UNDERSTANDING THE NEEDS OF THE DYING 2010
Presented by David Kessler
Saturday, September 18, 2010 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.
Presbyterian Village North, 8600 Skyline Drive, Dallas, TX 75243

David Kessler is one of the most well-known experts on grief and loss today, reaching hundreds of thousands of people through his books, “On Grief and Grieving,” co-authored with the legendary Elisabeth Kübler-Ross. They also co-authored “Life Lessons: Two Experts on Death and Dying Teach us about the Mysteries of Life and Living.”

Topics for Inclusion:
• Grief and Grieving
• Compassion Fatigue: Prevention, Power & Passion
• The Needs of the Dying

Objectives for the Day
1. Recognise anticipatory grief
2. Identify the stages of grief
3. Discuss how society impacts loss
4. Discuss making a difference without it taking a toll
5. Share keys to recognize compassion fatigue
6. Identify tools used by rescue personnel that can help you in your daily work
7. Review ways to teach your family how to support you in your work
8. Identify the common needs of the dying
9. Describe ways to discuss end of life issues while allowing for miracles and hope
10. Explain the differences and similarities in different end-of-life care settings
11. Identify tools to help the dying patient’s children
12. Share tools to address assisted suicide

Who Should Attend:
Physicians, Nurses, Social Workers, Caregivers, Nursing Facility Administrators, LTC Professionals, Pastors, Counselors

Program Schedule:
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Registration & Refreshments
8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Conference
Full conference schedule at www.TexasHealth.org/CME
Lunch Provided

Advanced registration is encouraged.
To receive registration discount, you must register no later than Friday, September 10. Make checks payable to Texas Health Research & Education Institute.

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