

Maine Medical Association

Online CME Member Discount Program

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Background

Members of the Maine Medical Associate are eligible to receive a 25% discount on all online CME courses offered by the Massachusetts Medical Society. The following tutorial includes a step-by-step guide for MMA members who would like to participate in this program.

Important Information

- The MMA discount educational voucher code is **MMACME11**.
- If you have any questions about the registration or login process, please contact the MMS Continuing Education Department at (800) 322-2303, ext 7306 or continuingeducation@mms.org.

MMS Online CME Tutorial Guide

1. Go to www.massmed.org/cme
2. Select a course of interest from the *Browse by CME Topic Area* or course catalog (View all Courses in the Tools and Resources box)

The screenshot displays the homepage of the Massachusetts Medical Society's Online Continuing Education portal. At the top, the MMS logo and tagline "Every physician matters, each patient counts." are visible. A navigation menu includes links for Home, MMS Advocacy, News & Publications, Continuing Education & Events, Governance & Leadership, Physicians, Medical Students, Patients, and About MMS. The main content area features a banner for "MMS Online CME Better Care. Better Outcomes" and a "Featured Course" section with two articles: "The Importance of Discussing End-of-Life Care with Patients" and "Managing Risk When Prescribing Narcotic Painkillers for Patients". Below this, there are sections for "Browse by CME Topic Area" with sub-sections for "Communication", "Legal Risk Management", and "Medical Ethics". On the right side, a "Tools and Resources" box is highlighted with a red circle, containing a "View all Courses" link and a "My CME Credits" link. Below this box, there is a "Browse by Media Format" section with options for Case Study, Podcast, Slides, Slide-Audio Lecture, and Text & Graphics.

- All course content/materials are accessible for free and do not require login. However, login and purchase is required to complete CME exams for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™* and to receive your certificate.
- After reading the course materials click on the **CME Exam** link in the **Course Sections** box.

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The Importance of Discussing End-of-Life Care with Patients

By Jane Pribek

Introduction

A few years ago, Dr. Prescott Lee, a geriatric medicine specialist in Peabody, discussed end-of-life care with a married couple in their late eighties who were both patients. They were 'hearty octogenarians,' and because they were so robust, it took him a while to get around to discussing it. But he did. Surprisingly, he learned they'd never talked to a doctor about it previously. They later created advance directives, including Do Not Resuscitate orders. Not long after that, the husband was diagnosed with aggressive cancer. He opted for hospice care and died peacefully. While the wife is still grieving the

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- The first time you take an exam on the MMS website, you will be required to establish an account. This is needed to complete the purchase and CME certificate process.

Click on the **Register** button.

*Note: If you have already registered, click on the **Login** button and go to **Step 8**.*

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Log in to Your Account

User Name:

Password:

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[Forgot your username/password?](#)

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Need an Account?

You must have an account to join the MMS, register for events and take online CME exams.

If you're an MMS Member, **you already have an account.** [Click here for your login information >>](#)

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3. Hecht, Maude B., RN, MedicineNet.com, Advance Medical Directives (Living Will, Power of Attorney, and Health Care Proxy)

6. Complete the **Create an Account** 3-step process to complete registration.

Create an Account | Step 1 of 3

Complete the information below. Fields marked with an * are required.

Contact Information

Prefix

First Name * Middle Initial

Last Name * Suffix

Title

Functional Role *

Designation (M.D., D.O.)

E-mail Address *

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Complete the information below to give us your preferred address.

Address Information

Preferred Address Main Office Home Address

Company/Organization

Address 1 *

Address 2

City *

State or Province * ZIP/Postal Code
State is not applicable if outside the U.S./Canada

Country

Telephone *

Fax

* Required

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Specialty

Primary Specialty

Secondary Specialty

- Please complete this page to finish creating your account
- You will receive an email message with your account information and instructions about your account password.
- For your convenience please remember to login to your account each time you visit the MMS Web site.

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7. Click **OK**.

✔ Good job! You've just created a free login for the MMS website. Your username is your email address. An email has been sent to you to create your password.

- To take a CME exams or register for events, click "OK"
- To join the MMS, you must click "OK" to complete your application.

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8. You will receive an email with a link to **Set your password**.

Note: Your email is your username.

Create New User

Thank you for creating your Massachusetts Medical Society website profile. You're almost done! Our system has assigned you the following login:
 Username: bellonfb@yahoo.com
 Please set your password by clicking on the link below.
[Set your password](#)

For questions, contact the MMS at 800-322-2303 x7311 or email info@massmed.org
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9. Choose Yes on the Security Warning box. All transactions on the MMS site are secure.

Security Warning ✕

The current webpage is trying to open a site in your Trusted sites list. Do you want to allow this?

Current site: <https://www.massmed.org>
 Trusted site: <http://www.massmed.org>

Warning: allowing this can expose your computer to security risks. If you don't trust the current webpage, choose No.

10. Click the **Add to Shopping Cart** button.

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Please purchase this exam before continuing.

Course Name	No. Credits	Price
Discussing End-of-Life Care With Patients	1.00	\$20.00

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11. Click on the **Enter educational voucher** button.

Shopping cart | Review your order

- Please review your purchase items below. If you remove an item and update your order, your total will also be updated.
- Please note: Membership in a chapter/district medical society is required (the Hampden district medical society bills separately).
- Educational or MMS vouchers can be applied to any educational program.

Shopping Cart

Bill To Address Ship To Address

XYZ Medical Associates
Kathy Test, MD
860 Winter Street
Waltham, MA - 02451

Remove	Item #	Type	Description	Qty	Unit Price	Ext. Price
<input type="checkbox"/>	MMLR-EOL/010	MEETING	Discussing End-of-Life Care With Patients	1	\$20.00	\$20.00

Subtotal: \$20.00
Shipping: \$0.00
Total before tax: \$20.00
Estimated tax: \$0.00
Order Total: \$20.00

Clear cart Update cart **Enter educational voucher** Proceed to checkout

My Membership Information

My Account Shortcuts: Update Contact Info, Update Email Pref., Benefit Info, Renew Date
CME Credits: My CME Completed: 0, Upcoming: 0
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September 20 The EMR's Impact on the Patient-Caregiver Relationship (2.00 CME Credit)

12. Enter the Promotion Code **MMACME11** and click on the **Process** button...

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13. Click on **Proceed to checkout**. (Please note, by previously inserting the promotional code, the course exam fee has been reduced by 25%.)

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Remove	Item #	Type	Description	Qty	Unit Price	Ext. Price
<input type="checkbox"/>	MMLR-EOL/010	MEETING	Discussing End-of-Life Care With Patients	1	\$15.00	\$15.00

Subtotal: \$15.00
Shipping: \$0.00
Total before tax: \$15.00
Estimated tax: \$0.00
Order Total: \$15.00

Clear cart Update cart Enter educational voucher **Proceed to checkout**

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14. Complete the credit card information and click on **Submit Payment**.

Payment Details

Payment Method: Credit Card

Card Type *: VISA

Card Number:

Note: Do not use spaces, non-numeric characters, or dashes.

Expiration Date (Month, Year) *: 1 2011

Name on card *:

Credit Card Security Code *:

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Amount Payment: \$15.00*

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15. Click on [Click here to proceed to the exam.](#) The CME Exam will display.

Registrant Detail

Registrant ID	Registrant Name	Meeting	Date	Confirmation Number
291616	Kathy Test, MD	Discussing End-of-Life Care With Patients	05/18/2011	140823

[Click here to proceed to the exam.](#)

(2.00 CME Credit)

September 23 Women's Leadership Forum: Graceful Self-Promotion (2.00 CME Credit)

October 05 CME Accreditation Orientation (3.00 CME Credit)

October 14 Caring for the Caregivers VIII (7.25 CME Credit)

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Discussing End-of-Life Care With Patients

Please answer the following questions. A score of at least 70% is required to receive 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Deadline for completing the exam is June 7, 2012.

*1. A competent patient can revoke a health care proxy or living will

a. True

b. False

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16. Complete the CME exam and save or print a copy of your CME certificate.