

American Society of Law & Medicine

THE SOCIETY

The American Society of Law & Medicine is a national organization dedicated to continuing medicolegal education. The membership services of the Society provide attorneys, physicians, nurses, hospital administrators, allied health professionals, and students with a variety of opportunities to keep abreast of new developments in law, medicine, health care and bioethics.

PUBLICATIONS

Membership in the American Society of Law & Medicine includes annual subscriptions to two publications: LAW, MEDICINE & HEALTH CARE and the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE.

LAW, MEDICINE & HEALTH CARE, a quarterly publication, is read by over 6,500 doctors, lawyers and health care administrators. It provides well-written and often controversial articles on such timely medicolegal issues as surrogate motherhood, AIDS and euthanasia. Each issue also features review essays on significant recent publications, cases and policy decisions.

The AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE is a law review co-published quarterly with the Boston University School of Law. The Journal was founded to fulfill the need for a scholarly journal dedicated to improving communication among legal and medical professionals. Each issue contains scholarly articles written by national authorities, book reviews, annotations of recent health care-related court decisions and legislative enactments.

In conjunction with Health Administration Press, the Society has published a number of texts. Each volume includes edited, supplemented and footnoted versions of papers presented to the conference the book was based upon, as well as seminal articles on the topic.

Defining Human Life: Medical, Legal and Ethical Implications

Refusing Treatment in Mental Health Institutions: Values in Conflict

Legal and Ethical Aspects of Treating Critically and Terminally Ill Patients

Health Care Labor Law

Institutional Ethics Committees and Healthcare Decisionmaking

Legal and Ethical Aspects of Health Care For the Elderly

Human Organ Transplantation: Societal, Medical-Legal, Regulatory, and Reimbursement Issues

CONFERENCES

A principal activity of the Society is the sponsorship of continuing education conferences in major cities across the country. Society members receive advance notice of all conferences and are provided with the opportunity to register at reduced rates. Students are also encouraged to attend and are given further price reductions.

Past conference topics have included workers' compensation, mental health law, AIDS and genetics and the law. Each conference includes how-to workshops, panel debates, roundtable discussions and general sessions. Society conferences are accredited for continuing education credit by medical, nursing, legal and administrative associations.



OTHER SERVICES

The *Sagall Library of Law, Medicine & Health Care* is located at the Society's national headquarters in the Boston University School of Law. The Library contains the most comprehensive collection of medicolegal reference texts available nationwide. The extensive collection includes texts, periodicals, judicial opinions, pamphlets and reprints. On-site materials are supplemented by the Boston University School of Law Library.

The *Speakers' Bureau* provides a means by which authorities in the health care delivery system may be contacted by organizations seeking qualified speakers. Society members interested in speaking on specific issues are encouraged to provide bibliographic information which is kept on file and distributed to organizations interested in speakers.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Membership in the Society guarantees you:

- Annual subscriptions to the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LAW & MEDICINE and LAW, MEDICINE & HEALTH CARE and the ASLM Newsletter, *ASLM Briefings*
- Significantly reduced registration fees at all Society-sponsored conferences and symposia
- Access to the Sagall Library of Law, Medicine & Health Care
- 10% discount on all Society-published texts
- Continuing education credit for attending Society conferences and symposia
- Participation in the ASLM Speakers' Bureau
- Advance notice of ASLM conferences
- Tax-deductible membership fee
- Membership certificate suitable for framing

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