

Institution/Society Name: OUHSC and UCAT Family Nurse Practitioners, Tulsa (& Oklahoma City by Video)

Date of Presentation: October 25, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Hepato Lenticular Degeneration (Wilson’s Disease): Presenting as Chronic Fatigue Syndrome” with Dr Coldwell

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Children’s Medical Center

Date of Presentation: September 7, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Gastroenterology for Nurses"
Institution/Society Name: University of Tulsa Nursing Students
Date of Presentation: May 11, 1993

Title of Presentation: "The Many Faces of E-B Virus Infection: with Drs. Sharma & Plunkett"
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, St. Francis Hospital
Date of Presentation: February 15, 1993

Title of Presentation: "IBD in Children and Adolescents"
Institution/Society Name: CCFA Guest Speaker, Tulsa Regional Medical Center
Date of Presentation: December 10, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Hepatitis ABCDs"
Institution/Society Name: Hillcrest Medical Center
Date of Presentation: August 27, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Hyperalimentation"
Institution/Society Name: Hillcrest Burn Unit
Date of Presentation: September 14, 1988

Title of Presentation: "Childhood Peptic Disease"
Institution/Society Name: Surgery Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: March 3, 1988

Title of Presentation: "Nutrition in Childhood and Adolescence"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: February 25, 1988

Title of Presentation: "Adolescent Nutrition"
Institution/Society Name: Family Practice Research Grant Program
Date of Presentation: June 30, 1987

Title of Presentation: "Failure to Thrive"
Institution/Society Name: Dietetic Intern's Program, St. Francis Hospital
Date of Presentation: May 21, 1987

Title of Presentation: "Symptomatic Chilaiditi's Syndrome"
Institution/Society Name: Research Day, OU College of Medicine, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: May 15, 1987

Title of Presentation: "Management of Diarrhea/Constipation:
Institution/Society Name: Family Practice Lecture Series
Date of Presentation: December 16, 1986

Title of Presentation: "Organ Transplantation"
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, Hillcrest Medical Center

Date of Presentation: November 25, 1986

Title of Presentation: "CPC"

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds, St. Francis Hospital

Date of Presentation: July 15, 1986

Title of Presentation: "Nutritional Aspects of Liver Disease"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital

Date of Presentation: March 18, 1986

Title of Presentation: "Early Diagnosis of Inflammatory Bowel Disease"

Institution/Society Name: Family Practice Continuing Education Seminar, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: March 1986

Title of Presentation: "Short Gut Syndrome"

Institution/Society Name: Intensive Care Lecture Series, St. Francis Hospital

Date of Presentation: January 9, 1986

Title of Presentation: "Hirschsprung's Disease"

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: November 26, 1985

Title of Presentation: "Tyrosinemia in Tulsa" (Donovan and Mayes)

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: September 10, 1985

Title of Presentation: "Gastroesophageal Reflux"

Institution/Society Name: Respiratory Diagnostic Services

Date of Presentation: June 1985

Title of Presentation: "Liver Transplantation"

Institution/Society Name: American Liver Foundation, Tulsa Chapter

Date of Presentation: May 16, 1985

Title of Presentation: "The Gastroenterology Patient"

Institution/Society Name: Staff Dietitian Internship Lecture

Date of Presentation: December 1984

Title of Presentation: "Problems in Infant Nutrition"

Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Reunion Seminar, OUHSC

Date of Presentation: November 1, 1984

Title of Presentation: "Failure to Thrive"

Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds (Donovan, Barber and Jones)

Date of Presentation: September 4, 1984

Title of Presentation: "Infant Feeding"

Institution/Society Name: WIC Nurses Program

Date of Presentation: August 31, 1984

Title of Presentation: “Crohn’s Disease”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: July 10, 1984

Title of Presentation: “Development of the GI Tract”
Institution/Society Name: Tulsa District Dietetic Association
Date of Presentation: May 1984

Title of Presentation: “Encopresis”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: March 6, 1984

Title of Presentation: “Dietary Aspects of GI Disease”
Institution/Society Name: Tulsa Dietetics Internship Lecture Series
Date of Presentation: November 15, 1983

Title of Presentation: “Pancreatitis”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: August 23, 1983

Title of Presentation: “Cholestatic Jaundice”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: March 15, 1983

Title of Presentation: “Pediatric Hyperalimentation”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds “Donovan and Newmark”
Date of Presentation: November 16, 1982

Title of Presentation: “Chronic Inflammatory Bowel Disease and Growth Failure”
Institution/Society Name: Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: August 24, 1982

Title of Presentation: “Wilson’s Disease”
Institution/Society Name: Children’s Medical Center Genetics Seminar
Date of Presentation: April 1, 1982

Lectures and Workshops: National and Regional Bioethics:

Title of Presentation: “The Role of Bioethics Committees”
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Bioethics Conference, OU College of Nursing, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: November 7, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Is It Ever Justified to Withdraw Nutrition and Hydration in Pediatrics?”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Societies: Bioethics Interest Group, Toronto, Canada
Date of Presentation: May 7, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Theories and Decision-Making”
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Bioethics Conference, OU College of Nursing, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: November 9, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Early Onset Alzheimer’s: Ethical Issues”
Institution/Society Name: The New Face of Alzheimer’s Symposium, Renaissance Convention Center, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: June 12, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Recertification Review Made Easy”
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma AAP, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: June 1, 2007

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life vs. Ending Life: A Transatlantic Perspective”
Institution/Society Name: European Association of Centres of Medical Ethics (EACME), Leuven, Belgium
Date of Presentation: September 29, 2006

Title of Presentation: “End of Life Decisions in Oklahoma—Ethics and the Law”
Institution/Society Name: Norman Regional Hospital, Education Center, Norman, OK
Date of Presentation: August 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Truthfulness with the Patient”
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: May 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Co-Chair: Ethical Dilemmas in Pediatric Research are Universal: But the Perspectives Vary Between Cultures and Countries”
Institution/Society Name: 2nd World Congress of Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition, Paris, France
Date of Presentation: July 2, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Pediatric Patient Management”
Institution/Society Name: Specialty Pediatrics for the Primary Care Physician Symposium, North Texas Hospital for Children at Medical City, Dallas TX
Date of Presentation: May 22, 2004

Title of Presentation: “An Introduction to Bioethics & Hospital Ethics

Committees”

Institution/Society Name: Physicians CME, Norman Regional Hospital, Norman, OK

Date of Presentation: May 7, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethics 101: An Introduction to Bioethics”

Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics Annual Symposium, Oklahoma City, OK

Date of Presentation: November 21, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Clergy Participation in End-of-Life Decision Making?”

Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center Clergy Educational Symposium, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: September 18, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Informed Consent in Research”

Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Chapter, ACRP, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: September 9, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Withholding Care: Futility & Quality of Life”

Institution/Society Name: Medical City Dallas Lonestar Hospital, Dallas TX
CME Ethics Lecture

Date of Presentation: April 29, 2003

Title of Presentation: Robert M. Bird Society and Friends of the Bird Library
Annual Guest Lecture Commentator: “Human Cloning for Therapeutic Purposes:
Why Not?”

Institution/Society Name: Robert M. Bird Library, Oklahoma City, OK

Date of Presentation: March 15, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Should Everyone be Above Average?”

Institution/Society Name: Ethics Center of Oklahoma State University and VA
Employee Education System, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: February 21, 2003

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Drug Use and Research in Children”

Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics, Annual Meeting, San
Francisco, CA

Date of Presentation: October 22, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Ethics in Resuscitation and Critical Care”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Health System, 22nd Annual Adult &
Pediatric Trauma Symposium, St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: September 26, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Feeding the Brain-injured: Medical and Ethical Issues”

Institution/Society Name: Brain Injury Association of Oklahoma & the Dept of
Pediatrics, University of Oklahoma College of Medicine, Tulsa, OK

Date of Presentation: September 14, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Care of Children Who Die and their Families"
Institution/Society Name: Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences,
Washington, DC
Date of Presentation: September 8, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Competency in Ethics" and "Complex Issues at the End-of-Life"
Institution/Society Name: Medical City Dallas Hospital, Dallas, TX, CME Ethics
Conference and Staff Lectures
Date of Presentation: April 30, 2001

Title of Presentation: Orientation for New Ethics Committee Members
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Alliance for Better Care of the Dying,
Oklahoma City, Annual Conference
Date of Presentation: December 1, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Pediatric Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: Southern Medical Association, Annual Meeting,
Kiawah, SC
Date of Presentation: July 11-15, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Conflicts in Care: When Families & Physicians
Disagree"
Institution/Society Name: Medical City Dallas Hospital, Dallas, TX CME Ethics
Conference and Staff Lectures
Date of Presentation: May 16, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Concerns in Prolonging versus Withdrawing
Medical Support from a Terminally Ill Neonate" and "Diabetes in Pregnancy: the
Perinatal Impact"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, 20th Annual Regional
Perinatal Seminar
Date of Presentation: April 14, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Challenges of the Genetic Revolution"
Institution/Society Name: The Power of Ideas: A weekly television interview,
Norman OK, Program Consultant
Date of Presentation: February 3, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Educating Physician on End-of-Life"
Institution/Society Name: OSMA Headquarters EPEC Seminar, Oklahoma City,
OK
Date of Presentation: June 18, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in the Care of the Disabled Child"
Institution/Society Name: Cook Children' Hospital, Pediatric Grand Rounds, Ft.
Worth, TX
Date of Presentation: June 1, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Medical Decisions for Minors: When Should Children Make the Call?"
Institution/Society Name: Medical City Dallas Hospital, Pediatric Grand Rounds, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: February 9, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Implications of Oklahoma's New DNR Law"
Institution/Society Name: Stillwater Medical Center, Physicians' Grand Rounds & CME, Stillwater, OK
Date of Presentation: June 10, 1998

Title of Presentation: "Ethics un End-of-Life Decision Making"
Institution/Society Name: Presbyterian Hospital, Physician-Assisted Suicide Conference, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: May 7, 1998

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in the Care of the Disabled Child"
Institution/Society Name: Columbia Hospital at Medical City Dallas, Pediatric Grand Grounds, Dallas, TX
Date of Presentation: April 28, 1998

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Dilemmas in Neonatal/Pediatric Nursing"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Health System, Second Annual Neonatal/Pediatric Nursing Symposium, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: March 18, 1998

Title of Presentation: "Ethical and Public Interest Issues in Public Health Care Institutions"
Institution/Society Name: Leadership Oklahoma, Health Care/Arts and Humanities, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: March 6, 1998

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Care at the End-of-Life"
Institution/Society Name: Panelist: "Developing a Community Policy on Futile Care" Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics Annual Fall Program, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: November 14, 1997

Title of Presentation: "Physician Assisted Suicide"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics Regional Forum, Tulsa, OK Panelist
Date of Presentation: June 17, 1997

Title of Presentation: "Physician Assisted Suicide"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics Regional Forum, Enid, OK
Date of Presentation: June 24, 1997

Title of Presentation: "Professional Ethics and Professionalism"
Institution/Society Name: IME, AAMC Group on Educational Affairs, San Francisco, CA Abstract Presented
Date of Presentation: November 6-12, 1996

Title of Presentation: Panel: Ethical Issues I Genetics: Therapy and Information Management
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics Annual Meeting, Boston, MA
Date of Presentation: October 27, 1996

Title of Presentation: "Living Wills" (Moderator)
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma Association for Home Care Symposium on Changing Times: Future Trends in Home Health Social Work, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: May 14, 1996

Title of Presentation: Moderator: "Bedside Bioethical Decision-making"
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics Spring Meeting, Chicago, IL
Date of Presentation: April 13, 1996

Title of Presentation: "Last Acts: Care and Caring at the End-of-Life"
Institution/Society Name: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Conference, Washington, DC
Date of Presentation: March 12, 1996

Title of Presentation: "Conflict at the Cribside: Ethical Dilemmas in the Newborn"(Moderator)
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA
Date of Presentation: October 14, 1995

Title of Presentation: "Ethics in Pediatrics"
Institution/Society Name: Regional Symposium of Care of the Seriously Ill Child, St. Francis Medical Center, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: May 20, 1995

Title of Presentation: "Interfaith Leadership in Bioethics" (presenter and moderator)
Institution/Society Name: 14th National Workshop on Christian-Jewish Relations, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: November 9, 1994

Title of Presentation: "Honoring the Patient's Best Interest"
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State University, State Conference on Aging: Ethical Issues of Health Care, St. Francis Medical Center, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: October 22, 1994

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Pediatric Neurogastroenterology"
Institution/Society Name: Symposium on Pediatric Neurogastroenterology,
Baptist Medical Center, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: August 20, 1994

Title of Presentation: "Bioethics: the Challenge of Today"
Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Alumni Days Program,
Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: May 1, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Allocation of Care"
Institution/Society Name: Ethics Conference, Hastings Indian Hospital,
Tahlequah, OK
Date of Presentation: March 30, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Baby Doe Revisited"
Institution/Society Name: SMA Symposium, Destin, FL
Date of Presentation: June 4, 1993

Title of Presentation: "The Micropremie: How Small is Too Small? And "21st
Century Neonatology: Will Bioscience Outstrip Bioethics"
Institution/Society Name: Texas Perinatal Association Conference, Corpus
Christi, TX
Date of Presentation: September 24-26, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Gastrostomy Tubes: Medical and Ethical Aspects" and
"Medical and Ethical Considerations in Enteral Therapy"
Institution/Society Name: Current Problems in Pediatrics: Pediatric Postgraduate
Course XVIII, Fountainhead Lodge, Checotah, OK
Date of Presentation: April 11, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Feeding the Impaired Infant, Gastroenterology and Ethics
Interface"
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics Forum Caring for
Children in the 90s, Oklahoma City, OK
Date of Presentation: November 9, 1990

Title of Presentation: "Living Willis and Advance Directives"
Institution/Society Name: St Joseph's Hospital Conference, Ponca City, OK
Date of Presentation: November 1991

Title of Presentation: "Bioethics and Critical Care" (workshop participants)
Institution/Society Name: American Academy of Pediatrics, New Orleans, LA
Date of Presentation: October 28, 1991

Title of Presentation: "American Way of Dying" (participant)
Institution/Society Name: CHA Fifth Annual CHA Colloquium, St. Louis MO.
Date of Presentation: May 1991

Title of Presentation: Kennedy Institute of Ethics, Visiting Scholar
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University, Washington, DC
Date of Presentation: 1988-89

Title of Presentation: Kennedy Institute of Ethics, XIV Intensive Bioethics
Course, participant
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University, Washington, DC
Date of Presentation: June 1988

Title of Presentation: Ethical Issues in Medicine Symposium (contributing
participant)
Institution/Society Name: Notre Dame IN
Date of Presentation: March 1988

Title of Presentation: "Ethical and Social Concerns"
Institution/Society Name: New Horizons in Perinatology Regional Meeting
Date of Presentation: October 1987

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Medical Practice"
Institution/Society Name: Notre Dame, IN
Date of Presentation: March 1987

Title of Presentation: "Organ Transplantation"
Institution/Society Name: CBS National Television Program
Date of Presentation: December 17, 1986

Local (Oklahoma) Invited Presentations: Bioethics

Title of Presentation: "Suicide by Advance Directive"
Institution/Society Name: OU Emergency Medicine Academic Session
Date of Presentation: Nov. 19, 2009

Title of Presentation: "Sound Ethical Arguments in Medicine"
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Session
Date of Presentation: Sept. 30, 2009

Title of Presentation: "South Ethical Arguments in Medicine"
Institution/Society Name: OU Surgery Academic Session
Date of Presentation: Sept. 16, 2009

Title of Presentation: "Sound Ethical Arguments in Medicine"
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Family Medicine Academic
Session, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: Sept. 15, 2009

Title of Presentation: "The Physician and the Right of Conscience"
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN AA, Schusterman

Learning Center

Date of Presentation: June 4, 2009

Title of Presentation: “Sterilization of Minors with Mental Disabilities”

Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN AA, Schusterman Campus

Date of Presentation: February 5, 2009

Title of Presentation: “The Faith Factor: How Does Religion or Spirituality Affect Medical Care?” (Meixel primary/Donovan secondary)

Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Learning Center

Date of Presentation: January 29, 2009

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Decision-Making”

Institution/Society Name: Clinical Ethics Course (Norman) Spring Semester: Ethical Decision-Making, Basic Sciences Ed Bldg. West Lecture Hall

Date of Presentation: January 21, 2009

Title of Presentation: “Sterilization of Minors with Developmental Disabilities”

Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Learning Center

Date of Presentation: January 14, 2009

Title of Presentation: “When is a Patient Dead? And Why Does it Matter?” (Brain Death)

Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Learning Center

Date of Presentation: November 20, 2008

Title of Presentation: “When is a Patient Dead? And Why does it Matter?” (Brain Death)

Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Session, SFH Heart Center

Date of Presentation: November 19, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Ethics & Psychiatry—Confidentiality”

Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: November 12, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Autonomy”

Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: November 5, 2008

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life Decisions—Ethics and the Law”

Institution/Society Name: OU Surgery Grand Rounds, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: October 29, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Introduction to Bioethics—Ethics 101”
Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 29, 2008

Title of Presentation: “The Maternal-Fetal Relationship”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN Academic
Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: October 29, 2008

Title of Presentation: “End of Life Decisions—Ethics and the Law”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Family Medicine AA, Family
Medicine, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: August 19, 2008

Title of Presentation: “End of Life Decisions—Ethics and the Law”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN Academic
Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: August 7, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Communicating Bad News: For Physicians and
Healthcare Professionals”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, EPEC Project, SFH Education
Center
Date of Presentation: July 16, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Subtle and Not-so-Subtle Breaches in Confidentiality”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN Academic
Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: June 12, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Subtle and Not-so-Subtle Breaches in Confidentiality”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Family Medicine AA, Family
Medicine, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: May 27, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Physician-Industry Relationships: Will you Respect me
in the Morning?”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Internal Medicine Grand
Rounds
Date of Presentation: April 30, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Surrogate Decision-Making in Pediatrics” John’s Story
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Session, SFH Heart Center
Date of Presentation: April 23, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Accessing Healthcare: The Obligation to Treat”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma OB/GYN Academic
Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: April 17, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Informed Consent”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Surgery Lecture
Date of Presentation: April 16, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Nutrition, Hydration and the Catholic Patient—Terri Schiavo in Perspective”
Institution/Society Name: Diocese of Tulsa, Sts. Peter and Paul Parish
Date of Presentation: March 31, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Is it ever justified to withdraw nutrition & hydration in pediatrics?”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma Pediatrics Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: March 26, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Physician Assisted Suicide and Euthanasia”
Institution/Society Name: OSU/CHS Medical Ethics Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: January 29, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Theories and Decision-Making”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma, Norman, Patients, Physicians and Society: Clinical Ethics
Date of Presentation: January 23, 2008

Title of Presentation: “Witnessing Incompetent, Inappropriate or Unethical Behavior”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/BYD Academic Session, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: December 6, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Theories and Decision-Making”
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma, Tulsa College of Nursing
Date of Presentation: November 9, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Informed Consent”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: October 18, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Informed Consent”
Institution/Society Name: OU Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: September 12, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Pillow Angel” Surgery & Hormonal Treatment for Growth Attenuation
Institution/Society Name: OU Pediatric Grand Rounds, SJMC
Date of Presentation: Sept. 11, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Re-Introduction to Ethics”
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 30, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Communicating Bad News”
Institution/Society Name: OU Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon,
Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: June 27, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Introduction to Bioethics”
Institution/Society Name: OU Resident Orientation
Date of Presentation: June 26, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Introduction to Bioethics”
Institution/Society Name: OU Resident Orientation
Date of Presentation: June 26, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Professionalism and Gifts to Physicians from
Pharmaceutical Industry”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: May 3, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Dimension of Routine Clinical Encounters”
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH Heart Center
Date of Presentation: April 18, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethics Part II, Case Discussions”
Institution/Society Name: OU Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, SJMC
Date of Presentation: April 11, 2007

Title of Presentation: “What if...? Re: Sex Selection
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: March 29, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Organ Transplantation in Obstetrics and Gynecology”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: March 22, 2007

Title of Presentation: “ACOG New Recommendations for Down Syndrome Call
for Screening of All Pregnant Women”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: March 1, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Feeding the Brain Injured”
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: February 21, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Refusal of Treatment vs. Assisted Suicide—A Valid Distinction?”
Institution/Society Name: Oklahoma State University College of Medicine, OSUCOM, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: February 9, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethics 101 – Introduction to Bioethics”
Institution/Society Name: OU Family Practice Academic Afternoon, Family Medicine
Date of Presentation: February 6, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Family Medicine”
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: January 25, 2007

Title of Presentation: “Ethics of Maternal-Fetal Interventions”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: January 18, 2007
Title of Presentation: “Confidentiality”
Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Nov. 8, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Autonomy”
Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Nov. 1, 2006

Title of Presentation: “The Good Doctor”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: October 27, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Refusal of Treatment vs. Assisted Suicide—A Valid Distinction?”
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Oct. 26, 2006

Title of Presentation: “The Question: If she/he were your child, what would you do?”
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: Oct. 25, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Ethics 101: An Introduction to Bioethics”
Institution/Society Name: OU Psych Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Oct. 18, 2006

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life Decisions in Oklahoma—Ethics and the Law”
Institution/Society Name: Norman Regional Hospital, Education Center, Norman, OK
Date of Presentation: August 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Re-Introduction to Ethics” and “The Good Doctor”
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Dean’s Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 3, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Truthfulness with the Patient”
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: May 24, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Assessing Healthcare: The Obligation to Treat”
Institution/Society Name: OU Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: Feb. 22, 2006

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life Decision-Making”
Institution/Society Name: OU OB’GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest
Date of Presentation: Feb. 17, 2006

Title of Presentation: “Sterilization of Minors with Mental Disabilities”
Institution/Society Name: Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: Dec. 16, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Confidentiality & Professional Obligation of Students”
Institution/Society Name: Residents/Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Oct. 27, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Medical Learning Curves and Issue of Consent”
Institution/Society Name: Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: Oct. 26, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Surrogate Decision-Making” and “Intro to Ethics”
Institution/Society Name: Residents/Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 29, 2005

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life Decision-Making”
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center Symposium, ST. John Medical Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 22, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Witnessing Incompetence OR Inappropriate Behavior”
Institution/Society Name: Peds Academic Afternoon, SFH
Date of Presentation: Aug. 24, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Sterilization of Women with Mental Disabilities”
Institution/Society Name: OB/GN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest Hospital
Date of Presentation: May 20, 2005

Title of Presentation: “Consent Issues: the Need for Assent by Minors”
Institution/Society Name: Residents/Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: April 27, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Futility and Goals of Treatment"

Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest Hospital
Date of Presentation: April 22, 2005

Title of Presentation: "The Schiavo Case: Three Areas of Ethical Concern"
Institution/Society Name: Residents/Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: March 20, 2005

Title of Presentation: "End of Life Decision"
Institution/Society Name: Tulsa County Medical Society, Invited
Physicians/TCMS Members
Date of Presentation: March 16, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Decision Making"
Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Academic Afternoon, Hillcrest Hospital
Date of Presentation: February 17, 2005

Title of Presentation: "Religious/Cultural Conflicts in Treatment Decisions"
Institution/Society Name: Residents/Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 27, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Confidentiality in Psychiatric Practice"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatry Residents Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 27, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Autonomy in Psychiatric Practice"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatry Residents, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 20, 2004

Title of Presentation: "End-of-Life Decision Making with Church Family
Members"
Institution/Society Name: St. John 2nd Annual Clergy Symposium, St. John
Medical Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 30, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Introduction to Medical Ethics in Psychiatric Practice"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatric Residents, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 23, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Truthfulness in the Physician-Patient Relationship"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman
Center
Date of Presentation: August 25, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Children as Research Subjects"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon, Schusterman
Center

Date of Presentation: May 26, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethical and Religious Aspects of Suicide”

Institution/Society Name: Seger Seminar on Depression, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: May 14, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Organ Transplantation and Allocation”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: April 22, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Decision Making in Obstetrics and Gynecology”

Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Residents, Hillcrest Medical Center

Date of Presentation: April 16, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Sticky Situations”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: March 25, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Professional Ethics and Professionalism”

Institution/Society Name: Department of Radiation Technology, Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, OK

Date of Presentation: March 3, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Reproductive Rights—The Unconscious Patient”

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: February 19, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Maternal-Fetal Conflict—The Unconscious Patient”

Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Residents, Hillcrest Medical Center

Date of Presentation: February 13, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Confidentiality” (panelist)

Institution/Society Name: Medical Students II, Oklahoma City College of Medicine

Date of Presentation: January 28, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Dealing with Difficult Patients”

Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: January 28, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Pediatric Practice”

Institution/Society Name: Family Practice Residents Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: January 20, 2004

Title of Presentation: “Pain Management in Geriatrics” (moderator)

Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center

Date of Presentation: January 15, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Genetics"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: January 8, 2004

Title of Presentation: "Professional Issues and Professionalism"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students II, Oklahoma City College of
Medicine
Date of Presentation : January 7, 2004

Title of Presentation: "The Case of Terri Schiavo: Who Makes the Decision"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: November 20, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Gifts to Physicians from Industry"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Oct. 2, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Clergy Participation in End-of-Life Decision Making with
Church Family Members"
Institution/Society Name: Local Clergy/Ministerial Seminar, St. John Medical
Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 18, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Withholding Care: Futility and Quality
of Life"
Institution/Society Name: Surgery Resident Conference, St. John Medical Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 17, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Gifts to Physicians from Industry"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Residents Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 17, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Gifts to Physicians from Industry"
Institution/Society Name: All Resident Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: Sept. 9, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Gifts to Physicians from Industry"
Institution/Society Name: All Resident Conference, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 27, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Parental Request for Inappropriate Treatment"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 13, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Ethics of Parental Refusal of Immunization"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: June 25, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Withholding Care: Futility and Quality of Life"
Institution/Society Name: IM Grand Rounds, St. John Medical Center, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: May 7, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Futility Issues in Pediatric Care"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: April 30, 2003

Title of Presentation: "DNR in the Endoscopy Suite"
Institution/Society Name: NEOS GI Nurses & Associates, St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Date of Presentation: April 26, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Abortion: Safe, Legal and Rare?"
Institution/Society Name: Students Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: March 13, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Ethical, Legal & Social Implications of Genetics"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: February 20, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Confidentiality"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: January 30, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Introduction to Ethical Decision Making"
Institution/Society Name: Cascia Hall High School Students, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: January 9, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Decision Making"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students, HSC Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: January 8, 2003

Title of Presentation: "Subtle Breaches of Confidentiality"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: December 18, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Obtaining Truly Informed Consent"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: December 12, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Conflicts Between Clinicians: Student Abuse"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: November 14, 2002

Title of Presentation: "The Ethics of Deinstitutionalism"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatry Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: November 6, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Training Issues/Learning Procedures"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 30, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Patient Autonomy & Competency"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatry Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 23, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Dimensions of Informed Consent"
Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Academic Morning, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 17, 2002

Title of Presentation: "End-of-Life Issues"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 27, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Professional Boundaries"
Institution/Society Name: Psychiatry Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 16, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Responsibility to the Non-Compliant Patient"
Institution/Society Name: Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, St. John Medical Center
Date of Presentation: October 1, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Advance Directives"
Institution/Society Name: OB/GYN Academic Morning, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: September 19, 2002

Title of Presentation: "When Parents Refuse Consent"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 28, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Doctor-Patient Relationship: The Noncompliant Patient"
Institution/Society Name: Surgery Grand Rounds, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: August 27, 2002

Title of Presentation: "The Role of Ethics Committees"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: July 24, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Confidentiality with Adolescents"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: June 26, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Refusal of Consent by Minors"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: April 24, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Medical-Legal Issues in Health Care"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students, HSC Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: March 6, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Witnessing Incompetent or Inappropriate Behavior"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: February 27, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Economic Issues in Healthcare"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students, HSC Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: February 27, 2002

Title of Presentation: "End-of-Life Issues in Cancer Care"
Institution/Society Name: Mini-Med School, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: February 26, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Boundaries in Physician-Patient Relations"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: February 14, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Palliative Care Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students, HSC Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: January 23, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Brain Death, Pregnancy and Post-Motherhood"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: January 17, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Introduction to Professional Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Students, HSC Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: January 9, 2002

Title of Presentation: "Stem Cell Research: What's Involved?"
Institution/Society Name: Congregational Meeting, Hope Unitarian Church
Date of Presentation: December 9, 2001

Title of Presentation: "The Ethics of Effective Pain Management"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: December 6, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Death & Dying"
Institution/Society Name: Student Body, Bishop Kelley High School
Date of Presentation: November 27, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Should Organs be Sold"
Institution/Society Name: Surgery Grand Rounds, St. Kohn's Medical Center
Date of Presentation: November 8, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Religious and Cultural Issues in Pediatric Treatment"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: October 24, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Lying for Patient: Ethical Issues"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: September 27, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Childhood Leukemia: Medical and Ethical Issues"
Institution/Society Name: Pediatric Grand Rounds, Schusterman Health Sciences Center
Date of Presentation: October 2, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Lying for Patients"
Institution/Society Name: Student Academic Afternoon, Schusterman Center
Date of Presentation: September 27, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Health Care Reform and Physician Gatekeepers"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: September 24, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Confidentiality and the Mature Minor"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon
Date of Presentation: April 25, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Palliative Care in Pediatric Practice"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: April 17, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Withdrawal of Support from Impaired Newborns"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Neonatal Lecture
Date of Presentation: April 17, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Organ Transplantation"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: April 9, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Maternal-Fetal Conflict"
Institution/Society Name: Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Academic Afternoon
Date of Presentation: March 22, 2001

Title of Presentation: "Medical Errors: Be Perfect or Be Punished"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: March 12, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Resolving Conflicts Between Parents and Children’s Best Interests”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: February 28, 2001

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues Surrounding the Care of the Elderly”

Institution/Society name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Living a Long Life-Dying a Good Death: A Symposium

Date of Presentation: February 21, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Autonomy and the Mature Minor”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: October 25, 2000

Title of Presentation: “End-of-Life Decision Making”

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Bioethics Conference

Date of Presentation: October 5, 2000

Title of Presentation: “On Our Own Terms: Moyers on Dying: (panelist)

Institution/Society Name: Spann Conference Center, Doctor’s Hospital, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: September 21, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Baby K: Parent’s Request for Futile Treatment”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: August 23, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Justice: Individual vs. Public Needs”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: May 24, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Maternal-Fetal Conflict”

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Bioethics Conference

Date of Presentation: May 4, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Physician-Assisted Suicide”

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Students Bioethics Conference

Date of Presentation: April 6, 2000

Title of Presentation: “Withholding Care: Futility and Quality of Life”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: March 22, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Social Work"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Medical Social Workers

Date of Presentation: March 21, 2000

Title of Presentation: "End-of-Life Issues"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Family Practice
Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: February 29, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Do-Not-Resuscitate Decisions"

Institution/Society Name: Hillcrest HealthCare System, Tulsa, Community
Symposium

Date of Presentation: February 26, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Decisions at the End of Life"

Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Catholic Church, Tulsa, Family Life
Seminar

Date of Presentation: February 24, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Organ Transplantation"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Bioethics
Conference

Date of Presentation: February 10, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Truthfulness in the Physician-Patient Relationship"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic
Afternoon

Date of Presentation: January 26, 2000

Title of Presentation: "Lying to Patients"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Bioethics
Conference

Date of Presentation: December 2, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Confidentiality in the Health System"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic
Afternoon

Date of Presentation: November 24, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Pain Management"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Student Bioethics
Conference

Date of Presentation: October 7, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Training Issues: Learning Procedures"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic
Afternoon

Date of Presentation: September 22, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Genetics and Genetic Testing"

Institution/Society Name: St. John Hospital, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: September 13, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Physician-Assisted Suicide" and "Withholding, Withdrawing Therapy and Medical Futility"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, EPEC Seminar

Date of Presentation: September 10-11, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Understanding Oklahoma Law Concerning Advance Directives, Living Wills and DNR"

Institution/Society Name: Bartlett memorial Medical Center, Sapulpa, Ethics Conference

Date of Presentation: August 17, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Parental Refusal of Care"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Pediatric Academic Afternoon

Date of Presentation: July 28, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Advanced Care Planning and Legal Issues" and "Physician-Assisted Suicide"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, EPEC Seminar

Date of Presentation: June 18, 1999

Title of Presentation: "End-of-Life Decision Making"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Oklahoma City, Student Summer Institute

Date of Presentation: May 27, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Issues in Informed Consent"

Institution/Society Name: OU Health Sciences Center, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: May 20, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Dilemmas in Neonatal/Perinatal Care"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Neonatal/Pediatric Care Symposium

Date of Presentation: May 14, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Decision Making in the Neonatal Setting"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, EOPC Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: March 10, 1999

Title of Presentation: "Medical Decisions for Minors: When Should Children Make the Call?"

Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: March 9, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Communication with Patients: Empathetic Models Delivering Bad News”

Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Surgery Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: March 9, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Suffering and End-of-Life Care”

Institution/Society Name: University of Tulsa, Newman Center, Tulsa, Faculty-Student Symposium

Date of Presentation: January 20, 1999

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Considerations in Alzheimer’s Disease”

Institution/Society Name: Alzheimer’s Association Oklahoma Chapter, Tulsa, Symposium

Date of Presentation: November 5, 1998

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Decision Making in the Catholic Health System”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa EOPC Ethics Rounds

Date of Presentation: September 2, 1998

Title of Presentation: “Oklahoma’s New DNR Law”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: October 29, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Pediatric Nursing”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Nursing Rounds

Date of Presentation: July 9, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Death and Dying”

Institution/Society Name: Children’s Medical Center, Tulsa, Ethics Conference

Date of Presentation: June 26, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Life and Death Issues: the Catholic Perspective”

Institution/Society Name: St. Mary’s Church, Tulsa, Family Life Seminar

Date of Presentation: April 26, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Medical/Surgical Ethics”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: March 6, 1997

Title of Presentation: “Assisted Suicide Roundtable”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, IEC

Date of Presentation: November 6, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Introduction and Overview of Medical Ethics: Doctor-Patient Relationship and Obligations of Professionals”

Institution/Society Name: OU College of Medicine, Tulsa, Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: September 27, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Communicating With Families of Patients in High Risk Situations”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Ethics Rounds
Date of Presentation: July 25, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Organ Transplantation—the Child as Donor” (Panelist)

Institution/Society Name: Children’s Medical Center, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: July 25, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Ethics in the Medical Field”

Institution/Society Name: OU Pre-Medical Professions Club, Norman, OK

Date of Presentation: February 28, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Business Ethics in Health Care”

Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Goodman Symposium

Date of Presentation: February 9, 1996

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Liver Transplantation”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: November 8, 1995

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Organ Transplantation”

Institution/Society Name: American Red Cross, Tulsa Chapter

Date of Presentation: May 24, 1995

Title of Presentation: “Sexual Ethics and Family Life”

Institution/Society Name: St. Mary’s Church, Tulsa, Benziger Family Life Program

Date of Presentation: April 4, 1995

Title of Presentation: “Human Genetics: Issues and Concerns”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa Panel Discussion

Date of Presentation: September 16, 1994

Title of Presentation: “Acting on Health Care: Catholic Views on Health Care Reform”

Institution/Society Name: Christ the King Church, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: April 17, 1994

Title of Presentation: “The Problem of Futility”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Ethics Rounds

Date of Presentation: April 6, 1994

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Concerns of Nutritional Life Support”

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa Ethics Rounds

Date of Presentation: February 23, 1994

Title of Presentation: “Health Care: Worried Sick about the System?”
Institution/Society Name: Helmerich Center, Tulsa, Leadership Tulsa Seminar
Date of Presentation: December 7, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in Perinatal Nursing”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Regional Nursing
Conference
Date of Presentation: November 12, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Catholic Morality”
Institution/Society Name: St. Mary’s Church, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: October 17, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues in the NICU”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, EOPC Ethics Rounds
Date of Presentation: October 6, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Ethics and Economics: Can Medical Ethics Survive
Health Care Reforms?”
Institution/Society Name: Hope Unitarian Church, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: September 9, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Ethics in Medical Practice”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: September 2, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Ectopic Pregnancy—Current Treatment Options/Ethical
Considerations”
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: September 1, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Baby Doe Revisited”
Institution/Society Name: St John Medical Center, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand
Rounds
Date of Presentation: August 10, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Biomedical Ethics”
Institution/Society Name: OU College of Medicine, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: July 27, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Termination of Treatment”
Institution/Society Name: Temple Israel, Tulsa, Facing Tough Medical Decisions
Series
Date of Presentation: July 12, 1993

Title of Presentation: “Bioethics—The Challenge of Today”
Institution/Society Name: OU Medical Alumni Association, Oklahoma City, OK

Date of Presentation: May 1, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Emergency Room Ethics"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Ethics Rounds

Date of Presentation: April 4, 1993

Title of Presentation: "The Family's Role in Refusal of Care"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Ethics Rounds

Date of Presentation: March 17, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Sexual Mores and Morality"

Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Church, Tulsa, Benziger Life Series

Date of Presentation: March 8, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Advance Directives: Ethical Issues for Physicians"

Institution/Society Name: Broken Arrow Medical Center, Broken Arrow, OK

Date of Presentation: January 12, 1993

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Considerations in Perinatology-VLBW"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, New Horizons in Perinatology Regional Conference

Date of Presentation: November 5, 1992

Title of Presentation: "The Norms of Catholic Morality for Adults"

Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Church, Tulsa

Date of Presentation: October 16, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Life and Dignity of the Human Person"

Institution/Society Name: Beckerle Center, Tulsa, Catholic Social Teaching Series

Date of Presentation: October 16, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Miss Evan's Boys"

Institution/Society Name: University of Tulsa, Panel Discussion-Ethics in Research

Date of Presentation: September 10, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Function of the Hospital Ethics Committee"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, All Physicians Conference

Date of Presentation: September 2, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Considerations in Neonatal Care"

Institution/Society Name: University of Tulsa Nursing School

Date of Presentation: April 22, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Surgery in a Jehovah's Witness Infant"

Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: April 15, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Whose Life Is It, Anyway?"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Critical Care Ethics Rounds
Date of Presentation: March 18, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Issues in Dying and the PSDA"
Institution/Society Name: American Association of Critical Care Nurses Seminar, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: February 21, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Death and Dying: Moral and Religious Issues"
Institution/Society Name: St. Antony's Orthodox Church, Tulsa, St. Anne Institute
Date of Presentation: February 20, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Food and Hydration Law: Implications for the Clinical Setting"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Nursing Ethics Rounds
Date of Presentation: February 19, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Principles of Medical Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa, Goodman Symposium
Date of Presentation: February 12, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Withholding Nutrition and Hydration"
Institution/Society Name: Tulsa District Dietetic Association
Date of Presentation: February 11, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Euthanasia and Physician-Assisted Suicide"
Institution/Society Name: Oral Roberts University, Alpha Epsilon Delta Lecture
Date of Presentation: February 6, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Hospice Care: Ethical Issues"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospice, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: January 16, 1992

Title of Presentation: "Assisted Suicide and the Physician"
Institution/Society Name: OUCOM Tulsa
Date of Presentation: December 11, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Conflicts in Medicine" and "Bioethical Dilemmas in Religious Traditions"
Institution/Society Name: OUCOM, Tulsa Mini course
Date of Presentation: December 2-6, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Aspects of Placebo Therapy: Patient's Right to Know"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Grand Rounds

Date of Presentation: November 21, 1991

Title of Presentation: "HIV Testing"
Institution/Society Name: OUCOM Tulsa
Date of Presentation: November 13, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethics Consultations: How and When?"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: October 31, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Is Anti-Abortion Pro-Life?"
Institution/Society Name: St. Pius Church, Tulsa, Knights of Columbus
Date of Presentation: October 20, 1991

Title of Presentation: "The Dignity of Persons: Ethical Requirements"
Institution/Society Name: St. Pius Church, Tulsa, Catholic Social Teaching Panel
Date of Presentation: October 16, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Bioethics and You"
Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Catholic School, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: October 16, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Needlestick Exposures to HIV: Ethical Implications"
Institution/Society Name: OUCOM Tulsa, Dean's Conference
Date of Presentation: September 20, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Perinatal Ethics"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: August 7, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Aspects of Decision Making for Neonates"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: June 1991

Title of Presentation: "Patients with AIDS"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: June 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethical Dilemmas in Critical Care"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Continuing Education
Course for Critical Care Nurses
Date of Presentation: May 8-9, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Ethics in Health Care Administration"
Institution/Society Name: University Center at Tulsa, Colloquium for Master of
Public Health Students
Date of Presentation: April 20, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Genetic Engineering"

Institution/Society Name: OSU College of Osteopathic Medicine, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: April 4, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Cystinosis: Ethical Aspects of Management"
Institution/Society Name: Children's Medical Center, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: April 2, 1991

Title of Presentation: "How You Got to be You"
Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Catholic Church, Benzinger Family Life
Class
Date of Presentation: March 18, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Doctors, Dollars and Decisions"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa, Symposium
Date of Presentation: February 20, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Is There a Christian Medical Ethic?"
Institution/Society Name: Oral Roberts University, Tulsa, Alpha Epsilon Delta
Pre-Medical Honor Society
Date of Presentation: February 6, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Medicine and Christian Service"
Institution/Society Name: St. Mary's Catholic Church, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: January 30, 1991

Title of Presentation: "Impact of Medical Advances Affecting the Length of
Life"
Institution/Society Name: University of Tulsa Conference The Impact of Cruzan
and OK HB 1482 on Medical Decision Making in Oklahoma
Date of Presentation: October 5, 1990

Title of Presentation: "Withholding and Withdrawing Care"
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Hospital, Tulsa Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: October 1990

Title of Presentation: "Brain Death Controversies"
Institution/Society Name: Tulsa Regional Medical Center
Date of Presentation: October 1990

Title of Presentation: "Brain Death in Children: Ethical Aspects"
Institution/Society Name: OUCOM Tulsa, Pediatric Grand Rounds
Date of Presentation: September 1990

Title of Presentation: "Medical Ethics and the Catholic Physician"
Institution/Society Name: St. John Medical Center, Tulsa
Date of Presentation: September 1990

Title of Presentation: "The Right to Die: Do We have a Choice?"
Institution/Society Name: Doctor's Hospital, Tulsa Panel Discussion
Date of Presentation: May 16, 1990

Title of Presentation: "Life or Death: Who Decides?"
Institution/Society Name: PUCM Tulsa, Ethics Conference for Health Care Professionals
Date of Presentation: March 14, 1990

**UNIVERSITY,
MEDICAL
COLLEGE &
HOSPITAL
SERVICE:**

Department/School/University: Oklahoma University Health Sciences Center
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Palliative Care Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1999-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Admissions Board
Date(s) of Service: 2003-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Committee of Inquiry
Date(s) of Service: 2005-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Promotion and Tenure Committee
Date(s) of Service: 2005-2009

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa, Department of Pediatrics
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Faculty Evaluation/Promotion Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1984-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa, Office of the Dean
Role/Function: Chairman
Committee Name: Dean's Conference Committee on Medical Ethics,
Date(s) of Service: 1987-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa

Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Educational Focus Group
Date(s) of Service: 1993-2012

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Institutional Review Board
Date(s) of Service: 1994 -2000

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa, Dean's Office
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Institutional Study Group-Administration
Date(s) of Service: 1995

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa, Department of Psychiatry
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Search Committee-Chair of the Department of Psychiatry,
Date(s) of Service: 1995-1996

Department/School/University: The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine-Tulsa
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Dean's Search Committee
Date(s) of Service: 2001

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Co-Director
Committee Name: CME Online Tutorials Program
Date(s) of Service: 2005-2012

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Co-Chair
Committee Name: Institutional Ethics Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1995-2012

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Chair
Committee Name: Institutional Review Board
Date(s) of Service: 1991-2008

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Nutritional Support Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1998-2012

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK – Eating Disorders Unit
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Patient Care Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1985-2012

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Endoscopy Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1983-2012

Department/School/University: St. Francis Health System, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Endoscopy Credentialing Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1990-2012

Department/School/University: Hillcrest Medical Center, Tulsa, OK
Role/Function: Member
Committee Name: Medical Ethics Committee
Date(s) of Service: 1990-2012

**TEACHING
ACTIVITIES:**

Medical School Courses

Name and Course Number: Bioethics
Role: Course Director/Professor
Number of Direct Contact Hours:
 Medical Students: 24 hours annually
 Residents: 35 hours annually
Year Taught: 1992-2012
Number of Students: 50-60 per year
Overall Evaluation Score: 4/5 (above average)

Name and Course Number: PEDS GI
Role: Course Director/Professor
Number of Direct Contact Hours:
 Medical Students (Lecture): 12 hours annually
 Residents: 6 months annually
Year Taught: 1982-2012
Number of Students: 30 per year
Overall Evaluation Score: 4/5 (above average)

Medical School Clerkships

Name of Clerkship: MSIII
Role: Clerkship Director

Number of Direct Contact Hours: 6 weeks
Year Taught: 1982-2012
Number of Students/Fellows: 30 annually
Overall Evaluation Score: 4/5 (above average)

Average number of Clinical Fellows you train per year = 0
Average number of Residents you train per year = 30
Average number of Medical Students you train per year = 50-60

Teaching Recognition/Awards – include both nominations and awards

Award Name: Gold Foundation Lifetime Humanism Honor Award for Exemplary Demonstration of Respect for Human Beings through Practice and Teaching of Medicine
Year: 2005

Award Name: Healthcare Foundation of New Jersey: Humanism in Medicine
Award: Recognizing the Integration of Humanism in the Delivery of Health Care to Patients and Their Families
Date: 2000

COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITIES:

Joint Grants

Agency: Wyeth Research (Kendle International)
Identifying Number: N/A
Title of Project: "A Multicenter, Randomized, Double-Blind Study of the Safety, Tolerability, and Clinical Outcomes of 2 Doses (20 and 40mg) of Oral Pantoprazole in Children (12 to 16 years old) with Symptomatic GERD"
Dates of Project Period: June 2003
Role on Project: Investigator
Percent Effort: 5%
Total Dollar Amount: \$36,800

Agency: Glaxo-Wellcome
Identifying Number: N/A
Title of Project: "Alosetron in Childhood IBS"
Dates of Project Period: 1999-2000
Role on Project: Investigator
Percent Effort: 5%
Total Dollar Amount: \$21,980.00

SCHOLARSHIP AND RESEARCH:

RESEARCH GRANTS

Agency: Tulsa Medical Education Annual Grant
Identifying Number: N/A
Title of Project: Oklahoma Bioethics Center
Dates of Project Period: 1994-2012
Role on Project: Director/Principal Investigator

Percent Effort: 25%
Total Dollar Amount: \$67,500

Agency: Carnation/Nestle
Identifying Number: N/A
Title of Project: "Formula Intolerance in Acute Gastroenteritis"
Dates of Project Period: 1995
Role on Project: Principal Investigator
Percent Effort: 10%
Total Dollar Amount: \$55,000

PUBLICATIONS

Original Papers in Refereed Journals

Bioethics:

1. **Donovan, GK:** "The Disabled and Their Lives of Purpose." The Linacre Quarterly, Vol. 74, No.3:263-267 AUGUST 2007 Online: JANUARY 2008
2. Fallat, M and **Donovan, GK: UPDATE** "Ethical and Legal Considerations in Pediatric Surgery", *emedicine.medscape.com* (from WebMD), April 24, 2006
3. Fallat ME, Glover J and AAP Committee on Bioethics. "Professionalism in Pediatrics" Pediatrics, 2007; 120:e1123-e1133.
4. Seaman, Rachel M.H., **Donovan, GK** {mentoring co-author} "The Ethics and Economics of Consuming Canadian Drugs" JOKLA State Med Assoc., Vol. 98, No. 1 JAN 2005 [mentored paper]
5. Diekema DS and AAP Committee on Bioethics. "Responding to Parental Refusals of Immunization of Children", Pediatrics, 2005; 115: 1428-1431.
6. Schneiderjan Stephanie and **Donovan, GK.** "Ethics *versus* Education: Pelvic Exams on Anesthetized Women." Journal Oklahoma State Medical Association, (8):386-8, AUG 2005
7. Fallat, Mary E., Deshpande, Jayant K; **Donovan, GK.** "Do Not Resuscitate Orders for Pediatric Patients Who Require Anesthesia and Surgery." American Academy of Pediatrics. (Clinical Report) 114 No. 6:1686-1692, Dec 2004.
8. Nelson RM and AAP Committee on Bioethics. "Ethical Issues with Genetic Testing in Pediatrics." Pediatrics, 107:1451-1455. 2001.
9. Committee on Bioethics. "Institutional Ethics Committees", Pediatrics, 2001; 107: 205-209
10. Committee on Child Abuse and Neglect and Committee on Bioethics. "Forgoing Life-Sustaining Medical Treatment in Abused Children", Pediatrics, 2000; 106:1151-1153.
11. Committee on Bioethics and Committee on Hospital Care. "Palliative Care for Children", Pediatrics, 2000; 106: 351-357.
12. Committee on School Health and Committee on Bioethics. "Do Not Resuscitate Orders in School", Pediatrics, 2000; 105: 878-879.
13. Committee on Bioethics. "Sterilization of Minors with Developmental Disabilities", Pediatrics, 1999, 104: 337-340.

14. Committee on Bioethics. "Appropriate Boundaries in the Pediatrician-Family-Patient Relationship, Pediatrics, 1999, 104: 334-336 (Revised)
15. **Donovan, GK**: "Decisions at the End of Life: Catholic Tradition." Christian Bioethics, 3:188-203, 1997.
16. **Donovan, GK**: "Does Shooting Abortionists Reveal a Lack of Faith?" Linacre Quarterly, 61:1, 1994.
17. **Donovan, GK**: "Anencephalic Organ Donation in Oklahoma: Right Problem, Wrong Answer." Journal Oklahoma State Medical Association, 86:128-130, 1993.

Pediatrics/GI:

18. Dahshan A., Donovan KG. "Bougienage versus Endoscopy for Esophageal Coin Removal in Children" Journal of Clinical Gastroenterology. 41(5):454-6, MAY 2007
19. Dahshan A., Donovan KG, "Severe Methemoglobinemia complicating topical benzocaine use during endoscopy in a toddler: a case report and review of the literature." Pediatrics.(4):e806-9 APRIL 2006
20. Dahshan A., Donovan GK. Halabi IM. Ranne R. Li M. Illig WP. "Helicobacter pylori and infantile hypertrophic pyloric stenosis: is there a possible relationship?" Journal of Pediatric Gastroenterology & Nutrition. 42(3):262-4, MAR 2006
21. Dahshan Ahmed and **Donovan, GK**. "Isolated Superior Mesenteric Artery Thrombosis." Journal of Clinical Gastroenterology, 34:554-556, 2002.
22. Dahshan Ahmed and **Donovan, GK**. "Auto-Brewery Syndrome in a Child with Short Gut Syndrome": Case Report and Review of the Literature. Journal of Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition, 33:214-215, 2001.
23. **Donovan, GK**: "Constipation and Encopresis in Children." Dial Access Article, Southern Medical Association, 1999.
24. **Donovan, GK** and Yazdi AJ: "Endoscopic Diagnosis of Pylorus Stenosis." Journal Oklahoma State Medical Association, 89:58-9, 1996.
25. **Donovan, GK**, Plunket DC and Block R: "Management of Pediatric Encopresis." Practical Reviews in Pediatrics, (Audio Cassette Series) 18:10, 1995.
26. **Donovan, GK**: "Formula Intolerance in Infancy." Buen Salud Journal, Puerto Rico, 1990.
27. **Donovan, GK**: "Hirschsprung's Disease: Diagnostic Pitfalls." Practical Reviews in Pediatrics, (Audiocassette Series) 10:7, 1987.
28. **Donovan, GK** and Torres-Pinedo R: "Chronic Diarrhea and Soy Formulas-Inhibition of Diarrhea by Lactose." American Journal of Diseases of Children, 141:1069-1071, 1987.
29. **Donovan, GK** and Torres-Pinedo R: "Diarrhea Chronique et Preparations a Base de Soja." American Journal of Diseases of Children. Edition Francaise, 6:426-429, 1987.
30. Sharma BB, **Donovan, GK**, et al: "CNS Infections Following Esophageal Dilation in Children." Journal of Pediatrics, 110:572-574, 1987.
31. **Donovan, GK**: Guest Review. Practical Reviews in Pediatrics, (Audiocassette Series) 1985.
32. **Donovan, GK**: Guest Review. Practical Reviews in Pediatrics, (Audiocassette Series) 1984.

33. **Donovan, GK:** “Diagnosis of Atypical Hirschsprung’s Disease.” *Journal Oklahoma State Medical Association*, 81:731-32, 1980.
34. Michaels VV and **Donovan, GK:** “Shwachman Syndrome-Unusual Presentation as Asphyxiating Thoracic Dystrophy.” *Birth Defects, Original Article Series*, 1982; 18(3B):129-34.
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Reviews or Editorials in Refereed Journals

36. **Donovan, GK:** “Does Withdrawal of Nutrition and Hydration Cause Death in Children?” *PEDIATRICS Online*: August 11, 2009 eLetter
37. Abstract Reviewer for Pediatric Academic Societies, February 2005
38. **Donovan, GK.:** Review: “Ethical Issues with Genetic Testing in Pediatrics.” *AAP Grand Rounds*, February 2003.
39. Fallat, M and **Donovan, GK:** “Ethical and Legal Considerations in Pediatric Surgery.” *emedicine Journal*, 3:1, January 23, 2002.
40. **Donovan, GK:** “The New DNR Law: a Disaster for Oklahomans?” (Editorial Letter) *Tulsa Word*, Dec. 7, 1997.
41. **Donovan, GK:** “Assisted Suicide: a Health Care Benefit?” (Editorial Letter) *JAMA*, 274:1911, 1996.

Books or Chapters in books, and publications in other journals

42. **Donovan, GK** and Pellegrino, Edmund D.: Chapter, “Virtue and Goals in Pediatrics,” *Pediatric Bioethics*, Edited by Geoffrey Miller, Cambridge University Press, Chapter 1, pp.. 3-10, 2009
43. **Donovan, GK:** “The Physician-Patient Relationship.” Chapter Five in *The Healthcare Professional as Friend and Healer: Building on the Work of Edmund D. Pellegrino*. Washington, DC: Georgetown University Press, 2000.
44. **Donovan, GK:** *Nutrition/Hydration and P.V.S.: Ethical Considerations: A Thesis*. Norman: University of Oklahoma, 1994.

Abstracts

45. **Donovan, GK:** “”End-of-Life vs. Ending Life: A Transatlantic Perspective” International Conference: European Association of Centres of Medical Ethics (EACME), Sept. 28-30, 2006, Leuven, Belgium
46. Ahmed Dahshan, M.D., FAAP and G. Kevin Donovan, M.D., FAAP: “Severe Methemoglobinemia Complicating Topical Benzocaine Use During Endoscopy in a Toddler: A Case Report and Review of Literature” *Pediatrics*, 117:4 April 2006, pp. e806-e809.
47. **Donovan, GK:** “Bougienage Versus Endoscopy for Esophageal Coin Removal in Children”, presented *ASGE Digestive Disease Week*, Chicago, Illinois May 18, 2005

48. Fox MD, Jones CM, **Donovan, GK**, and McNulty M. The Impact of Changes in allocation Policy on Pediatric Heart Transplantation in the United States. Pediatric Academic Societies-Society for Pediatric Research Annual Meeting, May 2003.
49. Fox MD, Jones CM, **Donovan, GK**, and McNulty M. The Impact of Changes in Allocation Policy on Pediatric Heart Transplantation in the United States. Second Congress of the International Pediatric Transplant Association. April 2003
50. Fox MD, Jones CM, **Donovan, GK**, and McNulty M. An Ethical Analysis of the Prioritization of Pediatric Patients in Organ Allocation Policy. Second Congress of the International Pediatric Transplant Association. April 2003.
51. **Donovan, GK** and Kidwell M: "Benign Recurrent Intrahepatic Cholestasis: Relief of Pruritis with Carbamazepine." Gastroenterology, 94:5, 1988.
52. **Donovan, GK** and Torres-Pinedo R: "Effect of D-Galactose on Fluid Loss in Soybean Protein Intolerance." Pediatric Research, 12:433, 1978.

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54. A Self-Instructional Module in Geriatric Medicine
55. **Donovan, GK**: Consultant, The Power of Ideas: a Video Interview with Allen Buchanan, 2000.
56. **Donovan, GK**: The PSDA and the Ethics Committee, A Video. Tulsa: St. Francis Hospital, 1992.

Georgetown University
2012-present
Director, Pellegrino Center for Clinical Bioethics and
Professor, Department of Pediatrics

Presentations:

2012 Presentations

Title of Presentation: Bioethics Class
Institution/Society Name: Howard University
Date of Presentation: September 5, 2012

Title of Presentation: Ethics Session for Plastic Surgery Residents
Institution/Society Name: Medstar Georgetown University Hospital
Date of Presentation: August 23, 2012

Title of Presentation: Clinical Ethics
Institution/Society Name: Undergrad Bioethics Society Georgetown University
Date of Presentation: November 29, 2012

2013 Presentations

Title of Presentation: CPE on Health Care Ethics
Institution/Society Name: Medstar Georgetown University Hospital
Date of Presentation: January 8, 2013

Title of Presentation: Taping for NBC Today Show re Prenatal Testing
Institution/Society Name: NBC
Date of Presentation: January 16, 2013

Title of Presentation: Ethics Session
Institution/Society Name: Dept of Infectious Diseases Medstar Georgetown Hospital
Date of Presentation: January 17, 2013

Title of Presentation: "Killing or Allowing to Die?"
Institution/Society Name: Medical Grand Rounds Medstar Georgetown Univ Hospital
Date of Presentation: January 14, 2013

Title of Presentation: "Cookie Friday" Bioethics Talk
Institution/Society Name: Bioethics Research Library, Georgetown University
Date of Presentation: March 22, 2013

Title of Presentation: Telephone Interview on Case of NICU Babies and Oxygen Research
Institution/Society Name: Miami Herald Newspaper
Date of Presentation: April 2013

Title of Presentation: "Doctors Speak Out" Advance Directives etc.
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University Medical Center

Date of Presentation: April 16, 2013

Title of Presentation: Research on Babies in ICU -- Oxygen

Institution/Society Name: Diane Rehm Radio Show

Date of Presentation: April 17, 2013

Title of Presentation: "The Last of Life, for Which the First Was Made"

Institution/Society Name: Hal Israel Memorial Lecture, Temple B'Nai Israel Easton, MD

Date of Presentation: Monday, April 29, 2013 7:30 p.m.

Title of Presentation: Interview for USA Today – "With Down Syndrome Diagnoses Comes a Wrenching Choice"

Institution/Society Name: USA Today

Date of Presentation: May 1, 2013 issue

Title of Presentation: Doctors Speak Out Follow Up for GUMC Advance Directives

Institution/Society Name: Somerset House, Bethesda, Maryland

Date of Presentation: May 14, 2013

Title of Presentation: Clinical Ethics Lecture

Institution/Society Name: KIE Intensive Bioethics Course, Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: June 9, 2013

Title of Presentation: Leader for Small Group

Institution/Society Name: KIE Intensive Bioethics Course, Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: June 2013

Title of Presentation: Interview: "Ethicists debate girls' second lung transplant"

Institution/Society Name: USA Today

Date of Presentation: July 1, 2013

Title of Presentation: Quoted for transplant case in PA

Institution/Society Name: Fox News Channel, Patti Ann Brown

Date of Presentation: July 2, 2013

Title of Presentation: Ethics Lecture

Institution/Society Name: Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, Medstar GU Hospital

Date of Presentation: July 11, 2013

Title of Presentation: Ethics Lecture for Hospitalists

Institution/Society Name: Medstar Georgetown University Hospital

Date of Presentation: July 17, 2013

Title of Presentation: Professionalism Panel for First Year Orientation

Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University School of Medicine

Date of Presentation: August 9, 2013

Title of Presentation: Our Aging Brain and Living and Leaving with Dignity
Institution/Society Name: Chevy Chase Trust
Date of Presentation: September 12, 2013

Title of Presentation: Panel (submitted by Mark Kuczewski) on Admitting Illegal Students to Medical School
(Moderator)Institution/Society Name: ASBH
Date of Presentation: October 2013

Title of Presentation: Injured Hunters Choice – the Tim Bowers Case – End of Life
Institution/Society Name: Interview for WUSA Channel 9 TV in DC
Date of Presentation: November 7 2013

Title of Presentation: Interview for End of Life Wishes aren't Always Met
Institution/Society Name: Publication – Medical Ethics Advisor
Date of Presentation: May 2013

Title of Presentation: Interview for article on “Ethics of Minors’ Access to Emergency Contraception”
Institution/Society Name: Medical Ethics Advisor
Date of Presentation: November 2013: Vol. 29, No. 11, Pages 121-132.

2014 Presentations

Title of Presentation: “Was Pellegrino a Closet Principlist?”
Institution/Society Name: First Annual Pellegrino Seminar, Georgetown University
Date of Presentation: March 21, 2014

Title of Presentation: “A Parent Fights to Speed FDA Approval I Hopes of Saving Son’s Life” Interview for WTOP Radio
Institution/Society Name: WTOP Radio News Interview
Date of Presentation: March 26, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Cast a Wide Net when Obtaining Feedback on Clinical Ethics Consults”
Institution/Society Name: Medical Ethics Advisor, April 2014: Vol. 30, No. 4, Pages 37-48 – Interview
Date of Presentation: April 2014

Title of Presentation: Grand Rounds: End of Life Decision-Making
Institution/Society Name: St. Barnabas Hospital and Medical Center, New Jersey
Date of Presentation: April 16, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Saving Lives and Stamping Out Disease: The Virtuous Physician in the Future of Healthcare”
Institution/Society Name: 11th Annual Pellegrino Ethics Lectureship in Surgery, GU
Date of Presentation: May 6, 2014

Title of Presentation: “ Pros and Cons of Doctors Sharing Notes”

Institution/Society Name: Diane Rehm Radio Show

Date of Presentation: May 22, 2014

Title of Presentation: SUPPORT Study Panel

Institution/Society Name: Clinical Research Network

Date of Presentation: May 22, 2014

Title of Presentation: Panel on Alzheimer’s Research and Discovery

Institution/Society Name: Alumnae Reunion Weekend Georgetown Medical School

Date of Presentation: May 30, 2014

Title of Presentation: Clinical Bioethics, Pre-IBC Workshop

Institution/Society Name: Kennedy Institute of Ethics Annual Intensive Bioethics Course

Date of Presentation: June 2, 2014

Title of Presentation: Pro-Life to the very end....interview

Institution/Society Name: Our Sunday Visitor Newsweekly

Date of Presentation: July 2014

Title of Presentation: Patients’ Wishes for End of Life Care Often Not Followed: Here are reasons why...interview

Institution/Society Name: Medical Ethics Advisor

Date of presentation: September 2014, Vol. 30 No 9 Pages 97-108

Title of Presentation: O’Neill Institute Colloquium: The West African Ebola Epidemic: How can it be Contained and How can we Prevent the Next One?

Institution/Society Name: O’Neill Institute Georgetown University School of Law

Date of Presentation: September 3, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Is the Church on the Wrong Side of History: Bioethical Issues”

Institution/Society Name: Blessed Sacrament Church Sunday Morning Lecture Series, Washington, DC

Date of Presentation: Sunday, September 14, 2014

Interviews and Presentations on Ebola – beginning August 2014:

USA Today

AP News

Diane Rehm Show

Paula Wolfson – WTOP

Andrew Pollack – NY Times

Helen Braswell – Canadian Press

Barry Bagnolo – CBS radio

CTV interview

Georgetown/O’Neill Center Conference on Ebola

Katherine Elliott – EWTN

Bloomberg News

Al Jazeera National

Al Jazeera International

Reuters—interview October 6, 2014 U.S. Ebola patient receives experimental drug from Chimerix
Reuters News Service
ETWN Interview

Title of Presentation: “Doctors, Documentation and the Professional Obligation: Has Everything Changed?”

Institution/Society Name: White Mass Program for Catholic Medical Association Arlington, VA

Date of Presentation: October 19, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Saving Memories: The Fight Against Alzheimer’s and Dementia”

Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University School of Medicine Reunion

Date of Presentation: October 24, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Ebola, epidemics and ethics – what we have learned”

Institution/Society Name: Cookie Friday, Kennedy Institute of Ethics, Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: October 24, 2014

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Concerns When a Baby Dies: Making Difficult Decisions”

Institution/Society Name: Bereavement Certification Training for Healthcare Providers in Maternal-child Health, MedStar Georgetown University Hospital, NICU Parents Advisory Board/Division of Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine

Date of presentation: Monday, December 15, 2014

Presentations 2015

Title of Presentation: “Ethical Issues from the Ebola Epidemic: Learning our Lessons”

Institution/Society Name: National Institutes of Health: Inter-Institute Bioethics Interest Group

Date of Presentation: January 5, 2015.

Title of Presentation: Interview: “The CEO Who Save a Life and Lost His Job”

Institution/Society Name: Businessweek – publication

Date of Presentation: January 22, 2015

Title of Presentation: Interview re Measles Vaccines – Ethical Issues

Institution/Society Name: EWTN network

Date of Presentation: February 4, 2015

Title of Presentation: “Ask the Professor: Questions Re Measles Vaccine”

Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: February 10, 2015

Title of Presentation: "End of Life"
Institution/Society Name: Held at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Derwood, MD, for Archdiocese
Of Washington DC
Date of Presentation: February 21, 2015

Title of Presentation: Small Group Leader
Institution/Society Name: 30th Annual Medical Ethics Conference in Rome for the Center for
Ethics and Culture. University of Notre Dame
Date of Presentation: March 8-12, 2015

Title of Presentation: Panelist for Alzheimer's and Dementia Panel
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University's John Carroll Alumni Weekend,
Los Angeles, California
Date of Presentation: April 16, 2015

Title of Presentations: University of Valparaiso, Chile
Date of Presentations: April 18-24, 2015
Presentations given:

April 21, 2015 Ethics and Medicine Discussion for Dept of Philosophy

April 22, 2015 Lecture for Opening of Academic Year in Medical School:
"Ethics and Medicine, Is healthcare a right?"

April 23, 2015 Panel on Abortion and Malformations

Title of Presentation: "When is your Patient Dead?"
Institution/Society Name: Kennedy Institute of Ethics Intensive Bioethics Course
(also small group instructor for the week)
Date of Presentation: Friday, June 5, 2015

Title of Presentation: Testimony on DC's Proposed Death with Dignity Law
Institution/Society Name: DC Council Hearing
Date of Presentation: July 10, 2015

Title of Presentation: Professionalism Panel
Institution/Society Name: First Year Orientation for Georgetown School of Medicine
Date of Presentation: August 7, 2015

Title of Presentation: Introduction to Bioethics Pediatric Ethics Rounds
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University Medical Center
Date of Presentation: Sept 1, 2015

Title of Presentation: "From Hippocrates to Homicide; The Physician's Role in the Patients' Death"
Institution/Society Name: University of Oklahoma – Tulsa and Oklahoma City
Date of Presentation: September 14 and 15, 2015

Title of Presentation: Panelist: Film Screening – The Sum Total of our Memory: Facing Alzheimer’s Together
Institution/Society Name: GUMC and the Kennedy Institute of Ethics
Date of Presentation: Thursday, October 1, 2015

Title of Presentation: Physician Assisted Suicide: Redefining the Role of the Physician”
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown ROMEOS
Date of Presentation: October 9, 2015

Title of Presentation: Off Label or On Target? The Ethics of Investigational and Compassionate Uses
Institution/Society Name: NASPGHAN (North American Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology
Date of Presentation: October 7-11, 2015

Presentations 2016

Title of Presentation: “Right to Die”
Institution/Society Name: PBS Religion and Ethics Newsweekly
Date of Presentation: Aired January 10, 2016

Title of Presentation: “Physician Assisted Suicide”
Institution/Society Name: Baltimore City Medical Society/Bon Secours Hospital
Date of Presentation: February 4, 2016.

Title of Presentation: Interview for a published article: “An Education by Faith”
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University Medical Center Magazine
Date of Presentation: Fall/Winter Issue 2015

Title of Presentation: Interview: “OB Care in Catholic Hospitals”
Institution/Society Name: The Guardian
Date of Presentation: February 17, 2016

Title of Presentation: Testimony re Physician Assisted Suicide
Institution/Society Name: Maryland State Assembly Annapolis, MD
Date of Presentation: Friday, February 19, 2016

Media Reports:

The Washington Post [Agonizing over the right to die](#) with Kevin Donovan, Feb. 20, 2016.

ABC 2 Baltimore ‘Right to die’ legislation gets lengthy, emotional hearing In Annapolis with Kevin Donovan, Feb. 20, 2016.

Baltimore Sun Maryland lawmakers grapple with end-of-life bill with Kevin Donovan, Feb. 20, 2016.

WBAL TV Baltimore Hearing on End of Life Act draws crowd of supporters, Opponents, with Kevin Donovan Feb. 20, 2016

Fox News Radio (national) Physician Assisted Suicide with Kevin Donovan,
Feb. 20, 2016

WBAL Radio Baltimore Physician Assisted Suicide with Kevin Donovan,
Feb. 20, 2016

WUSA TV Physician Assisted Suicide with Kevin Donovan, Feb. 20, 2016.

The Daily Record (subscription) Md. House considers assisted-death provision for
Terminally ill with Kevin Donovan, Feb. 20, 2016

Catholic Review Physician-assisted suicide sees first major public debate of 2016
With Kevin Donovan Feb. 20, 2016.

Title of Presentation: End of Life Presentation
Institution/Society Name: St. Francis Church, Derwood, Maryland
Date of Presentation: Saturday, Feb. 20, 2016

Title of Presentation: "Bioethics and Fetal Tissue" (testimony)
Institution/Society Name: US House of Representatives, Committee on Energy and Commerce
Date of Presentation: March 2, 2016

Title of Presentation: Medical Ethics
Institution/Society Name: 2016 Notre Dame Medical Ethics Conference
Date of Presentation: March 18-19, 2016

Title of Presentation: Physician Assisted Suicide
Institution/Society Name: MedStar Georgetown University Hospital Grand Rounds Dept. of Medicine
Date of Presentation: March 24, 2016

Title of Presentation: Panel Participant: Right to Life/End of Life
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown Right to Life
Date of Presentation: April 18, 2016

Title of Presentation: 'Red Flags' in Kenyan Vaccine Controversy
Institution/Society Name: Interview by French Journalist Anne Loussouarn
Date of Presentation: April 6, 2016

Title of Presentation: Limits of Intervention
Institution/Society Name: 2016 Richard A. Liebendorfer Ethics Symposium, St. John Medical Center,
Tulsa, Oklahoma
Date of Presentation: April 28, 2016

Title of Presentation: Introduction to Decision-making and the Role of the Ethics Committee
Institution/Society Name: Pre-Intensive Bioethics Course (KIE) Clinical Session
Date of Presentation: June 7, 2016

Title of Presentation: Professionalism Panel
Institution/Society Name: Georgetown University School of Medicine for Incoming First Year students
Date of Presentation: August 4, 2016

Title of Presentation: Pediatric Ethics Rounds -- Introduction
Institution/Society Name: MGUH/Department of Pediatrics
Date of Presentation: August 16, 2016

Title of Presentation: Testimony to Yvette Alexander "Death with Dignity" Bill
Institution/Society Name: DC Council
Date of Presentation: August 18, 2016

Title of Presentation: Quoted in "From Epic Poet to Donald Trump's Doctor"
Institution/Society Name: STAT news
Date of Presentation: August 30, 2016

Title of Presentation: Quoted in "Clinton's Pneumonia Fuels Debate About Candidate Health Data"
Institution/Society Name: AP Washington
Date of Presentation: September 9, 2016

Title of Presentation: Testimony re PAS (Physician Assisted Suicide)
Institution/Society Name:
Date of Presentation: September 9, 2016

Title of Presentation: EOL or OLOL: End of Life Issues in the Catholic Tradition
Institution/Society Name: Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, District of Columbia
Date of Presentation: September 13, 2016

Title of Presentation: Testimony on "Death with Dignity Bill" D.C. Congressman Grosso
Institution/Society Name: DC City Council
Date of Presentation: September 14, 2016

Title of Presentation: Presentation on Physician Assisted Suicide
Institution/Society Name: MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society House of Delegates Meeting
Date of Presentation: September 22, 2016

Title of Presentation: Physician Assisted Suicide
Institution/Society Name: Kojo Nnamdi Show in Washington, DC Public Radio
Date of Presentation: October 10, 2016

Title of Presentation: End of Life Panel
Institution/Society Name: Archdiocese of Washington DC (at St. Edward the Confessor Church)
Date of Presentation: October 24, 2016

Title of Presentation: Interview re Physician Assisted Suicide
Institution/Society Name: Miikaela Lefrak, American University Radio, WAMU, DC
Date of Presentation: November 17, 2016

Title of Presentation: “Aid in Dying: Physician Assisted Suicide? Compassion and Conscience.” (panel)
Institution/Society Name; Prince George’s County Medical Society
Date of Presentation: December 13, 2016

Presentations 2017

Title of Presentation: “Physician Assisted Suicide: Dangers for US Health Care”
Institution/Society Name; U S House of Representatives (Rep. Brad R. Wenstrup)
Date of Presentation: January 12, 2017

Title of Presentation: “Bioethics and the Church” (2 days of lectures)
Institution/Society Name; Winter Clergy Education Days 2017 Diocese of Tulsa, Oklahoma
Date of Presentation: January 30 – February 1, 2017

Title of Presentation: “Aid in Dying and the End-of-Life Act: Issues & Answers for the Policy Debate”
Institution/Society Name; University of Baltimore Center for Medicine and Law
Date of Presentation: February 6, 2017

Title of Presentation: “PAS”
Institution/Society Name; Maryland Congressional Hearing
Date of Presentation: February 16, 2017

Title of Presentation: PAS
Institution/Society Name; Heritage Foundation Washington DC
Date of Presentation: February 27, 2017

Title of Presentation: Grant Rounds – Decision-making in Clinical Ethics
Institution/Society Name; Medstar Montgomery Hospital, Olney, Maryland
Date of Presentation: March 2, 2017

Title of Presentation: “End of Life Care in the District: Campus Reacts to Death With Dignity Act -- Interview
Institution/Society Name; The Georgetown Voice
Date of Presentation: March 3, 2017

Title of Presentation: Surrogate Decision-makers Face Ethical Questions if Patient has Dementia-- Interview
Institution/Society Name; Medical Ethics Advisor
Date of Presentation: April 2017

Title of Presentation: Perinatal Ethics: Viability and Futility
Institution/Society Name; Virginia Hospital Center
Date of Presentation: May 16, 2017

Title of Presentation: Interview: Story by Aneri Pattani re Charlie Gard Case
Institution/Society Name: New York Times
Date of Presentation: July 3, 2017.

Title of Presentation: Radio Interview re Charlie Gard Case
Institution/Society Name: KCBS SF radio
Date of Presentation: July 4, 2017 8:30 a.m.

Title of Presentation: Interview: "Saving Charlie Gard: Fight for Terminally Ill British Child Goes on."
Institution/Society Name; USA Today article by Kim Hielmgaard
Date of Presentation: July 9, 2017

Title of Presentation: "Physician Assisted Death and Euthanasia II" – Moderator
Institution/Society: International Academy of Law and Mental Health, Prague
Date of Presentation: July 11, 2017

Title of Presentation: Death with dignity/physician assisted suicide
Institution/Society: Maryland Psychiatric Society
Date of Presentation: September 16, 2017

Title of Presentation: Ethics Committees
Institution/Society: Virginia Hospital Center
Date of Presentation: October 5, 2017

Title of Presentation: Interview re Program on Lives Worthy of Respect
Institution/Society: National Catholic Register
Date of Presentation: October 5, 2017

Title of Presentation: Grand Rounds: "Is it Killing or Allowing to Die?"
Institution/Society: Medstar Montgomery County Hospital
Date of Presentation: October 12, 2017

Title of Presentation: Interview for ETWN – Embryo Adoption
Institution/Society: ETWN – Eternal Word Network
Date of Presentation: October 16, 2017 (Aired on 11/9/2017)

Title of Presentation: Roundtable with GU Med School Class of 1962
Institution/Society: Reunion Weekend
Date of Presentation: Saturday, October 29, 2017

Title of Presentation: Reflection for Retreat – inspiration and encouragement for Catholic physicians
Institution/Society: DC CMA Guild (held at Franciscan Monastery)
Date of Presentation: November 18, 2017

Presentations 2018

Title of Presentation: Pro-Life at the End of Life

Institution/Society: 2018 Cardinal O'Connor Conference on Life Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: January 20, 2018

Title of Presentation: Pro-Life in Medicine (panel discussion)

Institution/Society: Chooselife Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: Feb. 20, 2018

Title of Presentation: Quoted in HOYA regarding the new PCCB MA in Clinical Bioethics

Institution/Society: The HOYA, Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: Feb. 22, 2018

Title of Presentation: Debate on Physician Assisted Suicide

Institution/Society: American Nurses Association, Silver Spring, Maryland

Date of Presentation: March 5, 2018

Title of Presentation: Braman Conference – panel discussion medicine and the Holocaust

Institution/Society: Center for Jewish Studies, Georgetown University

Date of Presentation: March 18, 2018

Title of Presentation: Interview: DC Assisted Suicide Law

Institution/ Society: Washington Post Newspaper

Date of Presentation: April 10, 2018

Title of Presentation: Ethical Issues in Cancer Care

Institution/Society: Georgetown School of Continuing Studies; Bayer Sponsorship

Date of Presentation: April 25, 2018

Title of Presentation: Introduction to the Field of Medicine

Institution/Society: Georgetown Summer Programs for High School Students; GU School of Continuing Studies

Date of Presentation: June 18, 2018

Title of Presentation: Controversies in Death & Dying

Institution/Society: Center for Bioethics & Human Dignity, Conference on Bioethics & Being Human

Date of Presentation: Thursday, June 21, 2018

Title of Presentation: Stem Cell Research

Institution/Society: Congressional Briefing

Date of Presentation: July 19, 2018

Title of Presentation: Interview – Catholic hospitals' moral and ethical restrictions on certain types of reproductive health care

Institution/Society: FiveThirtyEight news outlet

Date of Presentation: July 30, 2018

Title of Presentation: Keynote Lecture: Stem Cells, Patients and Medical Responsibility
Institution/Society: 6th Annual Midwest Conference on Cell Therapy and Regenerative Medicine
Date: Saturday, September 15, 2018

Title of Presentation: Annual Ethics Seminar – Caring for Life: Beginning and End of Life Issues
Institution/Society: St. John’s Medical Center, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Date: October 8, 2018

Title of Presentation: Ethics
Institution/society: McCourt School of Georgetown University
Date of Presentation: November 8, 2018

Title of Presentation: AMA Testimony re PAS
Institution/Society: American Medical Association
Date of Presentation November 11, 2018

Presentations 2019

Title of Presentation: Reflections of a Christian Scholar
Institution/society: Georgetown University campus in Doha, Qatar, Conference on Muslim and Christian Perspectives on Palliative Care and End of Life
Date of Presentation: January 22-23, 2019

Title of Presentation: Testimony Maryland Legislature on PAS
Institution/Society: Maryland State Legislature
Date of Presentation: February 15, 2019

Title of Presentation: Affirming Ethical Options for the Terminally Ill
Institution/Society: Heritage Foundation, Washington, DC
Date of Presentation: March 11, 2019

Presentations 2020

Title of Presentation: DNR Orders and Reallocation of Ventilators
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: April 16, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: April 23, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: April 30, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19

Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: April 30, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: May 7, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: May 14, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: May 21, 2020

Title of Presentation: Personal Contact Tracing of COVID Patients
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: May 28, 2020

Title of Presentation: Catholic Ethics and the Challenge of COVID-19
Institution/Society: CHA Webinar
Date of Presentation: June 11, 2020 with Myles Sheehan,SJ,MD

Title of Presentation: Can we justify FH genetic testing prior to the age of consent?
Institution/Society: NLA
Date of Presentation: December 10,2020

PUBLICATIONS:

1. Donovan, GK. "Ethical Decision-Making in the Elderly," Chapter in Reichel's *Care of the Elderly*, 7th Edition, 2014, Cambridge University Press, ed. Jan Busy-Whitehead et al. 2016.
2. Donovan, GK. "Nutrition and Hydration in Children," in *Italian Encyclopedia of Bioethics*, edited by Fr. Giovanni Russo, 2018
3. Donovan, GK and Harvey, JC. "Geriatric Bioethics," in *Italian Encyclopedia of Bioethics*, edited by Fr. Giovanni Russo, 2018
4. Donovan, GK. "Ebola, Epidemics, and Ethics – What we have learned." *Philosophy, Ethics, Humanities and Medicine*. (on-line journal) September 2014m 9:15
DOI: 10.1186/1747-5341-9-15
URL: <http://www.peh-ed.com/content/9/1/15>.
5. Donovan, GK. Editorial: "Doctors, Documentation, and the Professional Obligation: Has everything changed?" *The Linacre Quarterly*, Volume 82, Number 3, August 2015.
6. Donovan, GK. "Death with Dignity Legislation: Disgraceful for DC," *The HOYA*, Georgetown University, 2017 Published on-line December 7, 2016.
7. Conley, WK. McAdams, DC. Donovan, GK. FitzGerald, KT. "Beneficence *in Utero*. A Framework for Restricted Prenatal Whole-Genome Sequencing to Respect and Enhance the Well-Being of Children," *American Journal of Bioethics (AJOB)*, Issue 1, 2017.
8. Donovan, GK. "Physician-Assisted Suicide and the Medical Profession." October 26, 2015. <https://blogs.commonsgeorgetown.edu/pccb/2015/10/>
9. Donovan, GK. "PAS: Unwise, Uncontrollable, and Unnecessary." February 23, 2016. <https://blogs.commonsgeorgetown.edu/pccb/pas-unwise-uncontrollable-and-unnecessary/>
10. Donovan, GK. "The Catholic Moral Tradition on Pain and Symptom Management." In *Palliative Care and Catholic Health Care—Two Millennia of Caring for the Whole Person*, edited by Peter Cataldo, 2018.
11. Donovan, GK. "PAS: How Should Catholic Healthcare Respond?" *Healthcare Ethics USA*, Spring 2017.

12. Donovan, GK. Book Review: Manuel of Catholic Medical Ethics. Editor, Willem Cardinal Ejk MD, PhD, STL, LM Hendriks, STD, JR Raymakers MD, PhD. Connor Court Publishing. ISBN 978-1-925138-16-). Linacre Quarterly 2017)
13. McAdams, DC, Conley, WK, FitzGerald KT, Donovan GK. “How We Should Conceive of Creation: Natural Birth as an Ethical guidepost for Neonatal Rescue.” *The American Journal of Bioethics*. Vol. 17, Issue 8, 2017.
14. McAdams, DC, Conley, WK, Donovan, GK. “Cogitas Ergo Es? Metaphysical Humility in Disorders of Consciousness, *The American Journal of Bioethics*. July-September, Vol. 8, No. 3, 2017.
15. Donovan, GK, FitzGerald, KT, Sulmasy, DP. “The Role of Opportunistic Salpingectomy in Risk Reduction for Ovarian Cancer,” The Catholic Health Association, 2018
16. Laidlaw, M, Cretella, M, Donovan, GK. “The Right to Best Care for Children Does Not Include the Right to Medical Transition,” *The American Journal of Bioethics*. February Vol. 19, Number 2, 2019.
17. Nicolini, ME, Peteet, JR, Donovan GK, Kim, SYK. “Euthanasia and assisted suicide of persons with psychiatric disorders: the challenge of personality disorders,” *Psychological Medicine*, Cambridge.org/psm, 04 Mar 2019 at 16:03:17.
18. Donovan, GK. “Reflections by a Christian Scholar.” (IN PRESS – proceedings of the Conference at GU campus in Doha, Qatar – Muslim and Christian Scholars on Palliative Care and End of Life January 2019)
19. Moffit, RD, Curlin, FA, Donovan, GK and Anderdson, RT. “Affirming Ethical Options for the Terminally Ill.” The Heritage Foundation, Delivered March 11, 2019. Published in LECTURE, The Heritage Foundation, No. 309, May 17, 2019.
20. Donovan, GK. “The deadly advocacy of doctor-assisted suicide.” Analysis/Opinion. The Washington Times online. Wednesday, October 10, 2018.
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22. Donovan, GK, Wilson DP. “Ethical Dilemmas in Pediatric Lipidology. *Endotext*.

Pediatrics, Chapter 28, March 2020.

23. Donovan GK, Sheehan M. “Ethical Decision-making in the Elderly,” Reichel’s Care of the Elderly, 8th Edition, Cambridge University Press (IN PRESS – 2020)
24. Donovan GK, “CPR, DNR and the Patient’s Good,” Pellegrino’s Clinical Compendium, (IN PRESS Catholic of University Press 2021)
25. Donovan, GK. “Ethical Issues in the Provision of Nutrition and Hydration,” Pellegrino’s Clinical Compendium, (IN PRESS Catholic University of America Press 2021)
26. Subramanian S, Donovan GK. “Chapter 101 Ethics in Prenatal/Neonatal Medicine,” Handbook in Neonatology (IN PRESS India 2020)

TEACHING:

Health Care Ethics Required Course for First and Second Year Medical Students
Georgetown University Medical School – Director 2012-2013, Co-Director 2014-2020

Introduction to Health Care Selective—Spring 2013
Course Title: Medical, Ethics, and Spiritual Issues in End of Life Patient Care
Co-teaching with Abigail Rian Evans, PhD, M.Div.

“Patients, Population and Policy” Course for Dept. of Family Medicine
Georgetown University Medical Center
Small group instructor Oct. 2012-February 2013

Contraception/Population and Demography Class, School of Nursing and Health Sciences (Faculty: Dr. Hazel Denton), November 8, 2013

Central Nervous System 1 Module, Georgetown School of Medicine, “Determining Brain Death”,
January 14, 2014

Profession of Medicine Course for 1st and 2nd Year Medical Students, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
2019

Mentoring Visiting Scholars in the Pellegrino Center for Clinical Bioethics 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017,
2018

Mentoring 4th Year Medical Students in the Bioethics Clerkship, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019

**(Updated MedStar Georgetown Hospital Teaching—3rd and 4th yr students, residents
and fellows -- list can be supplied upon request)**

ON GOING ACTIVITIES:

Moderator Pediatric Ethics Rounds, MedStar Georgetown University Hospital
Monthly beginning 2012 -2020

Clinical Service in Pediatric GI – procedures, attending and seeing patients beginning January 2013-2019

Ethics Consult Service provided by the Pellegrino Center for Clinical Bioethics for MedStar Georgetown University Hospital beginning September 2012-2020

MGUH Ethics Committee

Student Humanities in Medicine Interest Group, Georgetown University Med School, 2012-2013

Moral Distress Conferences for nurses in MedStar Georgetown University Hospital

End-of-Life conferences with nurses in MedStar Georgetown University Hospital

Faculty advisor to:

Medical Students for Life
Gold Humanism Honor Society
Student Catholic Medical Association

2nd Opinion Clinic for Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition, MedStar GU Hospital -2019

Transplant listing meetings

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS AND BOARDS - GUMC

ACA – Affordable Care Act review committee – for GUMC 2012-13

Member Ethics Committee for MedStar Georgetown University Hospital 2012-present

Bioethics and Christian Theology Affinity Group, GU 2012-2013

Gold Humanism Committee, GU Med School 2012-2013,2014-2020

ERD Discussions GUMC 2012-2013

On-going discussions with Allen Roberts, MD and Thomas Fishbein, MD re uterine transplantation

Search Committee for MedStar Georgetown University Hospital Chaplain 2012-2013

Georgetown School of Medicine **Committee on Students** 2013-2019

Board of Advisors for Mission and Ministry 2013 -

Subcommittee , Transplant Ethics Committee 2013

Ruesch Center for the Cure of GI Cancers, Board of Advisors 2013-2019

Committee to Develop a Curriculum in Reflection, Formation, and Leadership
2024-present

LIFE MOOC, Advisory Board 2014-present

End of Life Committee 2014 - present

Service and Social Justice Working Group GUMC 2015-

Curricular Content Committee – 2016-2018

Global Health Initiative – 2017-

Ad Hoc Committee – MedStar/PCCB re PAS – 2017

LCME 2019 Co-Chair Self Study Committee 2017-2018

SERVICE OUTSIDE OF GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY MEDICAL SCHOOL

MEDCAC – Medical Evidence Development and Advisory Committee, Center for Medicare and Medicare Services 2017

ASBH Clinical Ethics Consultation Affairs (CECA) Committee (one year term) Oct. 2017-2018

Center for Bioethics and Human Dignity Advisory Committee, , Deerfield, IL 2017-2021

MedStar system Ethics Committee 2018-2020

GUMC-MedStar Committee on Research Development 2018-

MedStar Committee Launching PGx 2018-

Uniform Law Commission: Study Committee on Disposition of Human Embryos and Gametes at Divorce, Separation and Death,– 2019 –

NIH Human Fetal Tissue Research Ethics Advisory Board 2019

SEARCH COMMITTEE, Kennedy Institute of Ethics, Director 2019-2020

OTHER ACTIVITIES/ASSIGNMENTS

Review of manuscript for the Kennedy Institute of Ethics Journal on “The Affordable Care Act and Community Benefit: A Mandate Catholic Health Care can Embrace” submitted November 13, 2012

Named Editor-in-Chief **Philosophy, Ethics and Humanities in Medicine** – web journal 2016-2018

Grant on Advanced Directives, writer with Allen Roberts, MD, Medstar Georgetown University Hospital 2013 (*not awarded*)

Participated in Meeting of Jesuit Center Leadership Feb. 24, 25, 26, 2013

Host Committee – Med Students for Life Speaking Tour 2013

Interview for Magnet Site Visit Oct. 15, 16, 17, 2013

Participate in MNE (Metabolism, Neurology, Endocrine) Middlesex discussion panel, September 30, 2013, Georgetown University Medical Center

Grant written to Scholl Foundation for \$50,000 for fellowships – 2014

Professionalism Panel at First Year Orientation GU Med School, Aug. 8, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019

AWARDS AND COMMENDATIONS:

“*G. Kevin Donovan Award in Bioethics*” –named in 2012 in recognition of Dr. Donovan’s contributions during his two decades of leadership of the Oklahoma Bioethics Center

Most-Cited Articles as of September 1, 2013 (MIND quarterly review of philosophy)
G. Kevin Donovan, “Decisions at the End of Life: Catholic Tradition”
Christian Bioethics (1997) 3 (3) 188-203 doi: 10.1093/cb/3.3.188

Best Doctors in America/Washington Post Magazine 2013

Best Doctors in America—named in 2013-2014

Nominated for:

Golden Apple Award – (teaching) Georgetown University Medical School - 2014

American’s Best Physicians, 2016

Best Doctors in America 2017-2018