Medical Grand Rounds

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 “Heart to Heart Conversations: Palliative Care and Heart Failure”

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**Location:** [**https://zoom.us/j/94896766303?pwd=UWFrcG9GNXMvcWZ3YU4ycUc5VEVSdz09**](https://zoom.us/j/94896766303?pwd=UWFrcG9GNXMvcWZ3YU4ycUc5VEVSdz09)

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**TARGET AUDIENCE:**

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

**NEEDS ASSESSMENT:**

Heart failure is a progressive disease with often distressing symptoms and high mortality. Clinicians need to understand the importance of palliative care in management of heart failure, and know about current initiatives and future directions for use of palliative care services in patients with heart failure.

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

1. Make a case for why palliative care is an integral component to heart failure management
2. Review ongoing initiatives that aim to increase palliative care services for patients with heart failure
3. Describe future directions for the field of palliative care and cardiology

**DESIGNATION STATEMENT**

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**FACULTY DISCLOSURES:**

Course Director: Vincent Quagliarello, MD - None

Speaker: Jadry Gruen, MD- None

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