

## Tennessee End of Life Partnership (TELP) Spring Conference 2024

# Seeking “The Right” in the Middle of all “The Gray”

**Tennessee End of Life Partnership** promotes high-quality, compassionate care for all who are seriously ill or nearing the end of life. Our goal is to transform healthcare so that medical care is aligned with individual patient preferences—that people get the care they need and no less, and the care they want and no more.

### Agenda

**8:30 Alice Tremaine, Mike Muscarella:**

“If You Build It, They Will Come,  
Engaging Providers for the Journey”

**10:00 Jill Steinberg, Audrey Gulledge:**

“The Legal Scope of Advance  
Directives and Implication for End-of-Life  
Care Planning.”

**11:15 Theresa Law:**

“End of Life Doulas: Advocates in  
Life’s Journey”

### Registration

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“Making sure you can  
provide the care your  
patients need and want.”

**Tuesday May. 21st, 2024**

**8:30am – 1pm (CST)**

**Via ZOOM**

**4 NAB CE Units**





### **Conference Goals:**

- Identify the providers role in promoting the process of person-centered decision making.
- Outline strategies, especially educations, to engage providers and clinicians in ACP.
- Define Health care agent and general POA and how the authority conferred by each differs.
- Explore how legal landscapes in TN impact admissions process and administration of nursing care.
- Discover how early conversation about death can empower clients, families and communities and assist in eliminating fear.

**For more information about END-OF-LIFE care visit:**  
[endoflifecaretn.org](http://endoflifecaretn.org)

### **Alice Tremaine,**

Ms. Tremaine is the Advanced Care Planning Coordinator for Baptist Health Systems, KY. She provides leadership for program development and implementation of ACP across Baptist Health Systems. Ms. Tremaine earned her Master of Divinity from Mercer University and Master of Studies in Law (Health Law and Policy) from Wake Forest University.

### **Michael Muscarella,**

Mr. Muscarella is the Executive Director, Ambulatory Services at Baptist Health, Paducah, where he has worked for over 32 years and is responsible for the hospital's Community Health Needs Assessment. He earned a Doctor of Physical Therapy degree from the University of Kentucky and a BS in Physical Therapy from Old Dominion University. Mike has been the chair of the Healthy Paducah coalition since 2015 and is also an Organizational Faculty for Advance Care Planning for the west region.

### **Aubrey Gullledge,**

Ms. Gullledge is an associate in the Memphis office of Baker Donelson Bearman Caldwell and Berkowitz. Her practice concentrates on litigation with a focus on medical malpractice defense, nursing home liability defense, and defense of personal injury claims.

Aubrey received her Juris Doctor from Belmont college of Law with a certificate in Health Law

### **Jill Steinberg,**

Ms. Steinberg is an attorney with Baker Donelson Bearman Caldwell and Berkowitz. Jill concentrates her practice in litigation with significant experience in medical malpractice, nursing home liability, premises liability, auto liability, toxic tort, and professional liability. Ms. Steinberg received her Juris Doctor from the University of Tennessee and has since tried more than 30 jury trials, appeared before the TN Court of Appeals, TN Supreme Court, and Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

### **Theresa Law,**

Ms. Law is a Life Journey Advisor working in and around the Nashville area. Theresa received her certification as a Life Doula from Conscious Dying Institute, Boulder, Colorado. She has worked in healthcare in administration and management for over 25 years. Additionally, she has worked in public relations to raise awareness and education concerning special needs trust, creating positive relationships related to federal guidelines and resource benefits.