**Advance Care Planning for Faith Leaders: The Basics**

*Purpose:*

This workshop is designed to provide clergy and other faith leaders, lay ministers, support staff, and volunteers with additional information to complement the CCCC “Partners in Caring” seminar. Specifically, it aims to increase familiarity and comfort with Advance Care Planning, with a focus on values-based decision making and the important role faith leaders play in the planning process.

*Goal:*

To provide faith leaders with a framework for having values-based conversations that will assist those they serve in completing advance directives.

*Learning Objectives:*

Participants will be able to:

* Describe the main elements of advance care planning
* Describe the role of values-based decision making in advance care planning
* Demonstrate beginning skills in facilitating values-based advance care planning conversations
* Identify 2-3 ways faith leaders can promote advance care planning in their faith communities

*Resources:*

1. Sample agenda
2. Sample PowerPoint slide presentation
3. Evaluation form
4. Handouts:
	1. Interest inventory worksheet
	2. Advance Care Planning Online Resource List
	3. Advance Care Planning FAQ from CCCC
	4. The Conversation Project starter kit- English
	5. The Conversation Project starter kit- Spanish
	6. CCCC “Decisions” bulletin sample
	7. Sample Advance Directive and POLST forms
	8. “Go Wish” card game instruction sheet
	9. “The spiritual dimension of facilitating advance directives planning” article