



**Physician Aid in Dying – Why, What & How**  
***Discussing End of Life Issues including “Our Care, Our Choice Act”***  
 Presented by James Westphal, MD, Beacon Health Options\*

You are cordially invited to this educational workshop to learn about physician aid in dying. Objectives of this seminar include understanding the legal requirements of the “Our Care, Our Choice Act” implemented by the State of Hawaii starting January 1, 2019, and the history and background of physician-assisted suicide in other states and parts of the world. Dr. Westphal will give advice and guidance on how to have end of life discussions with patients and provide appropriate assessments.

***Application for CME credit (1.5 credits) have been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.***

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 20, 2019

**TIME:** 5:30-7:30 PM  
Dinner Provided

**LOCATION:** East Hawaii IPA Office  
670 Ponahawai St., Ste. 117, Hilo

**RSVP:** Please RSVP by Friday, March 15 –  
**RSVP confirmed VIA PHONE** (1<sup>st</sup> come, 1st served)  
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