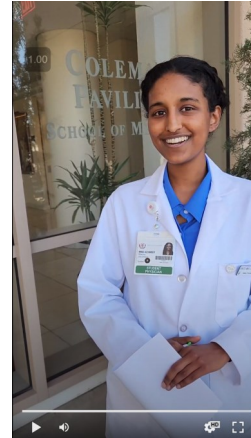


August 2023

Weekly Spiritual Care Practicums



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Each Friday afternoon during the school year, we host Spiritual Care Practicums that are open to local healthcare students. We have a didactic training session followed by patient visits at the medical center and end with a debrief time. The didactics might be done by us, attending physicians, or students who have participated in past spiritual care practicums.

Between August and May, we'll cover 6 key topics about better caring for the spiritual needs of patients. We'll offer each topic for 4 weeks. We cover things from taking a spiritual history to the ethical basis for spiritual history to praying with a patient to sharing the gospel with a patient to providing Christian resources and more.

If a student attends all 6 topics and completes the patient visits and an online review and reflection exercise, they earn a Certificate of Completion. Many students will list that on their residency applications, CV and job applications. The response they have received has been encouraging. More importantly, these weekly practicums equip them for a lifetime of integrating their Christian faith into their career and patient care.

Thank you for all you do to help make this happen. We are most grateful!

On a more personal note, Bob's 92 year old father died August 27 in Mississippi. Our family will be attending his funeral later this month. Please pray for us as we mourn his passing and tend the many details that come at this time.

Bob & Diana

Upcoming Events **JOIN US!!!**

October 6-7, 2023 Tulsa METS Whole Person Care Conference
Nov. 3-4, 2023 Chicago METS Whole Person Care Conference
Nov. 9-11, 2023 Speak at Global Missions Health Conference
Jan. 26-27, 2024 Jackson, MS Whole Person Care Conference
June 16-July 13, 2024 Whole Person Care Preceptorship



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