



## OCTOBER SEMINAR NOTICE

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**Yale School of Medicine's, Department of Therapeutic Radiology**

# **“Goals of Care Communication PEARLS for the Radiation Oncologist”**

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**Date: Thursday, October 24, 2019, 9:00AM**

**Location: Smilow LL505**

**Course Director/Host: Henry S. Park, MD, MPH**

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This course will fulfill the licensure requirement set forth by the State of Connecticut

### **ACCREDITATION**

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### **TARGET AUDIENCE**

Attending Physicians; Housestaff/Fellows; Medical Students; Nurses; PA's; Other

### **NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

The majority of radiation oncologists surveyed report no formalized training in communication. No structured curriculum exists focusing on navigating serious illness conversations within radiation oncology.

### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to

1. Describe the importance of mastering effective communication to create treatment plans that align with patient/family values.

2. Apply 3 specific communication skill sets to a patient case.
3. Appreciate the value of addressing emotion.

### **DESIGNATION STATEMENT**

The Yale School of Medicine designates this live activity for 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should only claim the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### **FACULTY DISCLOSURES**

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