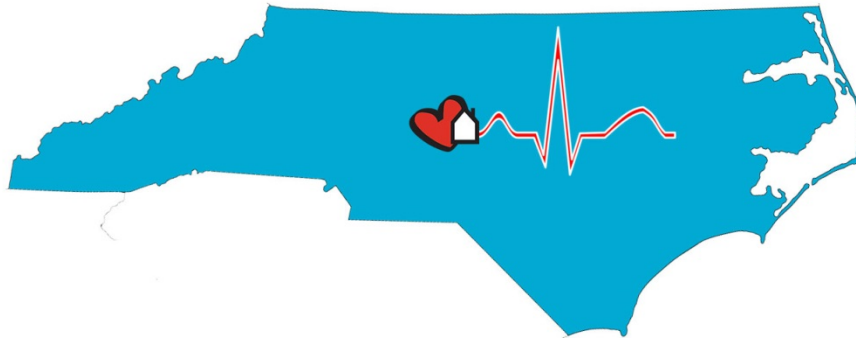




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# Advance Directives in North Carolina



**Webinar: June 24, 2015 | 3:00pm-4:30pm EST**

This program will review North Carolina's advance directives laws; the obligations of health care providers, including home health and hospice providers, to provide information to patients about their right to execute, and have honored, advance directives. The program will focus on living wills, health care powers of attorney and the Medical Order for Scope of Treatment available under North Carolina law. The program will focus on basic information health care providers need to know about these important documents; examine some of the most common misperceptions about them and mistakes providers often make in implementing patients' advance directives and offer practical tips for avoiding mistakes when dealing with third-party surrogacy issues. We will also look at some recent cases. If you have new staff, or haven't attended training in a while on advance directives, don't miss this webinar.

## Learning Objectives:

- Attendees will describe the basic elements and requirements of living wills; health care powers of attorney and the Medical Order for Scope of Treatment form available under North Carolina law.
- Attendees will identify some of the most common misperceptions about North Carolina's advance directives and how to navigate some of the most common challenges in dealing with patients and third-party health care decision-makers.
- Attendees will state practical tips for explaining advance directives to their patients and for implementing these important documents.



## Webinar Presenter:

**Kenneth L. Burgess, JD, Poyner Spruill**, serves as the head of the firm's extensive Health Law Section. Mr. Burgess is a frequent national lecturer and author of industry manuals, national trade journal magazine articles and similar training tools. He serves Poyner Spruill clients by focusing on legal issues impacting the health services sector. In this role he has advised clients on licensure, certification, survey, fraud and abuse, operations, risk management, certificate of need and business issues. His past experience includes serving as Senior Counsel to the national long term care trade association in Washington, D.C., where he was responsible for administering the Association's legal assistance fund litigation, and overseeing all regulatory, facility operations, and clinical staff of the association. He is a popular, frequent speaker for AHHC.

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