



**The Nurse Oncology Education Program &  
Palliative Medicine Consulting Services  
Present**



**Managing Advanced Illness through Palliative Care**

Speaker: Alexander Peralta, Jr., M.D., DABHPM

**Saturday May 8, 2010  
8:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Isla Grand Beach Resort  
500 Padre Boulevard  
South Padre Island, Texas 78597**

**A symposium created to further educate physicians, nurses and other medical professionals in palliative medicine for advancing illnesses.**

We are honored to announce **Dr. Alexander Peralta, Jr., RPh, MD, DABHPM**, speaker, author, consultant and pain and palliative medicine specialist, as our guest speaker. Dr. Peralta has presented at international, national, state and local symposia on topics related to medical ethics, hospice and palliative care services, regulatory and compliance issues, institutional diversity, cultural competency, pain and symptom management with expertise in signs and symptoms at the end of life. He is a member of the National Hospice and Palliative Home Care Speaker's Bureau (NHPHC.org).

**Mark your calendars to attend the first symposium Managing Advanced Illness through Palliative Care sponsored by CIMA Hospice at Isla Grand Beach Resort in South Padre Island, TX.**

**Don't miss this unique opportunity to receive continued education, network with fellow professionals and enjoy a great beach getaway.**

**Registration forms available thru CIMA Hospice.**

**Companies interested in exhibiting, please contact CIMA Hospice (956) 631-4354.**

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CME with Ethics designation for physicians and CEU's for Social Workers have been applied for and are pending.



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Sponsored by CIMA Hospice

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## SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 8



8:00 am - 8:30 am	Registration / Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - 9:30 am	Caring for Patients with Advanced Serious Illnesses
9:30 am - 11:00 am	Pain Management in Palliative Medicine
11:00 am - 11:15 am	Morning Break
11:15 am - 12:15 pm	Non-pain Symptom Management in Palliative Medicine
12:15 pm - 12:45 pm	Lunch (provided)
12:45 pm - 1:45 pm	Homostenosis: Signs and Symptoms at the End-of-Life
1:45 pm - 3:15 pm	Principles of Palliative Medicine: Cardiac, Pulmonary and Dementia
3:15 pm - 3:30 pm	Afternoon Break
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Medical Ethics and the Law
4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Evaluations and Adjournment



## CONTACT HOURS

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## ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM (Symposium materials, lunch, refreshments and breaks included.)

Profession	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> MD	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> PAC / APN / RN / LVN (circle one)	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Worker	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Late registration fee (after April 16 <sup>th</sup> )	\$30
<b>TOTAL</b> _____	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/ST/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Registration confirmations sent via e-mail.

NOTE: Payment in full must be received in order to confirm registration. No refunds will be issued for cancellations or no-shows. You may, however, substitute a colleague without penalty. Limited seating, so don't delay registration!

## Method of Payment

- Check is enclosed, made payable to CIMA Hospice; Attn: Symposium; 5003 N. McColl Rd., McAllen, TX 78504
- MasterCard  Visa  American Express

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