# Physical Therapy and Ethics: What's It All About

### **DATE:**

Thursday, June 4, 2026

# TIME:

9:00am - 12:00pm

# LOCATION:

Webinar via Webex

# **FEES:**

Consortium Member: \$30 Non-consortium Member: \$60 **Registration Deadline:** Wednesday, June 3, 2026

# **TARGET AUDIENCE**

Physical Therapist and Physical Therapist Assistant

# CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY:

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# DESCRIPTION

This course is designed to assist the attendees in recognizing ethical issues in practice and how to address those issues.

# **OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of this program, the participant should be able to:

- 1. Identify the four caring ethical principles.
- Recognize potential ethical issues that may arise during patient care.
- 3. Apply the principles learned to specific patient scenarios.

# INSTRUCTOR WILMA RICE, MSN, RN

Wilma possesses a master's degree in nursing, with a specialty in education. She has been a Certified Emergency Nurse since 1988, and formed her own business. Professional Medical Trainers, LLC, in 2012. She retired from Roper St. Francis Healthcare in March 2023 after more than 40 years. She worked in the Emergency Department for 28 years, serving in various roles, including charge nurse, triage nurse, manager, and Emergency Services Educator before transitioning to Professional Development as an Education Specialist in 2007. Ms. Rice has received honors and awards, including induction into Sigma Theta Tau in 2006 and the 2014 SC AHEC Educator of the Year. In 2020, she was awarded the Palmetto Gold Nursing Award. She has been involved with the South Carolina Coalition for the Care of the Seriously III (SC CSI) since 2011 and currently serves as Chairperson of the Education Committee and Senior Educator. In this role, Ms. Rice works with several state initiatives surrounding advance care planning, including chairing the workgroup that was instrumental in the passage of the 2019 Physician Orders for Scope of Treatment law. Though she is retired, Wilma remains active in nursing education and issues.

# **CREDIT**

**AHEC:** This program is approved for 0.3 CEU's (3.0 clock hours) by Pee Dee AHEC and meets SC AHEC Best Practice standards. Participants must attend 90% of the program and complete an evaluation in order to receive a certificate of attendance. No partial credit will be given.

**Physical Therapists:** This program has been approved for 3.00 contact hours of continuing education by South Carolina AHEC under its accreditation by the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation Board of Examiners for Physical Therapy. Approved Number: CEUL167217 for 0.30 credits from 6/1/2026-5/31/2027.



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