

Meet the Presenter



Dr. Robin Bonifas is a Professor and Chair of the Department of Social Work at Indiana State University. She has over 15 years experience working with elders and their families in both long-term care and inpatient psychiatric settings.

Her research focuses on enhancing psychosocial care for persons with chronic illness and disability, especially those with comorbid mental health conditions and those requiring long-term care, and on evaluating curricular interventions designed to prepare social work students for effective practice with older adults. Her current projects examine elder social justice issues such as resident-to-resident aggression in nursing homes, bullying among older adults, and other challenges to social relationships in senior care organizations. In addition, she is examining the impact of interprofessional education on students' competencies for collaborative healthcare practice. Dr. Bonifas is the author of *Bullying Among Older Adults: How to Recognize and Address an Unseen Epidemic* available through Health Professions Press. She is a John A. Hartford Faculty Scholar in Geriatric Social Work and earned her doctorate from the University of Washington in Seattle in 2007. She is a consulting editor for *Health and Social Work* and the *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, serves as the co-chair of the Gero-Ed Track for the Council of Social Work Education, and was selected as *Transformational Educator of the Year* by the Arizona chapter of the National Association of Social Workers in 2018.



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PRESENTS

**“Palliative Care”
Online Training
with**

**Dr. Robin Bonifas, PhD,
MSW, LICSW**

Friday, August 21st, 2020

8:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

**A Zoom link will be sent after
registration for the training.**

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

TRAINING OBJECTIVES:

1. Discuss the psychosocial needs of palliative care patients and families.
2. Describe the role of helping professionals in enhancing palliative care.
3. Describe the range of helping professional practice skills necessary for effective palliative care practice.
4. Demonstrate skills for having difficult conversations with patients and families in a palliative care context.
5. Apply knowledge from the above objectives to current palliative care issues related to COVID-19.

SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m., Online
Check-in, Registration

8:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m., Training

CONTINUING EDUCATION

The following are required for those seeking CE credit for the conference: online attendance (i.e., visible via camera view) for the entire session, 70% or higher score on a short post-conference quiz, and completion of a post-conference evaluation form.

Please check in at least 5 minutes prior to the 8:30 start time. The post-conference quiz and evaluation form will be sent via email at the end of the conference. CEUs will be sent via email after receipt of the quiz responses (with 70% or higher score) and the completed evaluation form.

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▷ Psychologists

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IMPORTANT NOTES

This session is intended for all levels of helping professionals and students.

REGISTRATION

- Attendee \$82.00
- Non-ISU Student with ID\$15.00
- Past ISU Social Work Field
Instructor \$15.00
- ISU Employee \$15.00
- Current ISU Dept. of Social
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- ISU Student with ID Free
- Hamilton Center Employee...Free

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