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**Mark Aulisio, Ph.D.**, is Associate Professor of Bioethics in the Department of Bioethics at Case where he serves as Director of Clinical Programs and of the Master of Arts Program in Bioethics. He is also Director of the Center for Biomedical Ethics at MetroHealth Medical Center where he chairs the medical ethics committee, does ethics consultation, offers regular ethics education for health professionals and students, and is a member of both the Institutional Review and Privacy boards. Having served as executive director of the national task force that issued the American Society of Bioethics and Humanities (ASBH) report Core Competencies for Health Care Ethics Consultation (ASBH, 1998) and as co-chair of the ASBH Clinical Ethics Task Force (funded by The Greenwall Foundation) that developed Improving Competence in Ethics Consultation: An Education Guide (forthcoming, 2009), Dr. Aulisio heads up a newly developed research ethics and genetics consultation funded by the National Human Genome Research Institute through its Center for Genetics Research Ethics and Law at CWRU. Dr. Aulisio also has international experience in clinical ethics and ethics consultation, most notably through serving as project director and principal investigator on two projects, funded by The Center for Global Partnership of the Japan Foundation, aimed at promoting intercultural dialogue on clinical ethics

between Japan and the U.S. In addition, he has authored numerous articles on clinical ethics, ethics consultation, double effect and related areas; served as Associate Editor and contributor to the *Encyclopedia of Bioethics* (Macmillan Reference U.S.A. 2004), lead editor and contributor to the volume *Ethics Consultation: From Theory to Practice* (The Johns Hopkins University Press, 2003), and editorial board member or reviewer for over twenty peer-review journals.

**Jeffrey T. Berger, M.D.**, is an Associate Professor of Medicine at SUNY-Stony Brook School of Medicine and a senior fellow in its Center for Medical Humanities, Compassionate Care, and Bioethics. He is a faculty physician at Winthrop University Hospital where he serves as Director of Clinical Ethics Chief of the Section of Hospice and Palliative Medicine, bioethics committee chairman, and director of its bioethics consultation service. Dr. Berger had been a member of the Society for Bioethics Consultation until its merger into ASBH and has been a member of ASBH since its inception. Dr. Berger recently served on the ASBH Task Force for Bioethics Consultation and is a co-author of the forthcoming *Improving Competence in Ethics Consultation: A Learner's Guide*. He has also served as an abstract reviewer for several ASBH annual meetings. He currently is a member of the editorial board of *The Journal of Clinical Ethics*, and has published widely in such journals as *the Annals of Internal Medicine*, *the Journal of Clinical Ethics*, and *the Archives of Internal Medicine*. His particular interests are in surrogate decision making, multi-cultural bioethics, ethics of non-capacitated research, and end-of-life ethics.

**Nancy Berlinger, PhD, M.Div.** is Deputy Director and Research Scholar at The Hastings Center. Her research interests focus on health care ethics and include end of life care; palliative care, ethics in health care chaplaincy; ethical issues in cancer survivorship; moral distress in health care; patient safety and the resolution of medical harm; and ethics education for pandemic planners. Broader interests include narrative ethics and medical humanities. As Deputy Director, she is responsible for strategic planning, and for management of the Center's capacity-building initiative, *Bioethics and the Public Interest*, 2007-2009. She is a graduate of Smith College and holds the Ph.D. in English Literature from the University of Glasgow and the M.Div. in Christian Ethics from Union Theological Seminary. She is a lecturer in health care ethics in the graduate Nursing Management, Policy, and Leadership program at Yale School of Nursing, and serves on the Standing Committee on Clinical Ethics Consultation Affairs of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities (ASBH); the ethics faculty of the American Society of Healthcare Risk Managers (ASHRM) of the American Hospital Association (AHA); the bioethics committee at Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, New York, and the editorial board of *Medical Ethics Advisor*, among other appointments. She is a frequent presenter at grand rounds and other ethics education programs for health care professionals, and volunteers on the Chaplaincy Service at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York City. She is a frequent commentator on issues in health care ethics, for national media outlets such as the *New York Times*, the *Washington Post*; and National Public Radio's "Talk of the Nation," as well as regional and local media.

**Joseph Carrese, M.D., M.P.H.**, is an Associate Professor in the Department of Medicine and the Division of General Internal Medicine at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine. Dr. Carrese is a Blaustein Scholar in the Ethics of Clinical Practice at the Johns Hopkins Berman Institute of Bioethics, and Director of the Program on Ethics in Clinical Practice at the Berman Institute. He is Chair of the Ethics Committee at the Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center, and in this role oversees an active ethics consultation service. A major scholarly focus for Dr. Carrese is teaching about, and examining through empirical research, ethical issues that are present in everyday clinical practice. He is particularly interested in ethical issues that arise in clinical practice as a result of cultural diversity, and his work in this area has been published in many prominent journals, including *JAMA*, *BMJ*, *Hastings Center Report*, and *JGIM*. Through his work directing the Program on Ethics in Clinical Practice, Dr. Carrese has been involved in developing several curricula to teach trainees at Johns Hopkins about clinical ethics. From 1996-2007 Dr. Carrese was a core faculty member of the Johns Hopkins University Faculty Development Program, which conducts two longitudinal workshops: Teaching Skills and Curriculum Development. In April 2008 Dr. Carrese was given a National Award for Scholarship in Medical Education for his body of work in clinical ethics at the annual meeting of the Society of General Internal Medicine. Dr. Carrese completed a fellowship in the Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholars Program at the University of Washington in Seattle, where he studied medical ethics and anthropology. He then joined the faculty in the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in the Division of General Internal Medicine at the Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center in 1994. He was supported by the Robert Wood Johnson Generalist Physician Faculty Scholars award from 1997-2002.

**Arthur R. Derse, MD, JD**, is Director of Medical and Legal Affairs and Interim Director of the Center for the Study of Bioethics, Director of the Medical Humanities Program, and Professor of Bioethics and Emergency Medicine at the Medical College of Wisconsin. He is past president of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, Chair of the National Ethics Committee of the Veterans Health Administration, Chair of the Ethics Committee of the American

College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP) and Senior Consultant for Academic Affairs at the American Medical Association's Institute for Ethics. He serves on the American Bar Association's Commission on Law and Aging. Dr. Derse has served as ethics committee chair at Froedtert Hospital since 1998, has served as an ethics consultant at the hospital since 1992, served as co-chair of the ethics committee of the Milwaukee VA Hospital from 1992-2008, and continues to serve on its consultation team, and has served as an ethics committee member and ethics consultation team member at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin since 1993. He is co-author of the *Code of Ethics of the American College of Emergency Physicians*, and *Practical Ethics for Students, Interns and Residents: A Short Reference Manual 3rd Edition*.

**Autumn Fiester, Ph.D.**, is a Senior Fellow at the Center for Bioethics and the Director of Graduate Studies in the Department of Medical Ethics at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine. She received her PhD in moral philosophy from the University of Pennsylvania and her AM in sociology from Harvard University. She is a member of the Ethics Committee at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania and one of the founding members of the UPenn Mediation Project. She has written about issues in the application of principlism in clinical ethics, the use of casuistry in moral analysis, and the role of mediation in clinical ethics consultations. Her research interests include clinical ethics, moral theory, and animals & bioethics.

**Ellen E. Fox, M.D.**, is a board certified internist, Director of the National Center for Ethics in Health Care, and Chief Ethics and Health Care Officer for the Department of Veterans Affairs of the U.S. Government. In this capacity, she is responsible for promoting ethical health care practices throughout the Veterans Health Administration – the nation's largest health care system. Dr. Fox also led the development of VHA's acclaimed Integrated Ethics initiative – an innovative, comprehensive, systems-focused model for ethics in health care organizations. Previously she served as Director of End-of-Life Care for the Institute for Ethics of the American Medical Association, and Director of the Education for Physicians on End-of-Life Care (EPEC) Project (1997-99). She also served as Director of the Program in Clinical Ethics at the University of Illinois at Chicago Medical School (1994-97) and as a core faculty member at the MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics at the University of Chicago (1992-94). Originally from Arlington, Virginia, Dr. Fox graduated summa cum laude from Yale College and earned her MD from Harvard Medical School. She received her residency training at Yale, where she also served as Chief Resident. At the University of Chicago, she completed a Fellowship in Medical Ethics.

**Colleen M. Gallagher, PhD, FACHE**, is Chief & Executive Director, Clinical Ethics Service, Section of Cancer Bioethics, MD Anderson Cancer Center. Dr. Gallagher has worked in the field of bioethics since 1992. She worked for the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland from 1992 - 2001 dealing with medical/moral concerns. She then worked for Resurrection Health Care as System Director, Clinical Ethics before going to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center. In addition to her work in the area of clinical ethics consultation, mentoring, and teaching, she has been a member of the State of Ohio Social Worker Board for several years. Her responsibilities include writing test questions for the national exam, reviewing applications for licensure, investigating grievances, and reviewing continuing education offerings to determine if they met the standards of the board. She has also chaired a committee to develop national guidelines for Catholic Charities agencies related to HIV/AIDS.

**John A. Gallagher, PhD**, was appointed Corporate Director, Ethics for Catholic Healthcare Partners (CHP) in November, 2002. As a member of the Department of Mission and Values Integration he shares responsibility for the development and implementation of system-wide strategies for integrating the mission and values into all aspects of the organization, including its policies, practices and culture. He provides on-going research that assists the leadership of CHP in identifying emerging issues in moral theology, ethics and social justice as they impact the health care ministry and CHP, and recommends appropriate responses. Prior to serving CHP, he was the Director, Corporate Integrity for St. Joseph's Health System in Atlanta, Georgia. From 1990 to 2000 he was Vice President, System Organizational Integrity and System Ethics at the Holy Cross Health System located in South Bend, Indiana. He was on the theological faculty of Mercy College (Detroit) and Loyola University of Chicago. He holds a doctoral degree from the Divinity School of the University of Chicago. Dr. Gallagher has published a wide range of articles on issues of health care ethics. He has spoken to a variety of audiences on issues in contemporary health care and the theological underpinning of the Catholic health care ministry. He has given presentations at the Catholic Health Association's Sponsorship School and its Theology and Ethics Colloquium, as well as the Catholic Theological Society of America and the Society of Christian Ethics.

**Paula Goodman-Crews, MSW, LCSW** is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with a master's degree in Social Work. She has served as the Medical Bioethics Director for Kaiser Permanente San Diego since 2000, where she serves as a staff clinical ethicist and co-chair for their institutional bioethics committee. In this capacity, she provides health care ethics

consultations; and creates and implements quality improvement projects, policy, and clinical practice guidelines related to improving care consistent with ethical norms. Since January, 2007, she has served as co-chair for Kaiser Permanente Southern California Regional Committee on Bioethics. She provides leadership and direction for 14 service areas within the Southern California area. Most recently, she co-wrote a business case, based in an “Integrated Ethics Model” which resulted in SCAL Kaiser Health Plan leadership consenting to hire clinical ethicists in each of their 14 Kaiser facilities. Also, in her capacity as Regional Co-Chair, Paula co-created an electronic database capable of tracking bioethics consultations and ethics quality gaps. This database will be replicated throughout Kaiser National. Paula co-founded and is co-chair for the San Diego Bioethics Commission, formed under the auspices of the San Diego Medical Society. The first coalition of its kind in San Diego, this commission serves as a clearinghouse for the creation of bioethics standards of practice. In November 2008, the commission received a California Health Care Foundation Grant for POLST Implementation. In January 2009, the commission created a Model Draft Policy for Non-Beneficial Treatment. Paula participated as a Principal Investigator in the first large-scale, randomized, multi-center, prospective trial designed to evaluate the effectiveness of ethics consultations in intensive care settings. She has published articles which have appeared in JAMA, the Journal of Clinical Ethics, and Archives of Internal Medicine. Paula has served on Sharp Health Care’s Bioethics Committee since 1986 and was their first non-physician co-chair.

**Tracy Koogler, M.D.**, is an Associate Professor of Pediatrics in the section of Pediatric Critical Care and Assistant Director of the MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics at the University of Chicago. In 2002, she was named Interim Director of the Ethics Consultation Service and in 2003, became Co-Director. In this role, she directs the Ethics Consultation Service for the University, organizes the weekly ethics case conference, and teaches the ethics fellows’ consultation course. The ethics consultation service routinely consults on research and clinical cases throughout the university and also receives consults nationally, especially concerning research topics. In addition, to her work with ethics consultation, Dr. Koogler is a member of the IRB and presents nationally on organ donation, especially donation after cardiac death, and pediatric palliative care issues.

**Stephen R. Latham, JD, PhD**, is Deputy Director of Yale's Interdisciplinary Center for Bioethics. Prior to that position, he was Professor of Law and Director of the Center for Health Law & Policy at Quinnipiac University School of Law; during that time, he also taught business ethics at the Yale School of Management each year. Before entering academia full-time, Latham served as Director of Ethics Standards at the American Medical Association, and as secretary to its Council on Ethical and Judicial Affairs. He has taught health law and ethics-related courses at the law schools of Northwestern University, the University of Chicago, UC Berkeley, and Harvard, and to college students at Brown. Latham is a former graduate fellow of Harvard’s Safra Center on Ethics; a former Research Fellow of the University of Edinburgh’s Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities; and a former vice-chair of the ABA Health Law Section’s Interest Group on Medical Research, Biotechnology and Clinical Ethics. He currently serves on Connecticut’s Stem Cell Research Advisory Committee and on the board of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities. Latham does clinical ethics consultation with the Pediatric Ethics Committee of Yale-New Haven’s Children’s Hospital, and is a former member of Yale Medical School’s IRB. His scholarship focus has included professionalism and professionalization in law and medicine. He has worked on Code development and interpretation in the AMA and in the MA and CT state bars. He is familiar with state bar exam creation and grading. In his former position at Quinnipiac, he oversaw both the state Board of Education accreditation of a new masters in health law program and the creation of the first university-based HCCA-accredited certificate program in Healthcare Compliance.

**Christine Mitchell, RN, MS**, is Director of the Office of Ethics at Children’s Hospital, where she has led the hospital’s Ethics Advisory Committee for 25 years, directs the ethics consultation service, and coordinates educational and policy activities in clinical and organizational ethics. Mitchell has a joint appointment as Associate Director of Clinical Ethics in the Division of Medical Ethics at Harvard Medical School. She developed and runs an annual intensive Harvard Bioethics Course with a curriculum tailored to prepare people to work on clinical ethics committees in hospitals and health care facilities. Mitchell organized and co-chairs the Ethics Leadership Council for the Harvard teaching hospitals, leads a monthly case-based Harvard Ethics Consortium, teaches in the ethics fellowship program, and co-developed a lay-led, all volunteer Community Ethics Committee. Her research, with Judy Johnson and Bob Truog, is focused on the evaluation of ethics consultation at Harvard hospitals (TEECH) and currently involves developing a standardized computer-based documentation system for ethics consults. Mitchell received a Bachelor’s and a Master’s degrees in science with a major in nursing and pediatrics from Boston University, and a Master’s degree with a major in ethics from Harvard. In 1993 she was a Faculty Fellow at Harvard’s Program in Ethics and the Professions (now the Edmond J. Safra Foundation Center for Ethics). As a founding Board member of the Society for Bioethics Consultation and past President of the American Society for Law, Medicine and Ethics, Mitchell has been involved with ethics committees nationally and

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**John C. Moskop, Ph.D.**, joined the faculty of the Wake Forest University School of Medicine in January 2009, where he holds the Wallace and Mona Wu Chair in Biomedical Ethics and is Professor of Internal Medicine. From 1979 through 2009, Dr. Moskop was a faculty member in the Department of Medical Humanities of The Brody School of Medicine at East Carolina University. He also served as founding Director of the Bioethics Center, University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina. Dr. Moskop has been a visiting professor at the University of Calgary, the University of Montana, and the Medical College of Wisconsin. He is author of more than one hundred articles and book chapters on ethical issues in emergency medicine, death and dying, organ transplantation, the allocation of health care, and other topics in bioethics. Dr. Moskop serves on the Ethics Committee of the American College of Emergency Medicine and on the North Carolina License to Give Trust Fund Commission. He is a consultant to the Ethical and Judicial Affairs Committee of the North Carolina Medical Society. He was a member of the Clinical Ethics Task Force and the Medical Education Task Force of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities.

**Nneka Mokwunye, PhD**, completed a Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy from George Washington University, with a secondary field of study in Public Health; a Master of Arts degree in Philosophy at Howard University, with concentrations in Ethics and Public Policy; and a doctorate from Howard University in Sociology with concentrations in Medical Sociology, and Race, Class, and Gender Inequalities. Between 2001 to the present, Dr. Mokwunye has served as a Fellow at the Center for Ethics at Washington Hospital Center, Bioethicist, Interim Director, and (as of May, 2006), Director of the Center. Dr. Mokwunye was also named Director of the Spiritual Care department in August 2007. In this new role, she is responsible for the administrative oversight of that department. The Center for Ethics serves as a resource to all MedStar Health acute care and extended care facilities. Additional services provided include: providing a variety of educational programs which address clinical and organizational ethics issues; facilitating policy review and recommendation; and offering consultation regarding clinical and research practice. As Director of the Center, Dr. Mokwunye is the leader in clinical ethics practice and strives to provide education, policy development, and consultation services to all clinicians. The Center estimates 400+ consultations a year. The Center also has an extensive internship program for individuals interested in developing skills in the practice of clinical ethics. Dr. Mokwunye has been instrumental in creating the internship program, as well as the Journal of Hospital Ethics, a practical journal discussing everyday clinical ethics issues. Dr. Mokwunye also serves on several institutional review boards as the Bioethicist of record. She has published several articles in field of clinical ethics. Dr. Mokwunye is on the faculty of the Howard University Medical School as Adjunct Professor for Health Care Ethics in the Department of Family Medicine. She has been asked to serve as an expert witness in legal cases, as well as a lecturer for several healthcare entities. Dr. Mokwunye is a member of several professional societies, including the American Society of Bioethics and Humanities, and serves as a grant reviewer for the National Institutes of Health Office of Minority Health community grants.

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**Robert A. Pearlman, MD, MPH**, is the Chief of Ethics Evaluation for the National Center for Ethics in Health Care (VHA) and a Professor of Medicine, Bioethics and Humanities, and Health Services at the University of Washington. He

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Rosell's PhD is from Vanderbilt University, in Ethics and Society. From 1995-99, he completed a two year internship followed by a two year fellowship in Clinical Ethics at Vanderbilt's Center for Clinical and Research Ethics and the VUMC Transplant Center.

Dr. Rosell currently provides ethics consultation for the University of Kansas Hospital, where he co-chairs the Ethics Committee for adult patients and heads the ethics consult service. He is facilitator of Compassionate Caregiver Rounds at Saint Luke's Home Care and Hospice, the Schwartz Center Rounds at Saint Luke's Cancer Institute and Hospital, and facilitates Human Values Rounds there for internal medicine residents. He serves on several institutional ethics committees, data and safety monitoring boards, and an institutional review board. For three years, Rosell was a consultant for Duke University's Institute on Care at the End of Life for the St. John Health—Duke Collaboration for Palliative Care in metro Detroit. For two years prior to that, Rosell consulted with the New Jersey State Funeral Directors Association on organ donation policy.

**Martin L. Smith, S.T.D.** [Doctorate in Sacred Theology], has been employed full-time as a clinical ethicist since 1987. He received his doctoral degree in theology from the Gregorian University in Rome, Italy in 1980. He was a staff Bioethicist at the Cleveland Clinic (Cleveland, OH) for thirteen years (1987 – 2000). In February 2001 he joined The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center as Chief of Clinical Ethics and as an Associate Professor in the Department of Critical Care. In June 2006 he returned to the Cleveland Clinic as the Director of Clinical Ethics in the Department of Bioethics. From 1995 to 2000, he served as President of the Bioethics Network of Ohio (BENO). His published writings include titles and topics on euthanasia, the medical futility debate, forgoing artificial nutrition and hydration, blood transfusions and Jehovah's Witness patients, institutional ethics committees, informed consent, medical mistakes, and pastoral care and bioethics.

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