

**Living With Grief: Diversity and End-Of-Life Care**  
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To receive the three contact hours of continuing education participants must attend the local panel.

There is a \$25 online processing fee per certificate, per participant, or \$35 via mail.

Hospice Foundation of America's 16<sup>th</sup> Annual *Living With Grief*<sup>®</sup> Teleconference

## *Diversity and End-of-Life Care*

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If you would like to submit questions  
to the National Panel in advance,  
you may do so via email to  
[griefquestions@hospicefoundation.org](mailto:griefquestions@hospicefoundation.org).

**Wednesday, April 29, 2009**

11:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. CST

at The Kauffman Foundation

4801 Rockhill Rd., Kansas City, MO 64110

This program is offered free of charge.

Lunch & Registration: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Teleconference: 12:30 – 3 p.m.

Local Panel: 3 - 4 p.m.

HFA's 16<sup>th</sup> Annual National Award-Winning Teleconference, "Diversity and End-of-Life Care"

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**Moderated by Frank Sesno**

*Professor of Media and Public Affairs at*

*The George Washington University and Special Correspondent with CNN*

**Panelists include:** Samira K. Beckwith, LCSW, FACHE • Sandy Chen Stokes, RN, PHN, MSN • Kenneth J. Doka, PhD, MDiv • Wanda H. Jenkins, MHS • Richard Payne, MD • Paul Rosenblatt, PhD • Carlos Sandoval-Cros, MD

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*Local panel of experts ...*

**Moderated by Harold Ivan Smith, DMin, FT**

*Author and Grief Counselor*

**Panelists include:** Gloria Thomas Anderson, LMSW • Ercilla A. Hernandez, MS, LCSW • Ron McCorkle, MA, LPC, DAPA • Robert Prue, PhD • Rabbi Jonathan Rudnick, MAJS, MAJCS, MAIA • John Frownfelter, Funeral Director of Operations

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HFA's 2009 teleconference, Diversity and End-of-Life Care, will examine how diversity influences end-of-life decision making and the impact that culture has at the time of death and during bereavement. One of the goals of the teleconference is to increase sensitivity by helping professionals acknowledge how their own cultural values and assumptions influence the delivery of care. The program will include a special examination of hospice care and diversity, including how hospices are reaching out to diverse groups and incorporating traditional practices and alternative therapies. The program will also discuss the challenges that may occur when culture considerations may cause ethical concerns or moral distress.

***Seating is limited. Please register early and call 913-544-0499 if you must cancel.***

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### ***Diversity and End-Of-Life Care***

HOSPICE FOUNDATION OF AMERICA'S 16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TELECONFERENCE

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### **Registration Deadline is April 20, 2009**

*Registrations must be received by April 20 to receive lunch*

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or register online at [www.dwnewcomers.com](http://www.dwnewcomers.com)

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I will be seeking CEUs for this program \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

