

Week 1 • Bioethics at the Bedside

There are tens of thousands of students from dozens of countries around the world enrolled in PHLX101-01. We can't wait to learn from you!

Connect Week 1 with your own experiences

Share new information and examples — especially culturally-diverse — related to this week's topics:

- An interesting article in the New York Times with an update on the Lacks' family. "A Family Consents to a Medical Gift, 62 years Later" by Carl Zimmer. August 7, 2013. http://www.nytimes.com/2013/08/08/science/after-decades-of-research-henrietta-lacks-family-is-asked-for-consent.html?pagewanted=all&_r=0
- Another article by Art Caplan who was quoted in week one.... <http://www.nbcnews.com/health/health-news/nih-finally-makes-good-henrietta-lacks-family-its-about-time-f6C10867941>

Improve Week 1 for future students

Provide constructive suggestions for the course content for this week:

- Suggestion about presentation format not content - consider not using a 'whiteboard' background for speakers/teachers. reason - it glares at the viewer.
- Suggestion to randomize the order of the questions on quizzes, this will help with long-term memorization of material.