

First Steps® ACP

Facilitator Certification

Friday, Oct 11, 2024

8:15 AM- 4:30 PM

The Center for Cancer and Blood Disorders

800 W. Magnolia Avenue, Fort Worth, TX 76104

Community Room

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Do you know your health care rights & responsibilities?

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Respecting Choices® First Steps® ACP Facilitator Certification is designed for professionals such as social workers, nurses, clergy, physicians, attorneys, and others involved in assisting patients, and residents in making future healthcare treatment decisions. Participants learn the skills needed to facilitate foundational ACP conversations and how to assist people to complete an advance directive that aligns with their goals, values and preferences.

Respecting Choices® is an internationally recognized, evidence-based model of advance care planning (ACP) that creates a healthcare culture of person-centered care—care that honors an individual's goals and values for current and future healthcare.

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To Register: Complete this registration form and mail with your check made out to Care & Prepare to:

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For questions you may call

817-247-1776

Or email us at: info@CareAndPrepare.org

Registration Fee: \$325- (\$299 early bird)

Registration Deadline: Sept 23, 2024

Pay online at: [PayPal link at end of web page](#)

Attendee Information:

Full Name (type or print)	Profession	
Employed by		
Work Address (street, mail station, city/ST/ZIP)		
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Home Phone	Email	

CEs for nurses and social workers are available for the Respecting Choices® ACP Facilitator Online Core Curriculum For modules 1 - 4, 6.25 CEs will be awarded by Respecting Choices. To receive CE certificate for Online ACP Facilitator Curriculum, nurses and social workers must complete an online evaluation upon conclusion of each module.

Please notify us if you have special dietary requirements: 817-247-1776

Pre-Course Assignment

1. Complete the Respecting Choices **First Steps® ACP Facilitator Online Core Curriculum (modules 1 – 4)**.
2. Complete “practice” Advance Directive document; submit to Instructor for review (this will be returned to participant).
3. Attempt to have an ACP conversation with a loved one or close friend. You will be asked to share what you learned from this **personal exercise**.

AGENDA

8:00 am *Continental Breakfast*

8:30 am **Welcome and Introductions - Overview of Course**

Person-Centered Conversations: Core Concepts

Skills to Promote Person-Centered Conversations

The Exploration Phase of ACP Conversations

Break

Role-Play Exercise

Lunch

Eliciting Preferences and Decisions: Goals of Care Phase

Decision-Making Framework for First Steps ACP Conversations

Role-Play Exercise

Break

Documenting Preferences and Decisions of First Steps ACP Conversations

Achieving and Maintaining First Steps ACP Facilitator Certification (Competency Role-Play)

5:00 pm *Adjourn*

To take the next step sign up for

Advanced Steps® ACP

Facilitator Certification

Friday, Dec 6, 2024

8:30 AM- 1:30 PM – Sign up soon!

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