



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. WHAT IS A CONVERGING ROADS CONFERENCE?

Converging Roads is a regional conference series that offers continuing education for health care professionals, students, chaplains, and administrators and equips them to practice the highest ethical and medical standards of their profession.

Through partnerships with dioceses, hospitals, local chapters of the Catholic Medical Association, and universities across the United States, Converging Roads provides health care professionals with the most up-to-date training in health care ethics, enabling them to more effectively care for their patients.

2. WHO SHOULD ATTEND CONVERGING ROADS?

Converging Roads is designed for health care professionals, students, chaplains, administrators, clergy, and religious who encounter the day-to-day realities of providing ethical health care. Open to all, regardless of faith tradition, Converging Roads is rooted in the Hippocratic and Catholic ethical tradition. Attendees can expect to receive high quality continuing education from national and local experts that is faithful to Catholic teaching and natural law.

If you are not Catholic, you are still most welcome to attend. If you are not currently a health care professional or student, you are also welcome to attend, but please note that some presentations may include technical or detailed information that assumes a basic level of medical knowledge.

3. WILL CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS BE OFFERED?

Continuing education credits for health care professionals - including physicians, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, and chaplains - will be offered at Converging Roads. On occasion, continuing education credits for social workers, counselors, and others are available. It is best to inquire with the conference coordinator if you are interested in receiving continuing education for another field.

4. I'M NOT SURE IF I QUALIFY FOR A STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP, SHOULD I STILL APPLY?

Student scholarships are available for students enrolled in undergraduate or graduate-level programs. To apply for a scholarship, <u>click here</u>. Once you complete the application, the conference coordinator will reach out to you with next steps.

If you are a medical resident, please register at the Medical Resident/Clergy/Religious ticket type.

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5. WHAT DOES THE TICKET INCLUDE?

All ticket types include admission to the conference presentations, light breakfast, lunch, and our wine and cheese reception; printed materials for the conference; and opportunities to participate in the Sacraments (Mass and Confession).

Physician, physician assistant, nurse, or nurse practitioner tickets include CME/CNE credits. The certificate of completion will come from the Christian Medical and Dental Association, with whom we collaborate to provide CME/CNE credits.

General admission and the medical resident/clergy/religious ticket types may include a certificate of completion for CE reporting purposes upon request.

6. SHOULD MY COMPANY OR ORGANIZATION EXHIBIT AT THE CONFERENCE?

We offer exhibitor opportunities for both non-profit organizations and for-profit companies at our Converging Roads conferences. Our attendees most appreciate those exhibitors that offer relevant resources to their field of work and the populations they serve. If you are interested in exhibiting, please email the conference coordinators at CR@forlifeandfamily.org to share more about your company or organization and to seek approval before registering.

7. IS CONVERGING ROADS AVAILABLE ONLINE?

On occasion, Converging Roads conferences are offered in a hybrid format, so you can participate in person or online at your discretion. Online attendees have the opportunity to join the conference live or view the presentation recordings for up to 72 hours after the live event ends.

Conference recordings are not available for purchase at this time.

