



BEHAVIOURAL SUPPORT ROUNDS

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PRESENTATION TITLE:

Ethical Considerations Related to Sexual Expression and Older Adults

PRESENTERS:

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

By the end of the presentation, participants will be able to:

- Identify ethical dilemmas regarding older adults and sexual expression
- Appreciate individual values and beliefs which may contribute to ethical dilemmas
- Implement strategies to help manage relevant ethical dilemmas in their work

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

- Register in advance here. After registering, you will receive information about joining the webinar
- If you have any questions about these rounds or wish to be included on the distribution list, please contact Tania Aragona at OntarioCLRI@baycrest.org
- If you have Zoom Webinar questions, please contact Agnes Cheng Tsallis at achengtsallis@baycrest.org

HOW TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE:

After having attended, complete the evaluation survey and enter an email address to request your certificate.

These sessions are open to all healthcare professionals and students to provide a learning forum to review leading practices in assessing and managing personal expressions, as demonstrated by individuals who live with dementia.

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