

## Main Conference Programme-at-a-glance



Date Friday - Saturday, 10 - 11 July 2020 &  
 Venue Sands Expo & Convention Centre  
 Address 10 Bayfront Avenue, Singapore 018956  
 Time Friday : 0830 hrs - 1700 hrs  
 Saturday : 08:00 hrs – 1800 hrs

### Main conference - Friday 10 July 2020

7:30 – 16:00	Registration				
8:45 – 9:00	Guests to be seated				
9:00 – 10:00	<b>Plenary 1</b> Welcome address Opening speech by Guest of Honour Singapore National Strategy for Palliative Care – 9 years on and what’s next? – <i>Angel Lee</i> Palliative care – from hospital to community – <i>Jo Hockley</i>				
10:00 – 10:30	Break and poster viewing				
10:30 – 12:00	<b>Plenary 2</b> The voice of the young person in paediatric palliative care – <i>Joanne Wolfe</i> Holistic care in breathlessness – the breathing, thinking, functioning model – <i>Sara Booth</i> Communication strategies in challenging clinical situations – <i>Rachelle Bernacki and Joshua Lakin</i>				
12:15 – 13:15	<b>Lunch session 1</b> <b>Oral abstracts</b>	<b>Lunch session 2</b> <b>A Global Trend of Legalising Physician-assisted suicide – Lessons from Hawaii</b> – <i>Tan Siang Yong</i>	<b>Lunch session 3</b> Details TBC	<b>Lunch session 4</b> Details TBC	<b>Lunch session 5</b> Details TBC
13:30 – 15:30	<b>Parallel session 1</b> <b>Pain management</b>  Overview of cancer pain management – TBC  Pain pathways and review of evidence for neuropathic agents – <i>Anthony Dickenson</i>  Early opioid-sparing pain interventions – TBC	<b>Parallel session 2</b> <b>Non-cancer updates</b>  Cardiology – <i>Louis Teo</i>  Respiratory – <i>Gerald Chua</i>  Gastroenterology – <i>Kalaiyarasi Kaliyaperumal</i>  Renal – <i>Jason Choo</i>	<b>Parallel session 3</b> <b>Adolescent and young adults (AYA)</b>  <i>Joanne Wolfe, Eileen Poon, Irene Teo</i>  Other speakers TBC	<b>Parallel session 4</b> <b>Association for Death Education and Counselling (ADEC) forum</b>  The imperative of death education for the promotion of public health palliative care – <i>Andy Ho</i>  Dignity and the psycho-socio-spiritual domain of holistic	<b>Parallel session 5</b> <b>Models of care – research and clinical applications</b>  I-CARE – <i>Neo Han Yee</i> SPARK – <i>Grace Yang</i> Program Impact – <i>Wu Huei Yaw</i>

	Intrathecal treatment of cancer pain – TBC			palliative and end-of-life care – <i>Elizabeth Lobb</i>  Compassion and social justice in the context of death, dying and bereavement – <i>Darcy Harris</i>  Continuing bond and meaning reconstruction through grief and loss – <i>Robert Neimeyer</i>	
15:30 – 16:00	Break and poster viewing				
16:00 – 17:30	<b>Plenary 3</b> Embracing the person in palliative care – <i>Noreen Chan</i> The soul's song – <i>Nicki Cohen</i> Loss, grief and the quest for meaning in the face of death, dying and bereavement – <i>Robert Neimeyer</i> A conversation with a caregiver – <i>Jaclyn Lee and Peh Cheng Wan</i>				
17:30 – 20:00	Networking buffet dinner				

### Main conference - Saturday 11 July 2020

7:30 – 16:00	Registration				
8:00 – 10:00	<b>Parallel session 6</b> <b>Dementia</b>  Dementia in care homes – <i>Jo Hockley</i>  Program Dignity – <i>Allyn Hum</i>  Namaste care – <i>DPH</i>  Dementia ward – <i>Assisi hospice</i>	<b>Parallel session 7</b> <b>Withdrawing ventilation in advanced ALS - Complex ethical case discussion</b>  A request for withdrawal of ventilation – <i>Jennifer Guan</i>  Perspectives from Neurologist – TBC Home ventilation nurse – TBC Medical social worker – <i>Gilbert Fan</i> Lawyer – TBC Palliative physician – <i>Neo Han Yee</i>	<b>Parallel session 8</b> <b>Paediatric palliative care</b>  Details TBC	<b>Parallel session 9</b> <b>Towards a Social Model in End-of-Life Care – How Can Social Work Offer Leadership in Health and Social Care Integration</b>  The need for social work leadership to direct health and social care integration at the end-of-life  The public-health approach to develop a social model in end of life care  The challenges and opportunities for the	<b>Parallel session 10</b> <b>Patient perspectives – research and clinical implications</b>  Details TBC

		Ethicist – <i>Tan Siang Yong</i>		profession to strengthen care integration and delivery <i>Andy Sim, Wang Yu Hsuan, Jasmine Wong, Nellie Mok</i>	
10:00 – 10:30	Break and poster viewing				
10:30 – 12:00	<b>Plenary 4</b> Medical futility – from definition to policy – <i>Tan Siang Yong</i> Empowerment, Engagement, Environment and Economic: the 4 Es in promoting palliative care – <i>Wang Ying Wei</i> Long term use of opioids in cancer and non-cancer patients – <i>Anthony Dickenson</i>				
12:15 – 13:15	<b>Lunch session 6</b> <b>Chinese Medicine in palliative care – challenges and opportunities</b> <i>Zheng Huangfang</i>	<b>Lunch session 7</b> <b>A conversation with clinician researchers</b>	<b>Lunch session 8</b> Details TBC	<b>Lunch session 9</b> Details TBC	<b>Lunch session 10</b> Details TBC
13:30 – 15:30	<b>Parallel session 11</b> <b>Burnout and resilience – research and clinical relevance</b>  Burnout and resilience in palliative care clinicians – <i>Mervyn Koh</i>  Caring for Caregivers: Reducing Burnout and Building Sustained Resilience with Mindful Compassion Art-based Therapy (MCAT) – <i>Andy Ho</i>  Therapeutic use of self and collective wisdom – <i>Lim Wen Phei</i>  Fostering team resilience – <i>Liese Groot-Alberts</i>	<b>Parallel session 12</b> <b>Immunotherapy and immunotoxicities</b>  Principles of immunotherapy in the treatment of cancer and mechanisms of immunotoxicity – <i>Amit Jain</i>  Overview and specific toxicities: rheumatology, endocrinology, pulmonology, gastroenterology, hepatology – <i>Frank Tay, Samantha Yang, Andrew Li, Juanda Leo, Mark Muthiah</i>	<b>Parallel session 13</b> <b>Palliative Care Education in Singapore – All Hands on Deck!</b>  <i>Peh Tan Ying, Ong Wah Ying, Andy Sim, Allyn Hum, Jamie Zhou, Chen Wei Ting, Celine Yong</i>	<b>Parallel session 14</b> <b>Through Music and Art Making - Bring Your Inner World into Practice</b>  Use of music and art making to get connected with the person inside one’s profession  How these insights can be integrated into daily practice as a palliative healthcare professional  <i>Tammy Lim, Calvin Pang</i>	<b>Parallel session 15</b> <b>Collaborative care models</b>  Cardiology – <i>Shirlyn Neo</i>  ICU – <i>Poi Choo Hwee</i>  Emergency Medicine – <i>Rakhee Yash Pal</i>  Renal Medicine – <i>Lee Guo Zhang</i>
15:30 – 16:00	Break and poster viewing				
16:00 – 17:30	<b>Plenary 5</b> Being human in the era of medical advances – <i>Sister Geraldine Tan</i> Advancing palliative care in the era of competing KPIs – <i>Pang Weng Sun</i>				

	<p>Fireside chat: core values, dreams and aspirations for palliative care – <i>Cynthia Goh, Amy Lim, Chee Wai Yee</i></p> <p>Closing ceremony and prize presentation</p>
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