

2:15 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Concurrent Session 3G

Lasting Memories Legacy Building Through Music, Art, and Play

* This session is approved for 1.5 SW CE hours

In-Person Only

Description:

Legacy is most notably something that is passed onto others, whether it's wisdom or a favored album collection. It can take on many forms. With the assistance of a healthcare and/or psychosocial professional, legacy building provides patients and families the opportunity to produce a creative piece that can be cherished long after a patient has died. This presentation will explore legacy building across the lifespan through three different case studies.

Objectives:

Participants will

- Gain a better understanding of legacy building and its impact on patients and families
- Identify various legacy building interventions and their considerations
- Feel comfortable assessing the need for and introducing interventions
- Feel empowered to incorporate the legacy building interventions discussed in their own practice

Bios:

Chris Bobbins, MA, MT-BC, LCAT

Chris is a board certified music therapist and licensed creative arts therapist. He has been working for MJHS since 2019, providing music therapy for patients on hospice and their families.

Jennifer Reeves, MS, CCLS

Jennifer is currently a Certified Child Life Specialist with MJHS Hospice and Palliative Care where she provides child life services to pediatric hospice patients and their families. For the past ten years, she has helped children and families cope with the stress and uncertainty that often accompanies healthcare experiences.