Delirium:

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Overview
Terminal restlessness or agitated delirium is a common and distressing condition for many patients at end of life. Recognizing and assessing this condition can be confusing for hospice providers and may lead to misdiagnosis and improper treatment. This Webinar will address the scope of the problem in hospice and will provide assessment and management strategies to ensure optimal patient care and outcomes. In addition, faculty will review the assessment of delirium and terminal restlessness within the context of goals of care and prognosis, as well as the use of pharmacologic and complementary therapies.

Objectives
At the completion of this webinar, participants will be able to:
- Define terminal restlessness and delirium;
- Identify prevalence and appreciate the scope of the problem in hospice;
- Discuss assessment strategies for delirium and terminal restlessness in context of goals of care and prognosis;
- Review pharmacologic and non-pharmacologic treatments, including complementary therapies.