



# Medical Grand Rounds

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**The Second Century of Women at Yale:  
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**“Caring in the Time of COVID: Building Support  
for Patients, Their Families and Ourselves”**

**Date: October 8, 2020 Time: 8:30-9:30am**

**Location:** <https://zoom.us/j/94896766303?pwd=UWFrcG9GNXMvcWZ3YU4ycUc5VEVSdz09>

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### **TARGET AUDIENCE:**

**Attending physicians, house staff, fellows, medical students, PA's**

### **NEEDS ASSESSMENT:**

Palliative care teams have been an important source of support for patients and their families facing serious illness during the COVID pandemic. Clinicians need to know the distinction between palliative care and hospice care and need to understand how patients with severe illness during the acute phase of COVID or post-COVID can benefit from palliative care interventions and collaborations.

### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

1. Define palliative care, and distinguish it from hospice care
2. Describe how palliative care teams can address the sources of distress experienced by patients, families, and medical providers during a pandemic
3. Identify future interventions and collaborations to support patients and their families facing serious illness post- COVID

### **DESIGNATION STATEMENT**

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### **FACULTY DISCLOSURES:**

Course Director: Vincent Quagliarello, MD - None

Speaker: Jennifer Kapo, MD- None

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