

Announcing the Advance Care Planning Facilitator Training – Fall 2025

Virtual Four-Part Series: Consecutive Mondays – October 20, 27 November 3 and 10

Time of Each Session: **noon – 1:15pm via zoom**

These are interactive sessions and registrants are expected to attend all four sessions (zoom link and pre-session handouts will be sent to attendees each week)

Our Training Series is appropriate for Physicians, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, Physicians Assistants, Social Workers, Hospitalists, Case Managers, Chaplains, Estate and Health Care Lawyers, EMTs, EOL Doulas and other professionals. It will include a review of the statutory requirements for Advance Directives, technical and practical components, and strategies to engage in meaningful conversations. If you have questions or have experienced challenges in the following areas, please consider attending:

- Understanding Advance Directive forms and rules
- Honing skills in introducing and informing consumers and colleagues about Advance Care Planning, Medical Surrogacy, and Guardianship
- Navigating difficult conversations to understand and honor patient care wishes

Instructors: Pat O'Connor, MSN, APRN, ACHPN, Lora Gerard, MPA; Rosemary George, RN, MSN; Philip Lawson, MD

To Register Online: <https://nhha.regfox.com/advance-care-planning-facilitator-training-fall-2025>

A \$99.00 registration fee covers the CE credits, administrative costs and training session materials.

Questions? For more information, please contact Janice McDermott, Health Care Decisions Coalition Coordinator, at jmcdermott@healthynh.org.

CEU Credits

Southern New Hampshire Area Health Education Center is an approved provider with distinction of nursing continuing professional development by the Northeast Multistate Division Education Unit, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

1.25 contact hours Activity Number: 1517

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Southern NH AHEC and Foundation for Healthy Communities. The Southern NH AHEC is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Southern New Hampshire Area Health Education Center designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.25 AMA PRA category 1 Credit (s)[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

This program has been approved for 1.25 Category A Continuing Education Credits by the National Association of Social Workers, NH Chapter. CEU #4089.

For other professionals: 1.25 professional hours of continuing education.

The Foundation for Healthy Communities has served as the leading resource for advance care and end of life care planning, including POLST, for patients and their families, medical providers, hospitals, and health systems throughout the state since 1998.