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AL BALAGH ACADEMY

## **INTERNATIONAL ONLINE CONFERENCE ON**

**THE FIQH OF MEDICINE**

# **Exploring Islamic Perspectives on End-of-Life and Palliative Care**

For Doctors, Nurses, Chaplains, Counselors,  
Academics, Muslim Scholars, Bioethicists,  
Medical Students, and Healthcare Professionals  
Navigating Islamic Ethics in End-of-Life Care.



**SATURDAY, 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025**  
LIVE ONLINE CONFERENCE

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## YOU ARE INVITED!

We are honored to invite you to the 3rd Al Balagh Academy Online International Conference on Fiqh of Medicine – Exploring Islamic Perspectives on End-of-Life and Palliative Care, where leading experts will address the ethical, theological, and practical challenges shaping end-of-life care for Muslim professionals and institutions.

As medical advancements continue to redefine patient care, the need for Islamic guidance on end-of-life decisions has never been greater. Withholding and withdrawing life-sustaining treatment, defining medical death in Fiqh, and addressing patient autonomy require a well-informed, faith-based response. This conference will provide comprehensive discussions on end-of-life ethics, Islamic bioethics, and palliative care, ensuring attendees gain practical, Shariah-compliant insights into critical medical dilemmas.

Beyond clinical decision-making, this event will explore the spiritual and psychological dimensions of dying, including bereavement counseling, death certification, and the role of Islamic chaplaincy in palliative care. Experts will take a multidisciplinary approach, bringing together medical professionals, Ulama, and policymakers to develop ethical frameworks that balance compassion, medical necessity, and Islamic jurisprudence.

Join us for a transformative and collaborative experience, where Islamic ethics and medical expertise come together to ensure dignity, compassion, and faith-based integrity in end-of-life care.

## KEY FEATURES

- 10+ Renowned Speakers
- 3 Panel Discussions
- Keynote Speeches
- Presentations
- Extensive Q&A
- 24/7 Access to Material
- Access to HD Video Recordings
- Networking Opportunities
- Digital Certificate





## OUR SPEAKERS

Al Balagh Academy presents a distinguished panel of Islamic scholars, medical professionals, and bioethics experts who will critically examine the ethical, theological, and medical dimensions of end-of-life care in Islam. As healthcare advances, the need for faith-based guidance on palliative care and life-sustaining treatment decisions has never been greater.

This conference will provide a comprehensive exploration of Islamic perspectives on dying with dignity, addressing brain death, advanced directives, and bereavement counseling. Attendees will gain insightful, Shariah-compliant guidance from experts shaping the discourse on Fiqh, medicine, and spiritual care in modern palliative practice.



**Shaykh Dr Rifaqat Rashid**  
General Practitioner,  
Specialist in Islamic Bioethics,  
Course Director, Al Balagh Academy



**Mufti Mohammed Zubair Butt**  
Specialist in Islamic Medical Ethics,  
Chair, Al Qalam Shariah Panel



**Dr Shaykh Hatem al-Haj**  
Consultant Paediatrician and  
Head Jurist at the American  
Muslim Jurists Association,  
Specialist in Islamic Medical Ethics.



**Dr Hassan Chamsi-Pasha**  
MD, FRCP (Lond), FRCP (Glasg),  
FRCP (Ire), FACC  
GNP Hospital, Jeddah



**Shaykh Yunus Dudhwala**  
Head of Chaplaincy and  
Bereavement Services,  
Barts Health NHS Trust



**Dr Arshad Latif**  
General Practitioner, Nottingham,  
Member, British Islamic  
Medical Association (BIMA)



**Dr Ramy Salah**  
MD, Palliative Care Physician,  
California, Department Chair,  
Mills-Peninsula Medical Center



**Shaykh Fazlur Rahman**  
Muslim Chaplain, Co-founder  
thinkBRITE Services, Head of  
Muslim Chaplaincy, East Lancashire  
Hospitals NHS Trust



**Dr Mahbub Khan**  
Consultant Clinical Psychologist,  
Leeds & York Partnership NHS  
Foundation Trust, Chartered  
Psychologist (BPS)



**Dr Taslim Ali Lorgat**  
Consultant Physician,  
NHS Blackburn, UK



**Dr Naomi Green**  
Policy & Public Affairs Officer, BIMA  
PhD in Social Sciences, Lecturer &  
Researcher on Islamophobia and  
Muslim Integration



**Dr Nadia Khan**  
Palliative Consultant,  
Co-founder, Al-Amal  
Palliative Care Support  
BIMA Council Member

## KEY TOPICS

- Ethics and Spirituality for the Dying Patient
- Brain Death and Advanced Directives
- Withholding & Withdrawing Life Sustaining Treatment (LST)

## THIS CONFERENCE IS FOR YOU!

This conference is for healthcare professionals like doctors, nurses, allied health professionals, medical students, Islamic scholars, researchers, chaplains, bioethicists, counselors, and policymakers exploring the ethical challenges of modern medicine through the lens of Islamic Fiqh. It provides critical insights into faith-based medical decision-making, end-of-life care, and healthcare ethics.



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DEADLINE: 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025



**Registration Fee Starting**

From: £9.99



**Saturday, 10<sup>TH</sup> May 2025**

**10:00 AM – 5:00 PM** (London, UK)

**5:00 AM – 12:00 PM** (New York, USA)



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