

10:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Concurrent Session 1M

Cultivating Creativity and Comfort at End of Life

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This series of case studies will focus on the therapeutic process in legacy building through various modalities in Creative Arts and interdisciplinary supportive programs for a child in Palliative Care. The presenters will exemplify the creative process included in personalized legacy building. This presentation will provide an inside look at how the child and family's direct participation in these experiences not only provide them with an enhanced sense of purpose but also most importantly ensure that this creative process is authentic in capturing the essence of who they truly are.