



Ethics Committee

The Ethics Committee of the Health Council of South Florida (Council) was established in 1989 and serves as an unbiased forum to identify and discuss ethical issues that emerge in the planning and delivery of healthcare in South Florida. Past ethical issues addressed include: health status, access to healthcare, health disparities, and the preservation of the safety-net in Miami-Dade and Monroe counties.



The Council is one of eleven local planning councils throughout the state of Florida and is designated as the local health planning agency for Miami Dade and Monroe counties. It is authorized under F.S. 408.033 to promote the health of the local community it serves. A Board of Directors governs the Council and the Ethics Committee is a standing committee of the Board.

Ethics Committee members include health care providers, educators, researchers, community advocates, clergy, and experts in the fields of bioethics and law.

As an Ethics Committee member, your responsibilities include:

- Attending at least four meetings each calendar year to identify, discuss, and address ethical components of healthcare in South Florida;
- Reviewing the e-packet that you will receive before each Ethics meeting; and,
- Providing recommendations to the HCSF Policy, Planning & Advisory Committee (PPAC) for the HCSF's legislative agenda and the HCSF Annual Scholarship Award.

The staff of the Health Council of South Florida handles the logistics of the meetings (such as e-packets and minutes) and creates the drafts of the products that you will review under supervision of the Ethics Committee Chairs.

Committee Chair: Marin Gillis, LPh, PhD, 2012-
Committee Vice-Chair: Deacon Albert Mindel, MSFS, MA, 2012-

The Ethics Committee meets at the Health Council of South Florida Inc.
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The Committee will meet every other month on the second Tuesday of the month.

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