

## **Improving End of Life Conversations with Patients:**

Developing Shared Care Goals

Between Families, Medical Staff and The Patient

Thursday May 23rd, 2019 8:30am—10am

**Gold Coast Health Plan Community Room** 

711 E Daily Dr #106, Camarillo, CA

Breakfast will be served

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(805) 484-6822



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Dr. Carlo Reyes, MD, JD, emergency physician and the Assistant Medical Director at Los Robles Hospital and Medical Center, will be discussing how he understands a patients goal of care and navigates when there is conflict or a change in care goals. He will share his personal experiences in the medical field and how he has learned to communicate clearly with his patients and their families.



Laura Zempel, MSW, RN, will be sharing her experiences working with families and medical staff in her position as the Palliative Care Nurse at Los Robles Hospital and Medical Center. She will share tips on communication strategies and how to align with patient's hopes while also discussing care goals.

**Who Should Attend:** Physicians, nurses, social workers, agencies that serve seniors, and everyone interested in learning more!

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VC CCC mission is to promote timely advanced care planning and understanding of life-sustaining treatments for the healthcare professionals and residents of Ventura County.