Following his graduation from Brigham Young University, Magna Cum Laude, David Green entered the medical school class of 1973 at the University of Utah. He was elected class president and his academic achievements earned him membership in the prestigious Alpha Omega Alpha honor society. He pursued his internship in pediatrics in the military at Wilford Hall Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas, and subsequently returned to the University of Utah for completion of his residency and fellowship in pediatrics. David joined the faculty in the Department of Pediatrics in 1983 and advanced to the rank of Associate Professor in 1990.

For 17 years, David was Medical Director of the Utah State Development Center. Within the Department of Pediatrics, David was Director of Adolescent Medicine in the Division of General Pediatrics. At the University Hospital, he developed the Adolescent Unit and at the time of his death was Co-Medical Director of the hospital’s Adolescent/Pediatric/Community Medicine Unit.

In recent years, David’s academic interests focused increasingly on ethical issues in medicine. He obtained a Certificate in Professional Ethics from the Department of Philosophy at the University in 1984 and was a founding member of the Department of Internal Medicine’s Division of Medical Ethics in 1989. He was the course director and principal architect of the medical ethics course for fourth-year medical students. David also chaired the University Hospital Ethics Committee from 1985 until his death. His sensitivity and insight and his appreciation for the complexity of individual cases made David a skilled consultant and teacher of medical ethics. His memory will live on with us as we continue the important work to which he was so faithfully dedicated.

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The 20th Annual David Green Memorial Lecture

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University of Louisville
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“My patient has a DNAR order and needs an operation: What should I do?”
Mary Elizabeth Fallat, MD

Mary E. Fallat, MD is the Hirikati S. Nagaraj Professor of Surgery at the University of Louisville, Division Director of Pediatric Surgery, and Chief of Surgery at Norton Children’s Hospital where she has been in active clinical practice for nearly 30 years.

Dr. Fallat has a long history of service and leadership in Pediatric Surgery. She is the recent past president of the American Pediatric Surgical Association and recent Chair of the American College of Surgeons Advisory Council for Pediatric Surgery. She is the current Secretary of the Section on Surgery of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Fallat has had several focused areas of interest during her career at the University of Louisville. She has been actively involved in the care of the trauma patient and started the first pediatric trauma service at Kosair Children’s Hospital in 1988, while simultaneously developing leadership roles in the American College of Surgeons Kentucky and National Committees on Trauma. She led the initiative in Kentucky that culminated in Trauma System Legislation in 2008. She has been continuously funded as principal or co-investigator for the KY Emergency Medical Services for Children program since 1993. She participated in the IOM project “The Future of Emergency Care in the U.S. Health System” as a member of the Subcommittee on Pediatric Emergency Care. She has twice led the initiative to revise the national Equipment for Ambulances list, integrating pediatric equipment into the list. In addition to the EMS grant, she recently completed a grant to develop an educational program to train EMS providers on how to assist family members with next steps and personally cope with pediatric cardiopulmonary arrest and death in the field.

Dr. Fallat was the Section on Surgery member of the American Academy of Pediatrics Committee on Bioethics for 9 years before ascending to the Chair position in 2009. She was the primary author for several statements including the AAP Statement on Professionalism in Pediatrics. She has written on the topics of the Do-Not-Resuscitate Patient who requires Anesthesia or Surgery, Preservation of Fertility in Children and Adolescents With Cancer, and Termination of Resuscitation in Out of Hospital Pediatric Traumatic Cardiopulmonary Arrest victims. She served as a liaison from the AAP to the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology Committee on Ethics for four years and is a past Chair of the Ethics and Advocacy Committee of the American Pediatric Surgical Association.

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February 15, 2017

Evening Ethics Discussion
“My patient has a DNAR order and needs an operation: What should I do?”
Research Administration Building - RM 117

February 16, 2017

Welcome and Introduction
(8:00 am)
Jeffrey R. Botkin, MD, MPH
Professor, Pediatrics and Medical Ethics Chief, Division of Medical Ethics and Humanities Associate Vice President for Research University of Utah School of Medicine

Pediatric Grand Rounds Lecture
“Difficult Decisions, Disclosure, and Personal Coping in Pediatric Termination of Resuscitation”
(8:05 am)
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