Purpose:

This course is designed to help physicians gain core skills to discuss goals of care including “ask, tell, ask”; responding to emotion; and “wish” statements.

Overall Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Respond empathetically to the patient’s expression of emotion.

2. Elicit details about the patient’s values.

3. Make a recommendation about the treatment plan that best meets the patient’s values.