

## ABOUT THE FACULTY

Mary Raymer, L.M.S.W., A.C.S.W., DPNAP, is a psychiatric social worker and licensed marriage and family therapist who has served the terminally ill and their families for twenty nine years. An early hospice leader, Mary presently has her own private practice where she specializes in complicated grief reactions and terminal illness. She lectures and consults nationally and internationally on end-of-life issues. Mary has published articles on a variety of topics in her field. She was the social work section leader for six years for the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization. Mary was awarded both the Lifetime Achievement Award and the Outstanding Hospice Leadership Award by the Michigan Hospice and Palliative Care Organization, a Project on Death in America Social Work Leadership Award, and the National Hospice and Palliative Care Organization's Heart of Hospice Award. Additionally, she was project leader for a \$450,000 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation State Grant, working with culturally diverse communities around end-of-life care. Mary is both co-investigator and core faculty for the Social Work End-of-Life Education Project. Most recently she was inducted into the National Academies of Practice as a Distinguished Practitioner.

Terry Altilio, L.C.S.W., is Coordinator of Social Work for the Department of Pain Medicine and Palliative Care at Beth Israel Medical Center in New York City. She is a recipient of a Social Work Leadership Award from the Open Society Institute's Project on Death in America. Terry is Secretary of the New York State Pain Initiative, on the Advisory Council of the American Alliance of Cancer Pain Initiatives and Chair of the Pain and Palliative Care Special Interest Group of the Association of Oncology Social Workers. In addition to direct work with patients and families, Terry has lectured nationally and internationally on topics such as pain management, palliative care and psychosocial issues in end-of-life care. She is a lecturer in the post-master's Palliative and End-of-Life Care Program at New York University School of Social Work and Smith College End-of-Life teaching pain and symptom management. She has co-authored publications on symptom management, psychosocial issues in end-of-life and caregiver advocacy issues. Terry is core faculty for the Social Work End-of-Life Education Project.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

Social work CE credits have been applied for with NASW, MS Chapter and NASW, LA Chapter.

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Substitutions offered in lieu of refunds.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Nancy Dunn, LMHPCO Education Director by phone at 662-934-0860 or via e-mail Nancy@LMHPCO.org

## AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

If you need special assistance or accommodations identified in the ADA, please contact LMHPCO office in advance at 888-546-1500

## COMFORT

It is recommended that participants bring a light sweater for comfort as the temperature of the room can vary.

## PHOTOGRAPHY

LMHPCO will be taking photos throughout the conference. Registration implies consent to be photographed and permission for LMHPCO to use the photos in its printed materials.



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*Presents a Two Day  
Social Work Intensive*

# Social Work End-of-Life Education Project

*Designed Especially for  
Social Workers dealing in  
end-of-life care*

**October 20-21, 2011**

Embassy Suites Hotel  
200 Township Place  
Ridgeland, MS 39157  
(601) 607-7112

**January 30-31, 2012**

Hilton Shreveport  
104 Market Street  
Shreveport, LA 71101  
(318) 698-0900  
1-800-HILTONS

## PRESENTATION OBJECTIVES

1. Ability to articulate and implement a sound contextual framework for Social Work practice
2. Ability to gain tools for effective psychosocial assessment and interventions in end-of-life care
3. Ability to define ethical dilemmas and implement Social Work models for problem solving
4. Ability to differentiate between normal and complicated grief
5. Ability to enhance leadership and advocacy skills

## LODGING

To ensure group rate when making reservations indicate you are with LMHPCO.

### Embassy Suites Hotel

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For reservations, phone 601-607-7112.

Group rate of \$119 per night which includes a hot buffet breakfast.

Group Code: HOS

**Cutoff Date:** October 5, 2011

### Hilton Shreveport

Two Ways to Make Reservations:

**1. By Phone at 1800HILTONS.** Be sure to mention the group code LMH in order to receive the discounted group rate when calling in

**2. Online at [www.shreveport.hilton.com](http://www.shreveport.hilton.com).** On the first screen, input the arrival and departure dates, then click on the GO button

Once you are taken to the second screen, this is where guests complete the reservations details (including stay information and room type preferences. After completing the Stay Information and Room Type Preferences sections, scroll down to the Special Accounts section. Guests will input the group code LMH next to the field labeled: GROUP/CONVENTION CODE. Then click on the CONTINUE button. Now guests can select the room they prefer (Double-Queen or King) at the group rate and complete their reservation.

**Cutoff Date:** Reservations must be made by January 15, 2012, in order to receive the discounted group rate.

## AGENDA

### DAY ONE

8:30 – 9:15	Introduction & Purpose of Day
9:15 – 10:15	SW Values, Mission, EOL Realities, Role of SW and Standards
10:15 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 12:45	Video Assessment & Intervention, Pain & Physical Symptoms
12:45 – 2:00	Lunch Provided
2:00 – 3:30	Psychosocial Assessment & Intervention
3:30 – 3:45	Break
3:45 – 5:00	Psychosocial Assessment & Intervention

### DAY TWO

8:30 – 9:15	Welcome
9:15 – 10:45	Homicide Video Open Discussion/Practice Points
10:45 – 11:00	Break
11:00 – 12:00	Ethical Dilemmas
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch Provided
1:15 – 2:45	Phases of Life Threatening Illness; Myths, Signs and Symptoms, Normal Grief/ Complicated Grief
2:45 – 3:00	Break
3:00 – 4:00	Complicated Grief
4:00 – 5:00	Advocacy, Self-care and Leadership

## DETACH AND RETURN WITH REGISTRATION FEE

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*Return Registration Form and Fee to:*

### LMHPCO

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New Orleans, LA 70116

Please Check Appropriate Fee Box:

LMHPCO Members \$200

Non-members \$350

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