

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9911026022803321
Titolo	The Impact of Health Care : on Character Formation, Ethical Education, and the Communication of Values in Late Modern Pluralistic Societies / Michael Welker, Eva Winkler, John Witte Jr., Stephen Pickard
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Leipzig, : Evangelische Verlagsanstalt, 2023
ISBN	9783374073054 3374073050
Edizione	[1st ed.]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (205 pages)
Disciplina	658
Soggetti	Ethics Morality Theology Academic Disciplines Biblical Studies Values Science Hospitals Health System
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Nota di contenuto	Frontmatter -- Cover -- Titel -- Impressum -- Table of Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Preface to the Series -- Introduction -- Part One: Medical Ethics Between Medicine and Economy -- Time for a New Oath? The Role of the Individual Physician's Ethos and Institutional Ethics in the Face of Economization of the Health-Care System -- Mercy under Conditions of Scarcity and the Need for Organization -- or, Where Is the Humane Ethos Located in the Health-Care System? An Outline of the Problem -- Ethical Tensions in the Medical Treatment of Elderly Patients in Geriatrics and Geriatric Psychiatry -- Part Two: Ethical Impacts of Advancing Medical Research and Techniques -- The Impact of Advances in Stem Cell and Genome Research on Ethical Decision-Making -- The Acceptance of Genetic Technologies by Individuals,

Societies, and Health-Care Systems -- Ethical Discourse on Epigenetics and Genome Editing: The Risk of (Epi!)Genetic Determinism and Scientifically Controversial Basic Assumptions -- The Impact of Advances in Surgical Techniques and Quality-of-Life Considerations on Ethical Decision-Making and Education in Neurosurgery -- Part Three: Digital Medicine and Ethical Decisions -- Ethical Aspects of Digital Transformation in Medicine and Health Care -- Family Decision-Making in Times of Genomic Newborn Screening -- Part Four: Health Care: History, Education, Practice -- On the History of the Nursing Ethos in Germany -- Health-Care Chaplains and Medical Ethics: Clinical and Educational Experiences -- Medical Anthropology and Theology on Human Destiny -- Psychotherapy, Personality, and the Role of Values -- Backmatter -- Contributors.

---

## Sommario/riassunto

Pluralism has become the defining characteristic of many modern societies. Not only a plurality of individual and social claims and activities gain impacts on societal life. A creative pluralism of institutions and their norms profoundly shape our moral commitments and character – notably the family, the market, the media, and systems of law, religion, politics, research, education, health care, and defense. In the theoretical, empirical, and historical contributions to this volume, specialists on medicine, medical ethics, psychology, theology and health care discuss the many challenges that major transformations in their areas of expertise pose to the communication and orientation in late modern pluralistic societies. Contributors come from Germany, the USA and Australia.

---